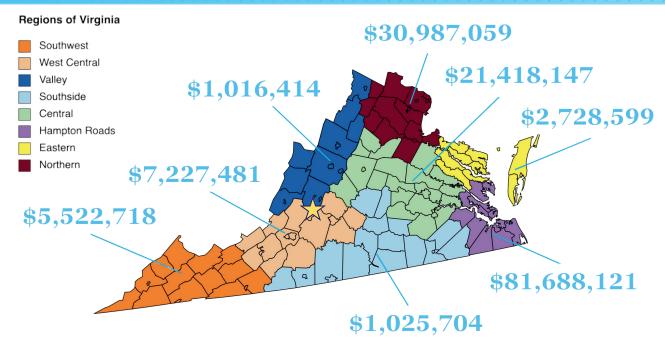
RGGI GRANTS

COMMUNITY FLOOD PREPAREDNESS FUND



Virginia's participation in the Regional Greenhouse Gas Initiative (RGGI) from 2021-2023 generated \$827.7M in revenue and reduced power plant pollution by 22%. Half of RGGI proceeds funded low-income energy efficiency programs and 45% funded the Community Flood Preparedness Fund (CFPF). Without RGGI, there is no mechanism to maintain long-term revenue for the CFPF.

The CFPF provides grants and loans for projects, studies, and planning throughout the Commonwealth to identify and address flood vulnerability for communities. CFPF funds can build capacity in localities that need additional resources to develop comprehensive flood vulnerability assessments and actionoriented flood mitigation approaches.

CITY OF LEXINGTON

STORMWATER STUDY

Collaborating with Civil Consulting Group, P.C., the City of Lexington will utilize this CFPF award to continue an analysis of the City's stormwater infrastructure and hydraulic capacity, including up to 230 structures and pipes primarily located in the northeastern part of the City. The City has spent money on water and sewer updates over the years, but needs stormwater improvements. Importantly, this study will assess flood risk and mitigation opportunities near one of the City's public housing apartment complexes.





