

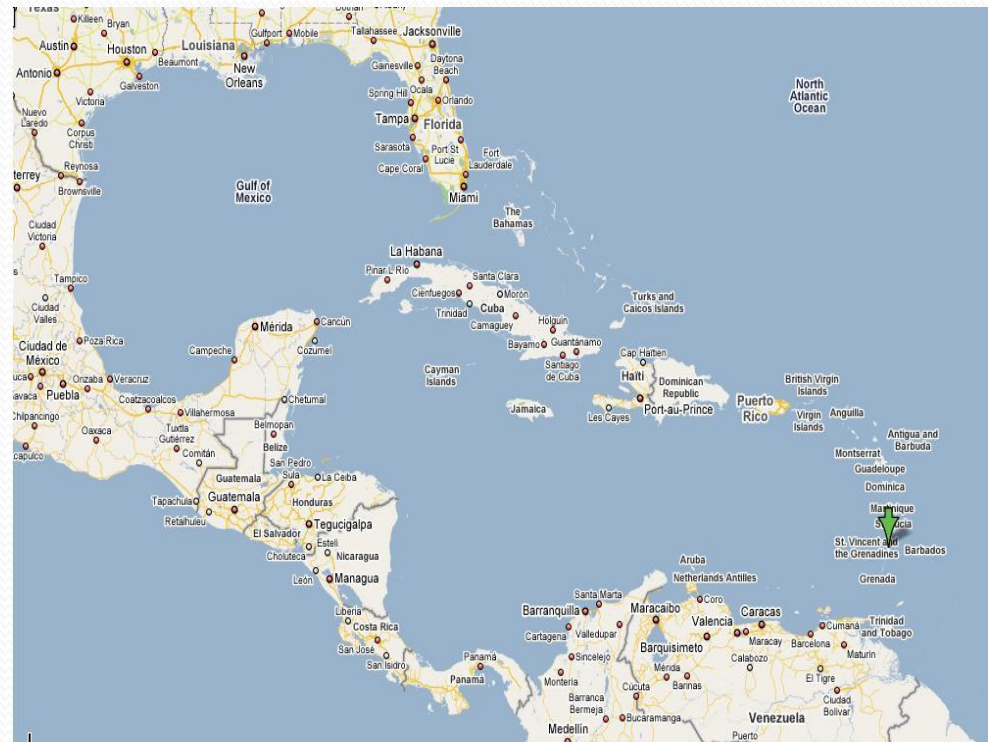
St. Vincent and the Grenadines

Building resilience through strengthening of stakeholders

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St. Vincent and the Grenadines

- Population 110,000;
- Size: 148 square miles- 32 Cays (7 inhabited);
- At least one (1) intense weather event in the last six (6) years;
- Average of 15% of GDP impact;
- Loss of life and crops, damage to beaches and tourism plants



Institutional arrangement

Parliament



Cabinet



Ministry of Finance



Ministry of Economic Planning, etc.



Line Ministries

National Economic and Social Development Plan (NESDP)



Goal 4: Improving Physical Infrastructure , Preserving the Environment and Building resilience to Climate Change

- Goal 4.5: To enhance the capability to prepare effectively for, respond to, and mitigate disasters.
- Goal 4.10: To reduce the adverse impacts of Climate change

All ministries MUST incorporate DRR and CCA in annual corporate plans

Coordinating CCA and DRR

Ministry of Economic Planning, Sustainable Development, etc.

- Monitoring and evaluation of all projects
- Support Coordination between sectors
- Provide fiduciary services (Funding agencies)

Challenges

- Marrying climate change and disaster risk management;
- Continuous island wide risk assessments;
- Mitigation measures;
- Improving our preparedness;

Institutional strengthening

- 4.2 Upgrading the road network



- 4.5 Relocating vulnerable communities



How can we
get more
help in
mitigation
the
impacts?

Thank you

