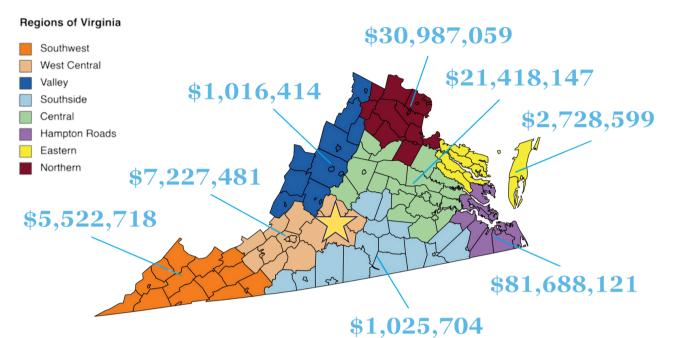
RGGI GRANTS COMMUNITY FLOOD PREPAREDNESS FUND



Virginia's participation in the Regional Greenhouse Gas Initiative (RGGI) from 2021-2023 generated \$827.7 million in revenue while also reducing power plant carbon pollution in the state by 22%. Half of RGGI proceeds from quarterly auctions 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.

CENTRAL VIRGINIA PLANNING DISTRICT RESILIENCE PLAN

The Central Virginia Planning District Commission is comprised of four counties, one city, and several towns in central Virginia, and qualifies as a low-income geographic area. Completing a regional Hazard Mitigation Plan in 2021 highlighted the need for a more detailed flood risk evaluation. This CFPF award will allow the PDC to develop priority project and engineering evaluations, informed via stakeholder input, to set up future flood mitigation projects that will protect flood-vulnerable areas







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