## RESILIENCE BLUEPRINT









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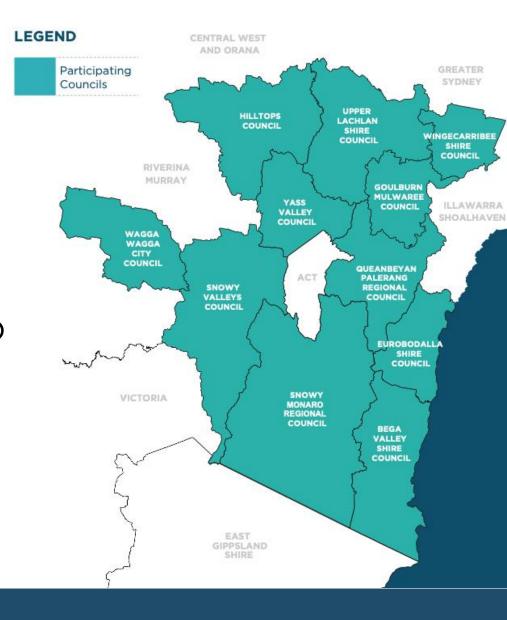






## Blueprint purpose

- The architecture to create change for a more resilient and climateready future
- Guiding our focus and investment to adapt to a changing world
- How we work together to do things differently
- Our roles in and pathways toward a more resilient tomorrow







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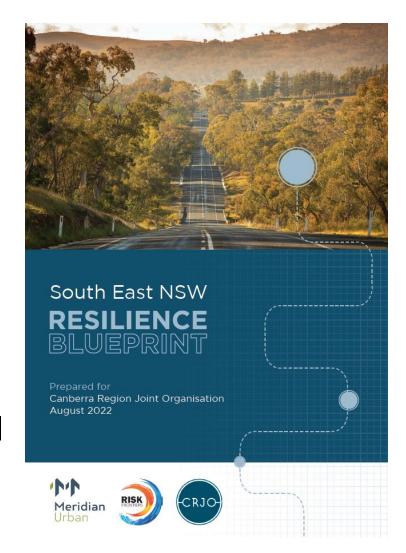






## Blueprint objectives

- 1. Addresses climate change as a priority
- 2. Is grounded in lessons learnt
- 3. Has key decision-maker support
- 4. Is developed collaboratively with councils and communities
- 5. Aligns with Commonwealth, state and local government initiatives.







## **Engagement snapshot**

OVER 2.072 PARTICIPANTS

USE SURVEY PARTICIPANTS

ONLINE SURVEY PARTICIPANTS



COUNCILLOR BRIEFINGS

11 COUNCIL WORKSHOPS

13 DROP IN SESSIONS

12 COMMUNITY WORKSHOPS





#### **Blueprint overview**

**Resilience Blueprint** Walking the journey **Resilience Assessment LGA Snapshots** What resilience means **Local context Directions framework:** in South East NSW Regional context **Local climate projections** Themes **How the Blueprint** Hazards and risks in **Exposure Priorities** was developed a changing climate **Vulnerability Strategies Using the Blueprint** 

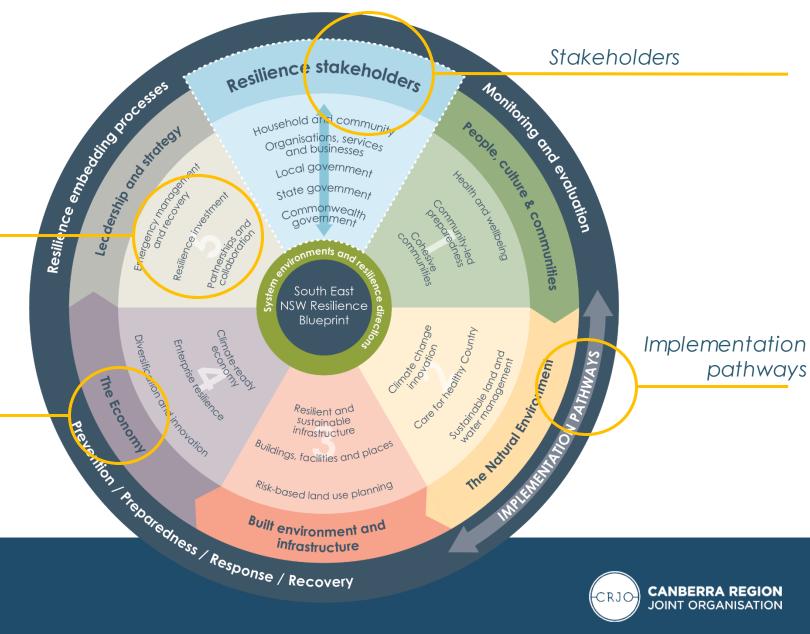




## Blueprint directions & priorities

Resilience themes

System environments







## What is our risk from disasters and climate change?

Figure 1a A new framework for complex climate risk assessment. This is an updated definition of climate risk which includes an additional fourth determinant: response. Source: Simpson et al., 2021



**Hazard**: Shocks (Bushfire, Flood) & Stressors (Drought, sea level rise) frequency

**Exposure**: of values or assets including people, cultural sites, infrastructure, environment, economy and community

**Vulnerability**: the sensitivity of the asset due to its condition or materials made from, the ability of an asset to absorb the impact,

**Response**: how we respond to protect the value or asset

**Realised risk:** people (lives), infrastructure (average annual loss), environment (threatened species and ecosystems), agriculture (productivity) to shocks and stressors





#### Resilience assessment

- Regional context
  - Landscapes, people and places
- Understanding risk
  - Shocks and stresses.
  - Exposure, vulnerability and tolerability
- South East NSW risk profile
  - Resilience framework
  - Risks in a changing climate
    - Hazard and risk overview against climate projections

#### **HAZARDS**

A hazard is a natural process or occurrence, a source event which has the potential to result in harm or cause loss or damage depending on exposure. The United Nations Office for Disaster Risk Reduction (2020) provides a classification of hazard types to include:



Meteorological and hydrological - tropical cyclones, lows and troughs, drought, floods and heatwaves.



Extra-terrestrial - asteroid and meteorite impacts or solar flares.



Geohazards - earthquakes, volcanic eruptions, subsidence and landslides, tsunami, rockfalls and sinkholes.



**Environmental** – bushfires, land salination, reduced snow pack, biodiversity loss, contamination, storm surge and coastal erosion



Chemical - exposure of chemicals to humans, landscapes and ecosystems.



Biological - disease outbreak, epidemics and pandemics



**Technological** – technology failure and complex systems which can be interrupted across local, national and international scales across a spectrum of interests including economics, security, infrastructure, transport and health. This includes cyber attacks.

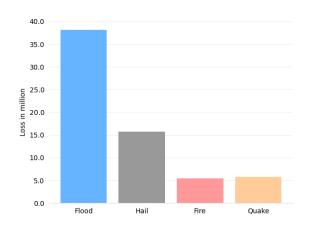


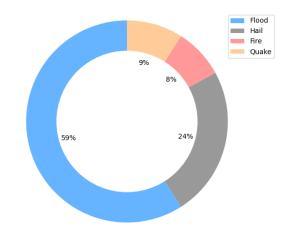
Societal - violence, conflict and civil unrest.

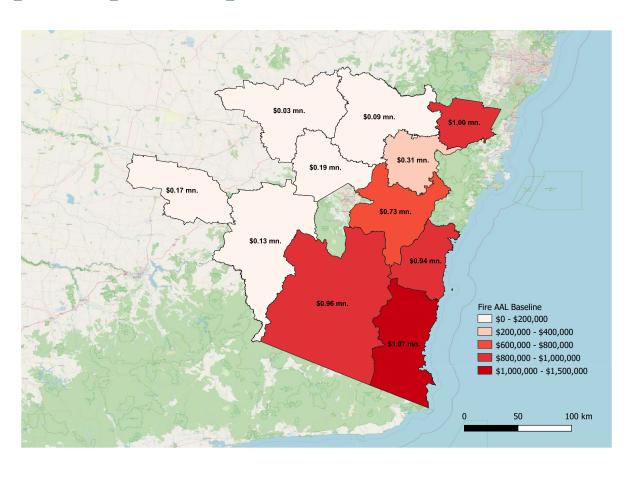




## Bushfire risk to property



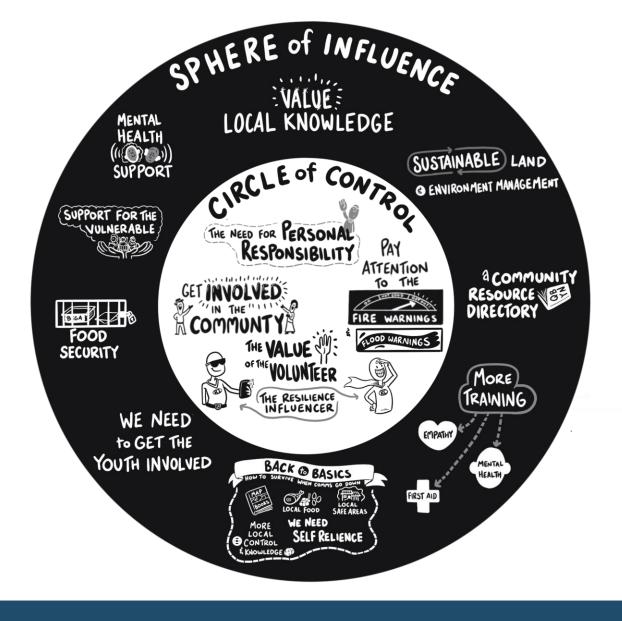








## Embedding the Blueprint







# THIS PROCESS IS BRINGING ME





