

Seeking participants for a research study on  
**ASSESSMENT OF RISKS AND VULNERABILITIES TO  
FLOODING AND SEA LEVEL RISE**



ODU researchers are seeking volunteers to provide input into an assessment of the region's risks and vulnerabilities to flooding and sea level rise. We are interested in residents' perspectives regarding adaptation efforts and what can be done to increase neighborhood's resilience to flooding.

**WE ARE CONDUCTING FOCUS GROUPS IN THE PRETTY LAKE AND LITTLE CREEK AREAS OF NORFOLK AND VIRGINIA BEACH.**

Do you live in these areas? **Volunteer to participate in a 60-90 minute focus group.**

Each focus group participant receives a \$20 gift card for completing the focus group activities.

Four focus group opportunities are available:

- ❖ March 16<sup>th</sup> at Williams Farm Recreation Center in Virginia Beach, 6:30-8.00 pm
- ❖ March 24<sup>th</sup> at Mary D. Pretlow Anchor Public Library in Norfolk, 6:30-8.00 pm

If interested in participating in the focus groups, fill out a short questionnaire here:

**[http://bit.ly/slr\\_flood](http://bit.ly/slr_flood)**

Unable to participate in the focus groups? Don't live in the Pretty Lake and Little Creek areas? We are also conducting a **region-wide web survey in April 2016.**

If interested in participating in the web survey, provide your e-mail address and you will be contacted with a link to the web survey. Note: All emails will be kept confidential and will **only** be used for sending a link to the web survey.

Provide your e-mail address here: **[http://bit.ly/slr\\_flood\\_survey](http://bit.ly/slr_flood_survey)**

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