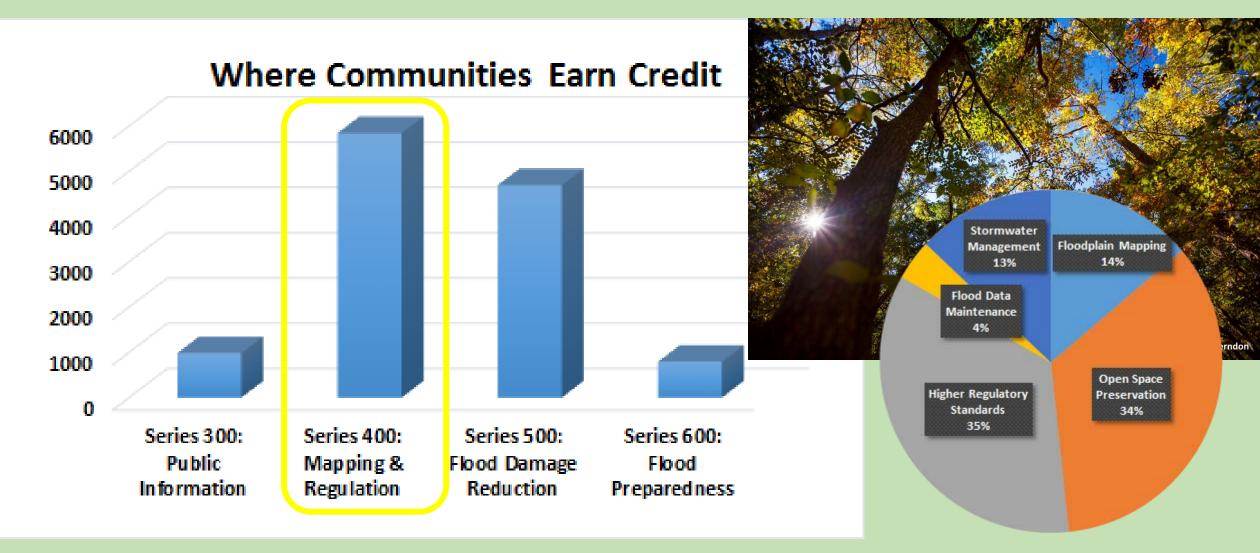
# **Community Rating System Explorer**

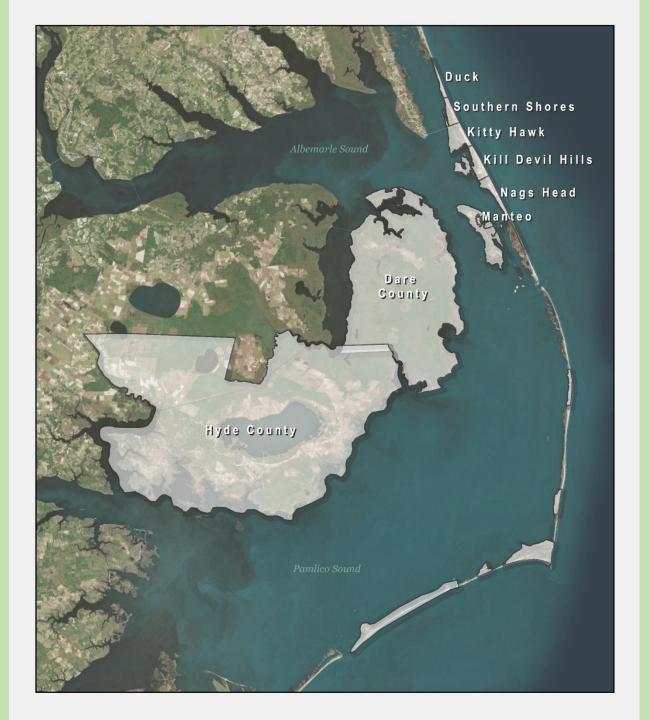




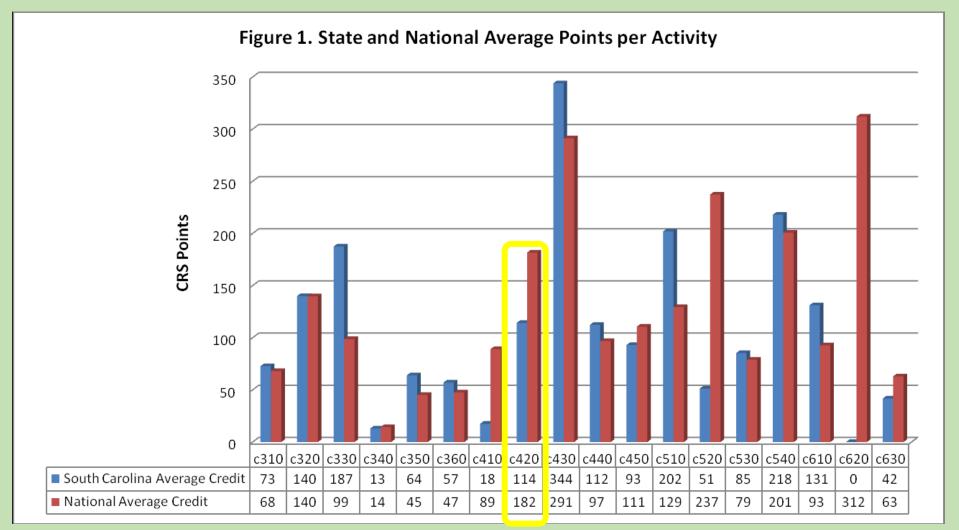
#### Sarah Hartman, Director of Conservation, TNC

### **Benefit of Increasing OSP Credit**





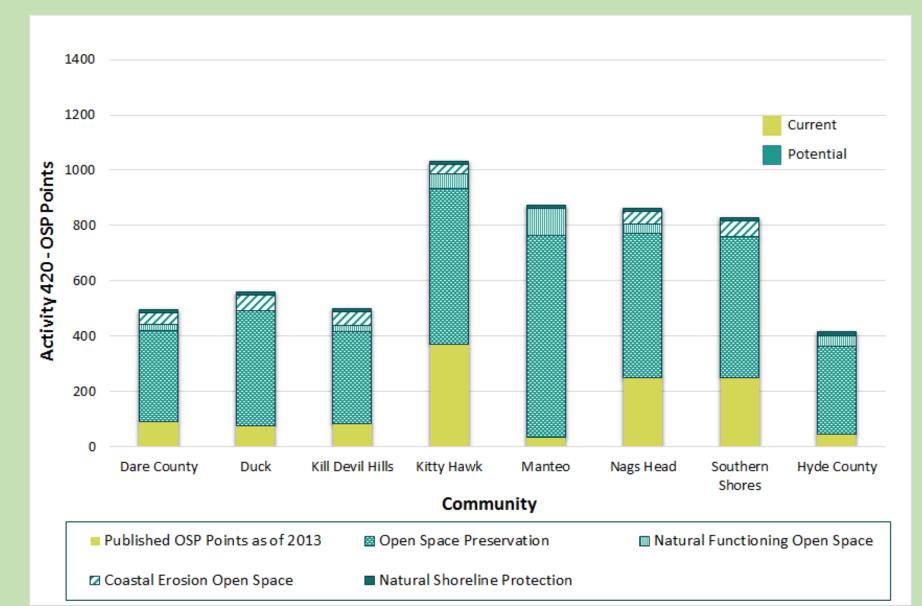
# 2014 NFIP CRS State Profile: South Carolina



The Nature Conservancy

#### **NC Dare and Hyde Counties**

#### Average of **546** currently eligible OSP points identified per community!



# Which CRS Tool Does My Community Need?

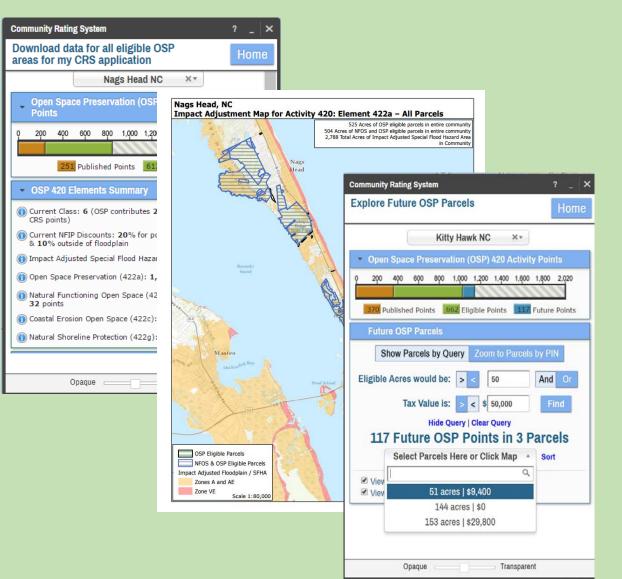
My Community is:	CRS Tool
New to CRS	ASFPM and CSO Green Guide
Ready to ID land that qualifies for Activity 420 Open Space Preservation (OSP)	NOAA How to Guide & GIS Workflow
Looking to increase OSP and communicate OSP benefit	TNC CRS Explorer
Is maxed out for OSP BUT are looking for other areas to increase our CRS scores	Climate Central's Surging Seas CRS Guide

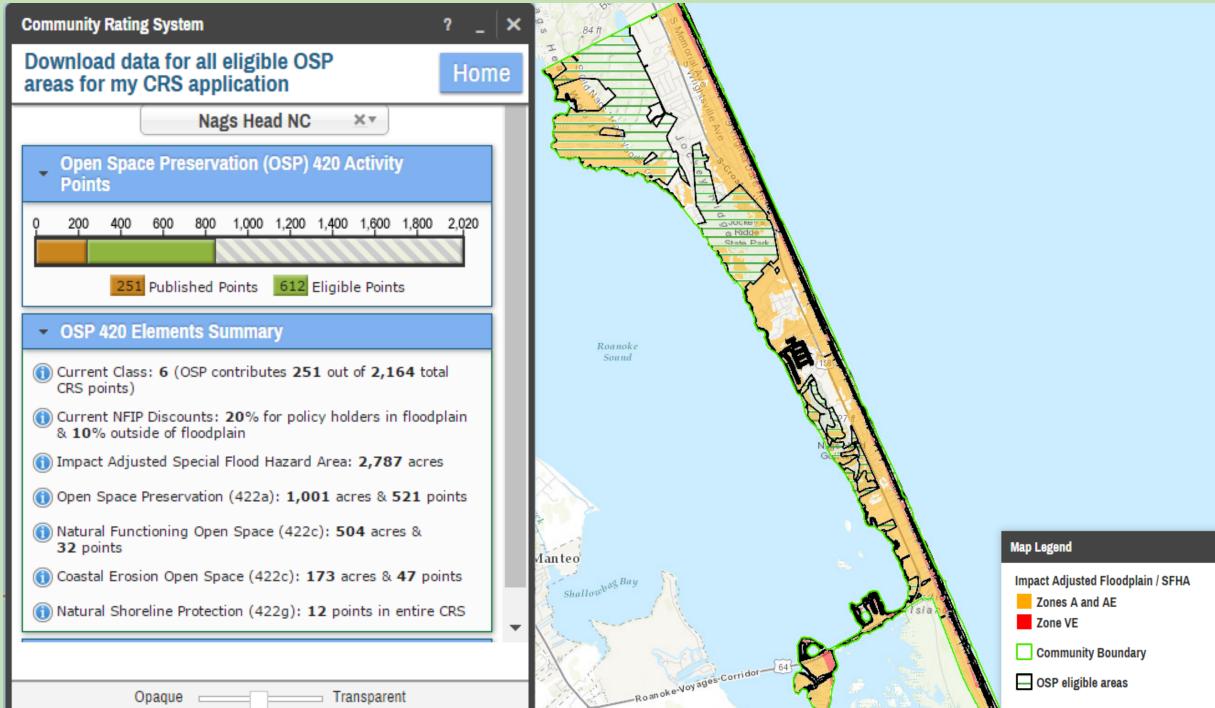


# **CRS Explorer Tool**



- Online map and point graph
- Downloadable maps for CRS application & review
- Look-up individual contributing parcels
- <u>Assists with identifying future</u> open space in the floodplain
  - By querying currently unprotected parcels based on tax value and/or potential OSP point contribution





Community Rating System What would you like to do?	Community Rating System ? _ 2	Kitty Hawk, NC - PIN: 987509156572
Download data for all eligible OSP a CRS application	Explore Future OSP Parcels Home	Owner Type:     Private       Current Land Use:     Vacant Land (Private)       Tax Value:     9400       Future OSP Eligible Acreage:     51.27
Eind and Print a Parcel by PIN Explore Future OSP Parcels	Kitty Hawk NC X	Future OSP Points: 17.22 Deed Book Page: NA Deed Date: NA
	<ul> <li>Open Space Preservation (OSP) 420 Activity Points</li> </ul>	
	0 200 400 600 800 1,000 1,200 1,400 1,600 1,800 2,020	
	370 Published Points 662 Eligible Points 117 Future Points	
	Future OSP Parcels	
	Show Parcels by Query Zoom to Parcels by PIN	
	Eligible Acres would be: > < 50 And Or	
	Tax Value is:<	
	Hide Query   Clear Query	
	<b>117 Future OSP Points in 3 Parcels</b>	
	Select Parcels Here or Click Map A Sort	
	✓ View         51 acres   \$9,400           144 acres   \$0	Kitty Nawk
	153 acres   \$29,800	Future OSP Parcel Currently Eligible OSP Areas Impact Adjusted Floodplain / SFHA
		Zones A and AE Zone VE 1:10,400
	Opaque Transparent	



### Considerations

Need	<ul> <li>Currently a CRS Community?</li> <li>Do you have room to improve in the OSP activity?</li> <li>Built out vs. undeveloped land</li> <li>Any land use or management planning process you can influence?</li> </ul>
Capacity	<ul> <li>Data availability <ul> <li>Parcel data up to date and complete? Land Use/Type attributes</li> </ul> </li> <li>Need a Data Manager/GIS lead (**Use NOAA's How to Guide): <ul> <li>Collect, compile, and format spatial data</li> <li>ArcGIS 10.0 or above license</li> <li>Community Data Import Model - Ability to open and interact with ArcToolbox.tbx</li> </ul> </li> </ul>
What CRS Explorer Does Not Do:	<ul> <li>Is not a final analysis or score</li> <li>Identify points for other CRS elements</li> </ul>



#### Where can I get more information?

#### **TNC's CRS Explorer Tool:**

maps.coastalresilience.org/northcarolina

coastalresilience.org/project/community-rating-system-explorer

coastalresilience.org/project/open-space/

**Complementary CRS Resources:** 

ASFPM and CSO's "Green Guide"

**NOAA's Guide "**How-To Map Open Space Preservation for Community Rating System Credits"

**<u>Climate Central's Surging Seas CRS Guide</u>**