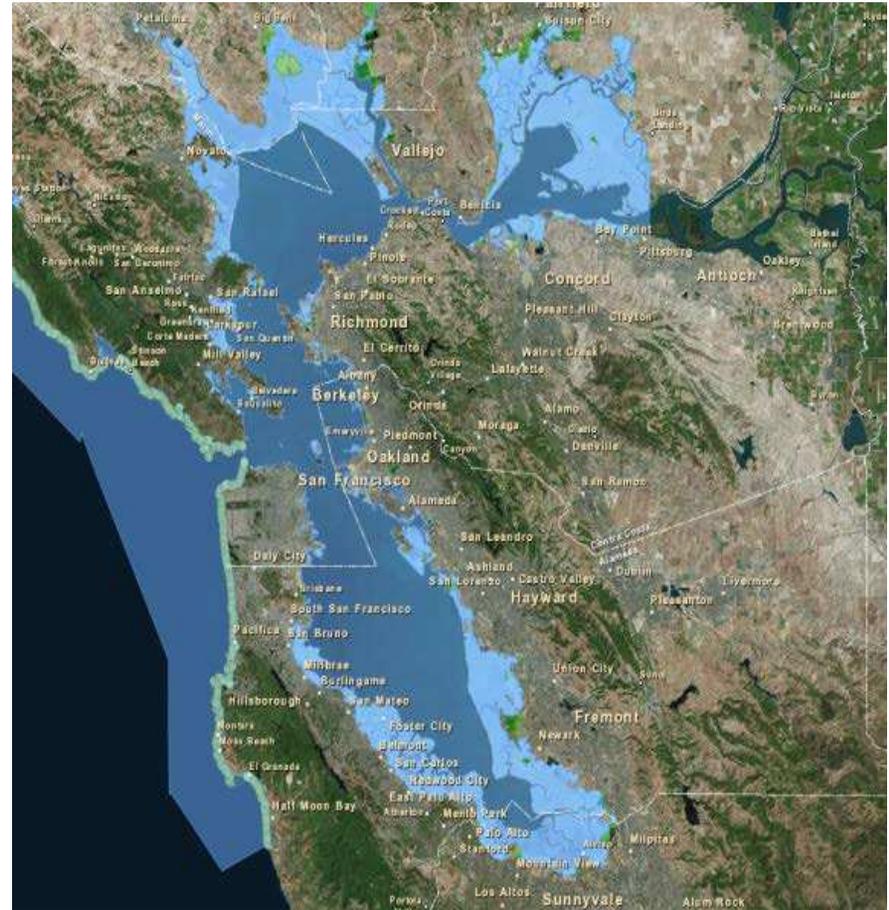


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The Threat

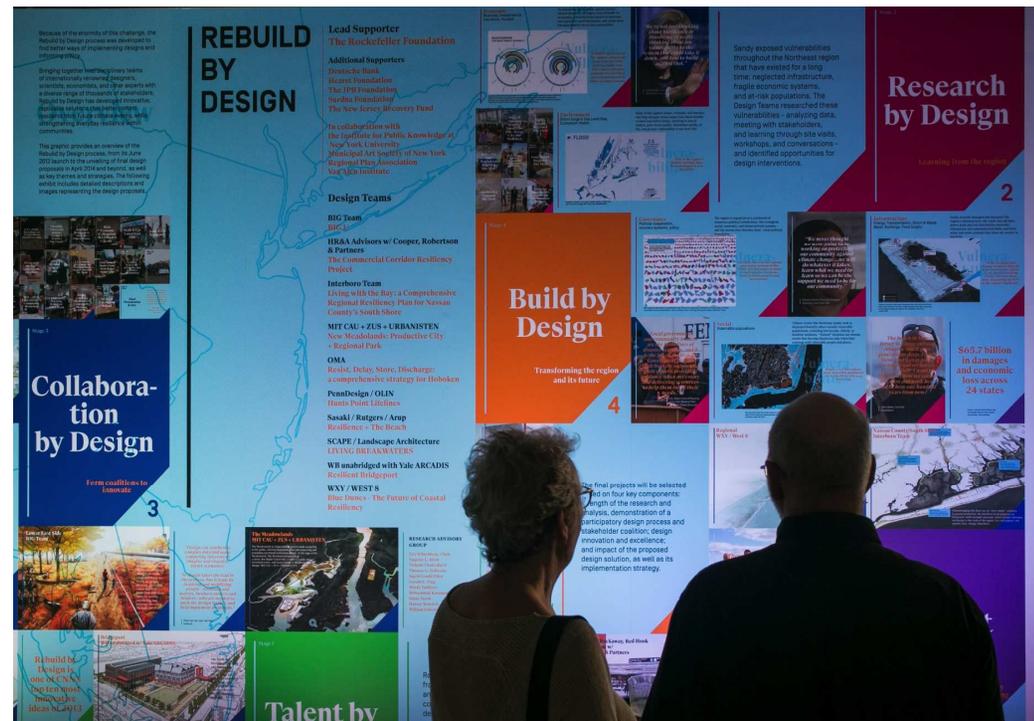
Climate change and associated sea level rise pose real threats to the Bay Area. Critical infrastructure is at risk, requiring innovative design and engineering solutions. **We must act now** to protect our communities from disastrous flooding that could cause millions in economic damage and disrupt our quality of life.



A Solution That Works

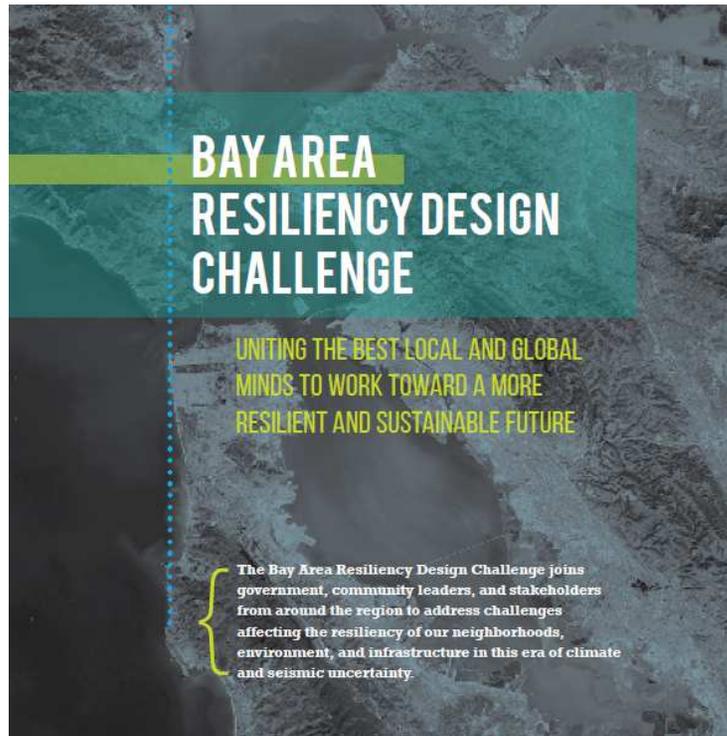
Rebuild by Design began as a response to Hurricane Sandy in the Northeast United States as a way to build back better.

It creates processes for communities and government to work with designers to a shared vision of a more resilient region.



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A Catalyst for Innovation and Adaptation



- Innovative and Inspiring
- Collaborative and Multidisciplinary
- Bold and Implementable
- Design-driven

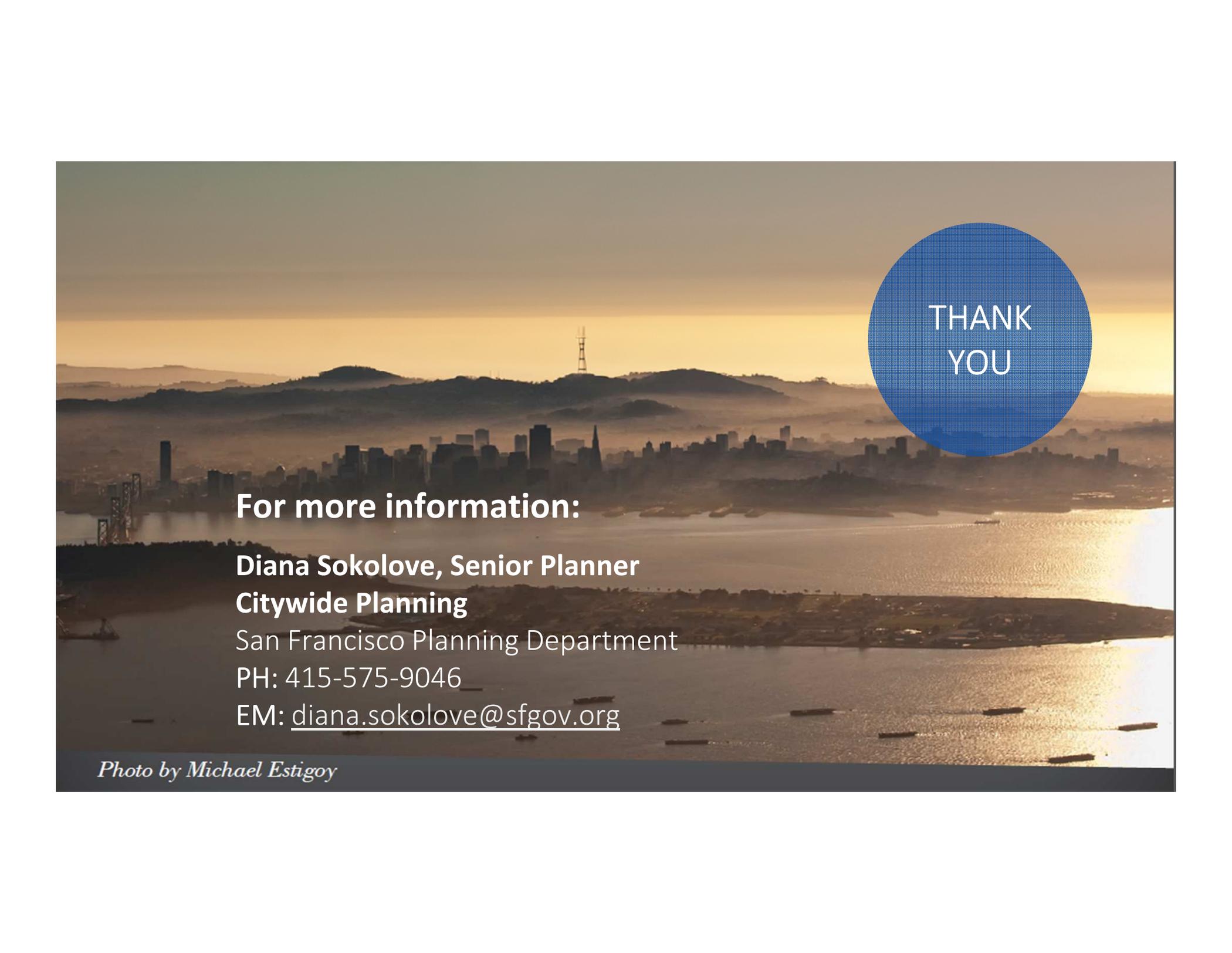
Bay Area Resilient by Design Challenge



Next Steps

- Broaden the group of supporters and collaborators
- Create a uniquely Bay Area approach that invites everyone to participate
- Continued outreach to elected officials, municipal leaders, community organizations and potential partners
- Partner with philanthropy and businesses





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What do you think about this Big Idea?

- How can we design this process to achieve the most effective adaptation solutions?
- How can we engage all types of people in the conversation?
- How can we get the business community to participate and care about this issue?
- Can a whole region come together to develop a vision that works and can be funded?

