



NOAA in the Carolinas

A Regional *OneNOAA* Partnership

**2008 Annual Meeting
Beaufort, NC**



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Mission: Develop and use *OneNOAA* approach to work more efficiently and enhance NOAA products and services to region and nation.

Objectives:

- Understand and support *OneNOAA* vision and avenues for regional influence.
- Promote communication and integration of NOAA partners (inside and outside) and activities in the region – *BUILD A TEAM!!*
- Improve products, services, and public access.



NOAA in the Carolinas Activities

- Volunteer Steering Committee
- In-reach & Outreach
- Forge partnerships
- Develop new ideas and goals for better service

NESDIS: Adam Smith, NCDC – Asheville
NMFS: Aleta Hohn, NMFS Southeast Fisheries Science Center – Beaufort
NOS: Rebecca Ellin, NC NERR – Beaufort; David Evans, NOS NCCOS – Beaufort; Jeff Payne, CSC – Charleston, SC
NWS: Rich Bandy - Newport, NC; Mike Emlaw – Charleston, SC; John Feldt – Peachtree City, GA; Darin Figurskey - Raleigh, NC
OAR: Bob Bacon, SC Sea Grant; Andy Shepard, NOAA Undersea Research Center at UNCW; Michael Voiland, NC Sea Grant; Greg Zielinski, NC and SC Sea Grant Extension

2004-2005 Annual Meetings

2004 Wilmington, 26 Participants:

Overview of NOAA PPBES process; partnership project reports; identify new partnerships and outreach mechanisms



2005, NCDC, Asheville, NC, 37

participants: Plenary on *OneNOAA* by Vice Admiral's Chief of Staff; partnership project reports; define ideal *OneNOAA* project; identify new partnerships



PPBES Submission for 2009

Coastal Inland Flood Observation and Warning Project (CIFLOW)

Features of a OneNOAA Initiative:

- NOAA & regionally relevant across goal teams
- **Builds** capacity
- **Shares** leadership and resources (matrix of line offices, goals, external partners)
- **Leverages** & encourages new partners
- **Engages** end-users
- **Applies** cutting-edge science and technology approaches.





2007 Annual Meeting – Charleston, SC

- **Build team**

- Expanded invitations to other states and regions
- Over 70 attendees, largest to date
- Update on NOAA 200th Anniversary activities in the Carolinas



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- **Understand and support *OneNOAA* vision and avenues for regional influence:**
 - Introduction to NOAA regionalization and the Southeast and Caribbean Regional Team (SECART)
 - Then known as the South Atlantic Regional Team (SART)
 - Provide input into direction of regionalization, feedback on challenges and opportunities
- **Improve products/services:**
 - Beginning phases of support for CIFLOW (understand, enhance, promote, suggestions for use)



Coastal Services Center,
Charleston, SC



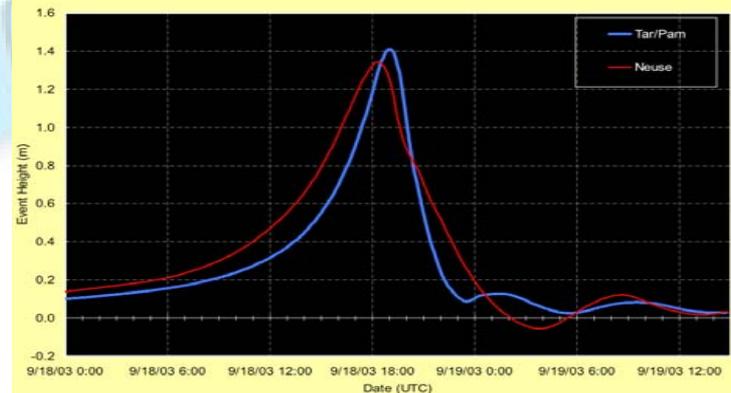
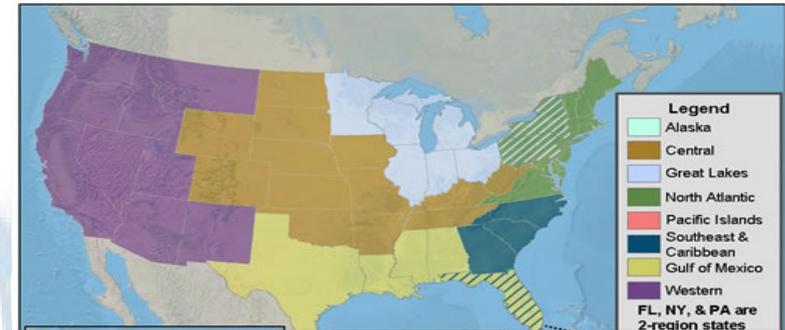
A Year's Accomplishments

• SECART Work Plan

- Breakout sessions from Charleston meeting resulted in significant contributions in formulation of the work plan
 - **8 of 13 items** in SECART workplan enhanced or developed in part from meeting breakouts
- Summary distributed to NinC mailing list in July

• CIFLOW

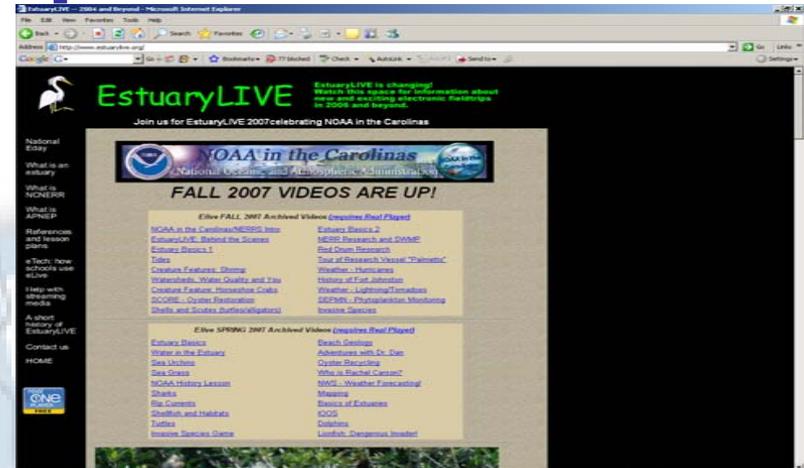
- Hydro model calibration
- Precipitation data archive to improve precipitation estimates
- Sea breeze research and Weather Research Forecasting (WRF) model application
- Sea Grant Extension Agent hiring
- September visits to Carolinas and D.C. to discuss updates, operational aspects, and outreach and extension opportunities



A Year's Accomplishments

- **NOAA 200th Anniversary**

- Estuary Live
 - <http://www.estuarylive.org/>
- Earth Day Activities in the Carolinas
- Hurricane Awareness Tour in Elizabeth City
- Seafood Festival
- Various other expos and shows



Meeting Objectives

- **CIFLOW update**
- **SECART**
 - *Status*
 - *How can NinC contribute?*
- **Ecosystem/Climate Connection**
 - *Keynote addresses to learn more*
 - *Potential new partnerships*
 - *Breakouts to address and understand at least part of this connection as it affects the SA-LME.*
 - *Diversity*



NOAA Beaufort Lab
Pivers Island, NC

Learn
Interact
Have fun



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National Oceanic and Atmospheric Administration



Internet Explorer browser window showing the Detroit Demolition website. The page title is "Detroit Demolition Official Website - Women's Tackle Football - About Us". The website header includes "INDEPENDENT WOMEN'S FOOTBALL LEAGUE" and navigation links for "Eastern Conference Teams" and "Western Conference Teams". The main content area features a "FOUR TIME CHAMPIONS" banner with a photo of players and a "DESTRUCTION MERCHANTS SHOP" link. A "ABOUT US" section describes the team as a "4 Time Champion" and provides details about their history and practices. A "SCOREBOARD" section shows the "Next Game" as "No Game Scheduled". The page also includes a "PHOTO GALLERY" and "SPONSORS" section with logos for Big Boy, J&J, and bright house.