

# Nuisance Flood Events Are Significantly Increasing Around the U.S.

## What is nuisance flooding?

Flooding which causes public inconvenience.

## What are the impacts of nuisance flooding?

Frequent road closures, overwhelmed storm drains, and deterioration of infrastructure such as roads and rail.

## Where is this happening?

Nuisance flooding is increasing around the coastal U.S., with more rapid acceleration along the East and Gulf Coasts.

## Why is this happening?

Nuisance flooding is increasing due to climate-related sea level rise and land subsidence (sinking) combined with loss of natural coastal barriers.

## Top Ten Locations of Frequent Nuisance Flooding in the U.S.

Annapolis, MD	Port Isabel, TX
Baltimore, MD	Charleston, SC
Atlantic City, NJ	Washington, DC
Philadelphia, PA	San Francisco, CA
Sandy Hook, NJ	Norfolk, VA

