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RESILIENT GREATER MIAMI & THE BEACHES

Preliminary Resilience
Assessment
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hello, miami

We are Resilient Greater Miami & the Beaches, a partnership of Miami-Dade County, and the cities of Miami and Miami Beach. We are the only city of the 100 Resilient Cities Network—pioneered by the Rockefeller Foundation—where multiple governments are collaborating to develop a collective voice that will, together, better allow us to plan, prepare, and respond to our community’s challenges. As part of this effort, we reached out to each of the 35 individual governments in the Greater Miami region to listen, learn, and incorporate input directly from community leaders, residents, and subject-matter experts.

Like many metropolitan areas, we recognize our transportation, housing, and socioeconomic challenges; however, we are also aware of the concerns associated with climate change, sea level rise, and other long-term issues. As Resilient Greater Miami & the Beaches, we are working to reduce and mitigate many of these difficulties because Miami, as we know it today, is our home as much as it is yours. As we continue this process, we continue to engage; we continue to invest. We thank our mayors, commissioners, and city managers whose leadership and support make this happen.












We are here to stay. We hope you are, too.

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welcome

This Preliminary Resilient Assessment (PRA) has been created by Greater Miami & the Beaches (GM&B) as part of 100 Resilient Cities (100RC) resilience planning process. It is the culmination of our first phase of listening to and learning from all of you—residents, businesses, and community organizations. It is the foundation for our next step and outlines our most important resilience priorities.

We hope you find this to be a great resource about resilience issues in Greater Miami & the Beaches. We invite to you continue on this journey with us over the next few months as we develop and prioritize actions to increase our resilience.

Participate locally through: www.resilient305.com

Learn more about the global effort at: www.100resilientcities.org

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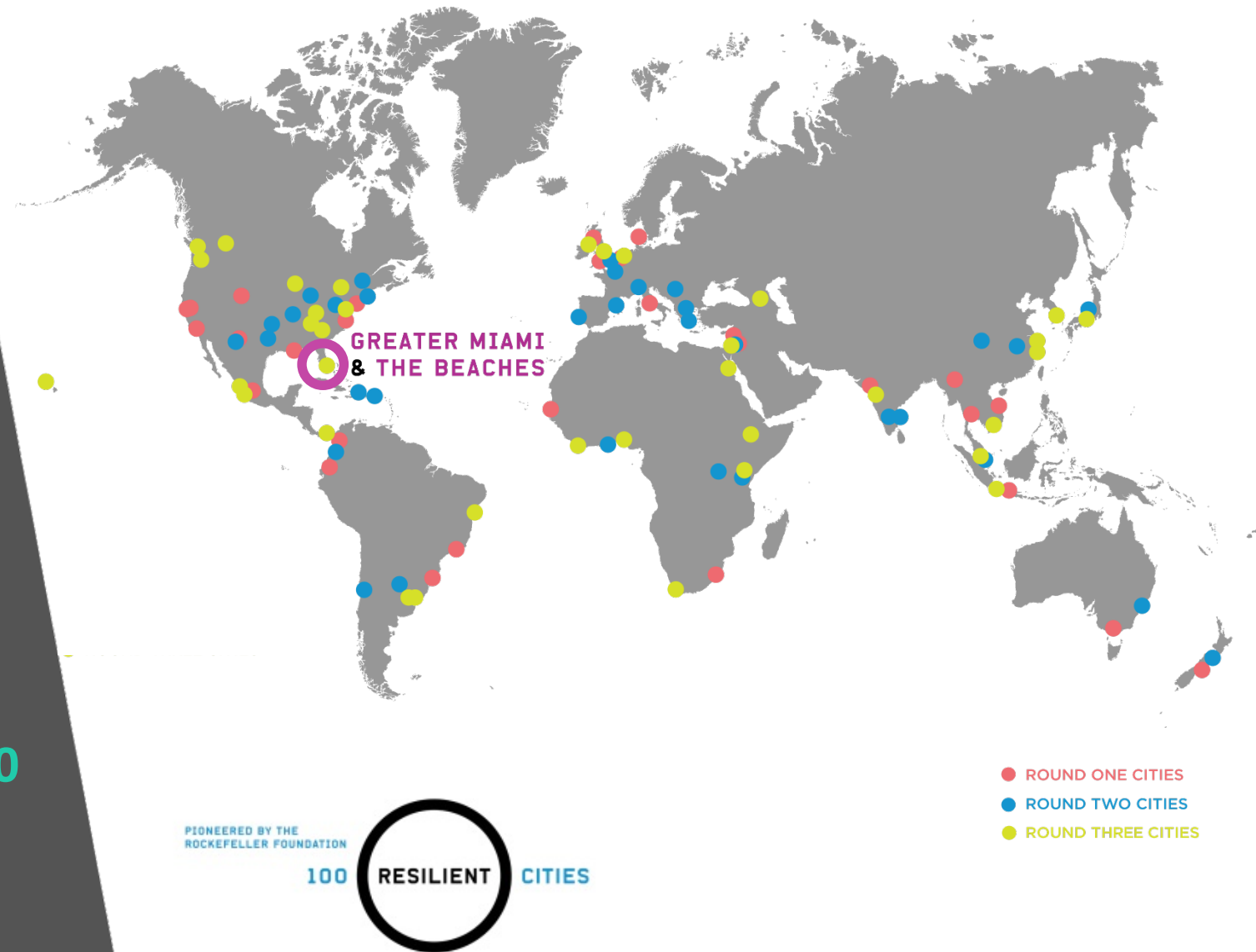


Introduction

100 Resilient Cities

A **\$100 million effort** launched by the **Rockefeller Foundation** in 2013 to help cities **build resilience to social, economic, and physical challenges**. To respond to impacts of **urbanization, globalization, and climate change**.

The Resilient Cities Network is comprised of **100 cities spanning 40 countries and 27 languages**.



Introduction

Greater Miami & the Beaches

Resilient GM&B is a **collaboration among Miami-Dade County, City of Miami, and City of Miami Beach**, created to respond to the region's major challenges.

In 2016, after a very competitive process of more than 400 applicants, GM&B was selected to join 100RC. **With the support of 100RC, we are creating your resilience strategy!**



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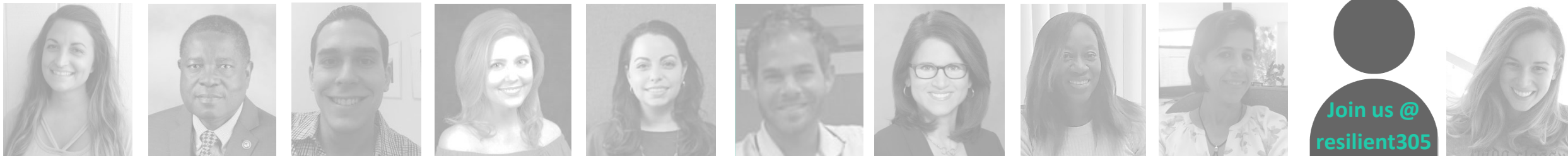
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Meet some of our team members; join our efforts.



Chief Resilience Officers

Deputy Resilience Officers



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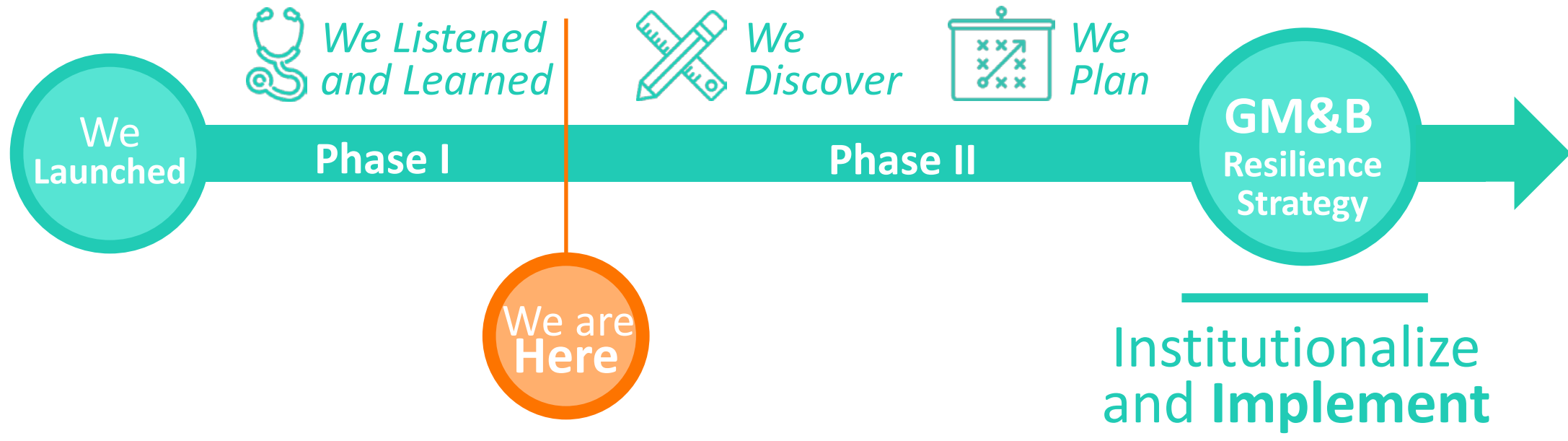
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Our Process

Fall **2016**

Summer **2017**

Fall **2018**



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Structure

Miami-Dade County, the **City of Miami**, and the **City of Miami Beach** are working together in a partnership of equals to address their common and overlapping resilience challenges and opportunities.





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GOVERNANCE

Miami-Dade County has a strong mayor form of government. The mayor serves as the chief executive and the Commission is the legislative body.

The **City of Miami** has an executive mayor who appoints a city manager as the chief administrative officer. The Commission is the legislative body.

The **City of Miami Beach** has a council-manager system, where the mayor and six commissioners set city policy and the city manager is the chief executive.





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FINANCIAL HEALTH

GM&B is **strong financially**.
Balanced budgeting/sound fiscal
policy is a priority of current executive
leadership in each jurisdiction.

For all three jurisdictions, **property
taxes are very large sources of
revenue**. This reliance on property
taxes means that GM&B's revenue was
hit hard by the housing market crash in
2008, but has since steadily recovered.





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PLANNING

Each jurisdiction has a Planning Department and engages in **comprehensive, functional, and special topic planning**.

The comprehensive plan is the core planning process for each of the three jurisdictions and includes **short- and long-term economic, social, physical, environmental, and fiscal goals**.

All three entities are integrating resilience in their next comprehensive plan updates.

