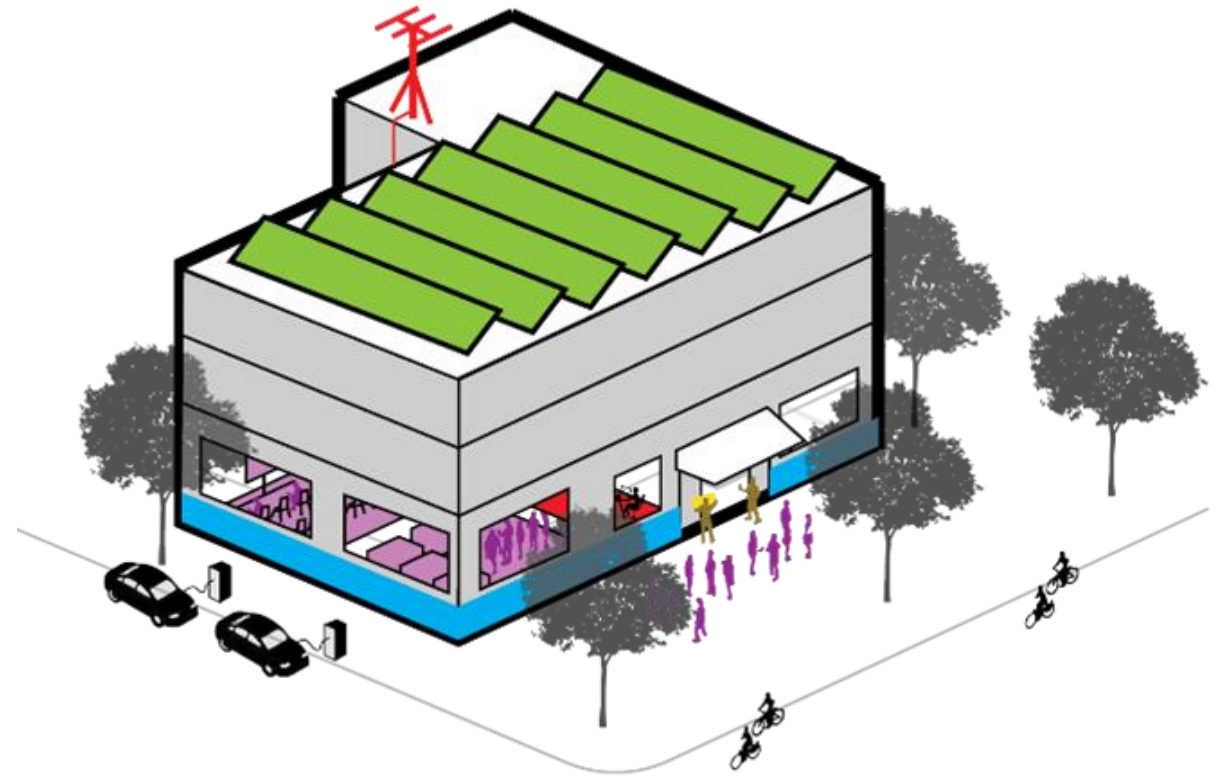


# Resilience Hub Community of Practice

June 17, 2026  
12 – 1:00 p.m.



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## In the chat...

- Name
- Organization
- Favorite summer treat

# Agenda



12:00 – 12:10 | **Welcome & Recap**



12:10 – 12:30 | **Resilience Hub Matrix**



12:30 – 12:50 | **Group Discussion**



12:50 – 1:00 | **What's Next?**



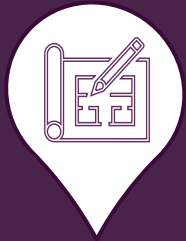
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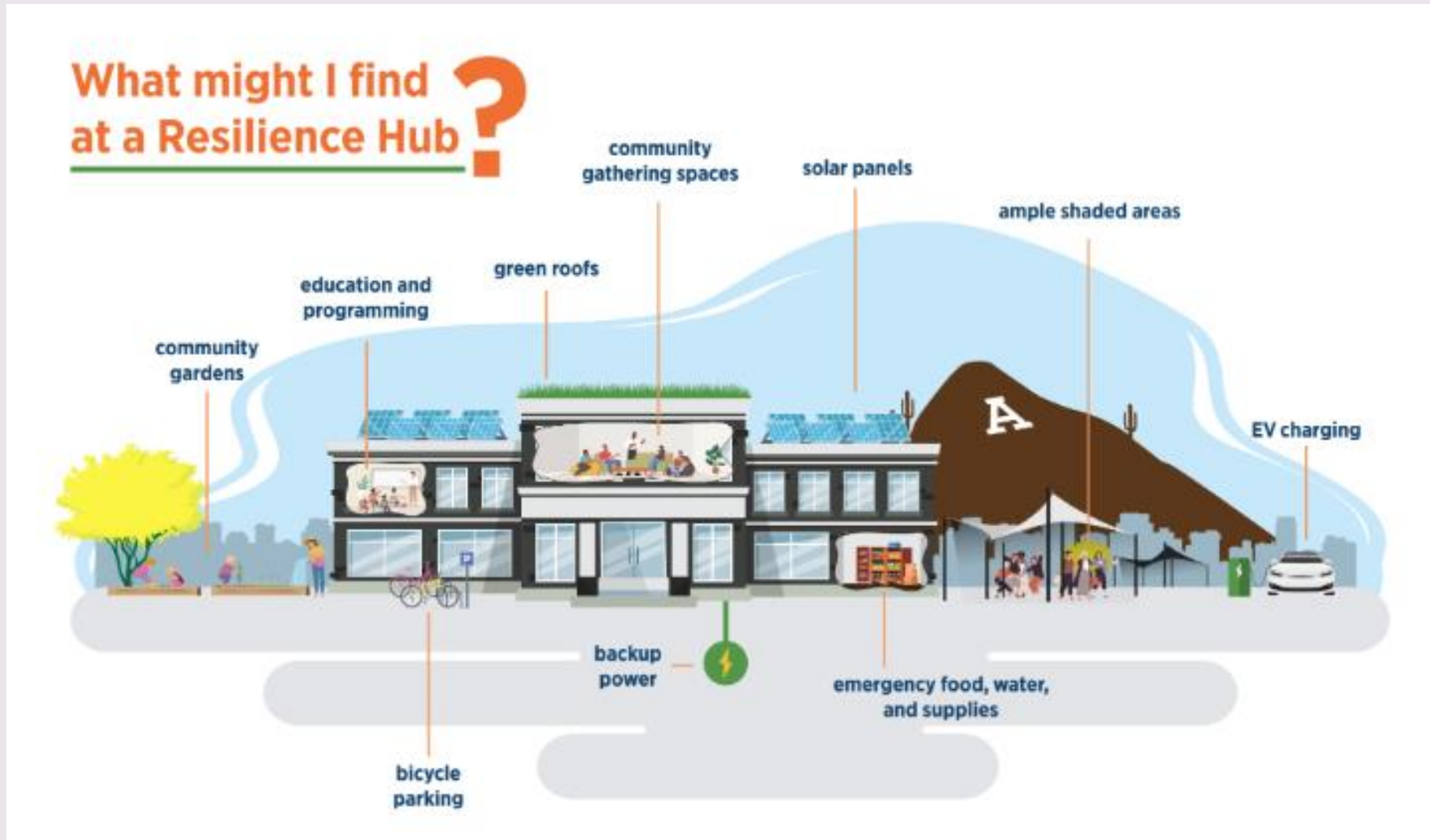
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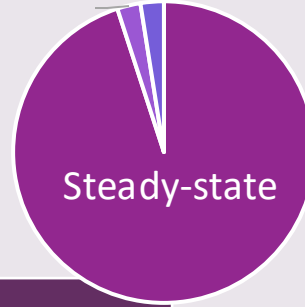
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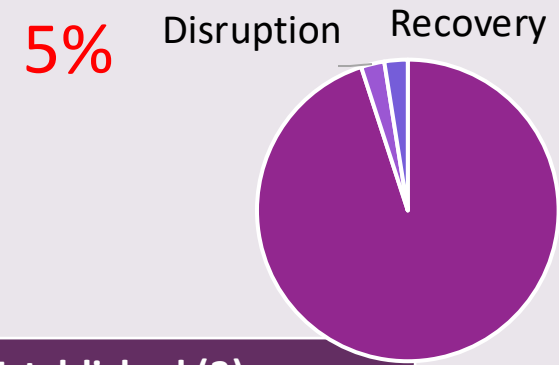
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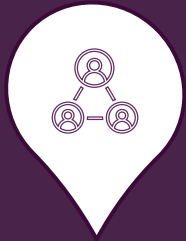


Where DOEE & HSEMA can support

# Resilience Matrix

Please share in the chat where your organization is in the Resilience Matrix.

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# Group Discussion

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*Share your thoughts!*

- What are your organization's resilience goals?
- What tangible resources can DOEE/HSEMA provide to help you achieve these goals?
- What challenges can the CoP help you address or think through?

# Roles



## Mission

- Protect residents and the environment to the impacts of climate change.

## Role with Hubs

- Support community organizations to become resilience hubs through guidance and technical assistance.
- Connect to clean energy grants and opportunities.



## Mission

- All-hazards approach to District-wide preparedness and interagency coordination.

## Role with Hubs

- Coordinate/deliver equitable emergency response and recovery services.
- Connect to trainings on resilient communications and operations planning.

# What is a Community Resilience Hub?

- Community-defined, community-led, equity-driven
- Can be a physical facility or group of facilities that coordinate on emergency response (hub and spokes)
- Trusted ward- or neighborhood-based space

## What does a resilience hub do?

- Serves the local community with year-round programming and services that build resilience
- Provides community with support during emergencies (climate-related and others)
  - Support/response may range from information sharing to on-site recovery operations.

**Disaster Recovery Centers (DRCs) are **NOT** resilience hubs.**

DRCs:

- District government facilities (e.g., recreation centers, libraries)
- Activated for immediate recovery operations; short-term presence (1-30 days)
- May provide: information/resource distribution, mass sheltering/feeding, cooling/warming, etc.



# What's next?

**Participation** in the Community of Practice (CoP) helps build the District's resilience hub network.

**WHO SHOULD PARTICIPATE?**

- Community partners who are interested in or are already:
  - Operating a resilience hub
  - Advising a resilience hub
  - Interested in establishing a hub
  - Offering programming/services that address community needs
  - Offering a physical space to be utilized as a resilience hub open to the public

**HOW DO I PARTICIPATE?**

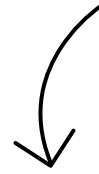
- Join quarterly CoP calls to:
  - Build relationships with local community partners
  - Share out progress and lessons learned
  - Get updates and resources from District government
- Schedule one-on-one consultations with District government:
  - Technical assistance such as reviewing resilience hub strategy, participating in an equity advisory group, reviewing emergency operations plans, touring sites, reviewing resilient design ideas, and more

# What's next?

- Continued CoP outreach and one-on-one consultations
- 2026 CoP Schedule
  - March 18
  - June 17
  - **September 16**
  - December 16

**Thank you**

Email us to schedule a  
one-on-one consultation!



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