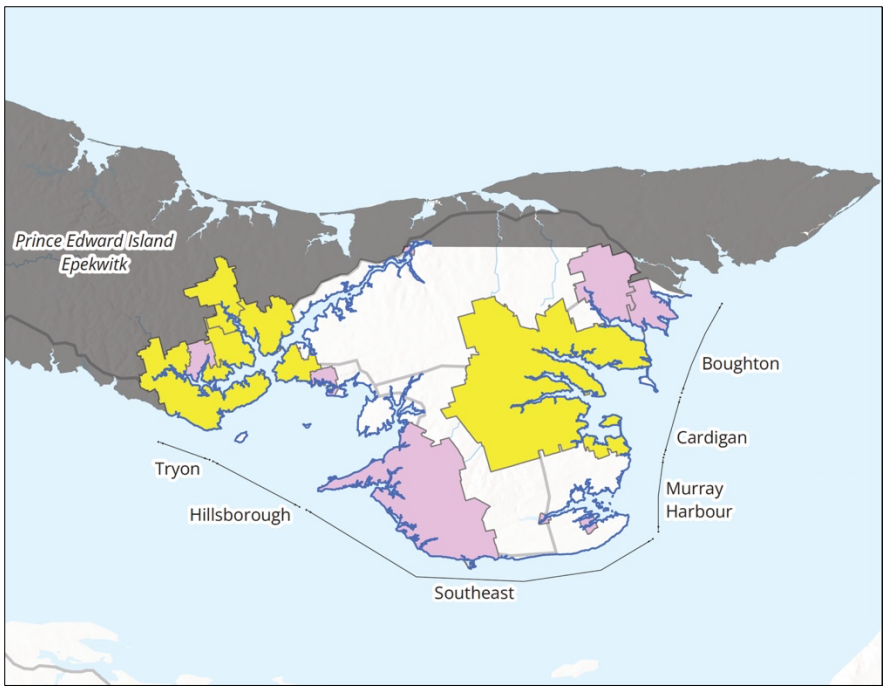
PEI Shoreline Management Plan Questionnaire - Fall 2026

This questionnaire looks at a stretch of the shoreline that you have selected. The feedback will help the project team to identify and confirm what's important to the community about the shore, including specific spots people care about. This will guide our recommendations for responding to coastal hazards like erosion and flooding for each shoreline area and help identify what matters most for PEI's shoreline overall.

LINK
https://arcg.is/0Hyfrm0

For the purposes of this questionnaire, "shore" broadly represents areas adjacent to the water, including beaches, cliffs, bluffs, and other land areas under marine influence, with a specific focus on the 15m buffer area. Completed surveys can be sent to shorelines@we6planning.com.

1. **What section of the southeast shore is of particular interest to you? Describe or mark on the map.**



2. **What do you value most about this local shoreline area? Rank in order of importance to you, with 1 being the most important.**

- ☐ Gathering or harvesting traditional medicines
- ☐ Fishing or harvesting seafood
- ☐ Spiritual connection
- ☐ Waterfront land/property
- ☐ Tourism/recreation
- ☐ Water activities
- ☐ Scenery/views
- ☐ Livelihood, jobs
- ☐ Physical/mental health
- ☐ Wildlife/ natural habitat
- ☐ Access to the beach/walking along the beach

3. **What places within this local shoreline area are important to you?**

If you are comfortable sharing, please share and tell us why. Include as many places as you feel necessary and be as specific as you feel comfortable. Additional space is provided at the end of the questionnaire.

4. **Where do you access the shore within this area? If you walk along the shore, where do you walk?**

If you are comfortable, please provide as many answers as necessary. Additional space is provided at the end of the questionnaire.

5. **What changes have you seen around the shores in your area?**

This can be along the beach, offshore, or areas onshore that are near the coast. These may be both resulting from natural events or from human activity. Include as many places as you feel necessary and please be as specific as possible. Additional space is provided at the end of the questionnaire.

6. **What coastal area are you the most concerned about?**

Please tell us why and be as specific as possible. Additional space is provided at the end of the questionnaire.

7. **Select what best describes your situation (check one answer):**

- ☐ Year-round resident on waterfront property
- ☐ Seasonal resident on waterfront property
- ☐ Owner of undeveloped waterfront lot
- ☐ Beach user
- ☐ Work on or near the shore/ocean
- ☐ Responsible for infrastructure near shore
- ☐ Other (please describe)

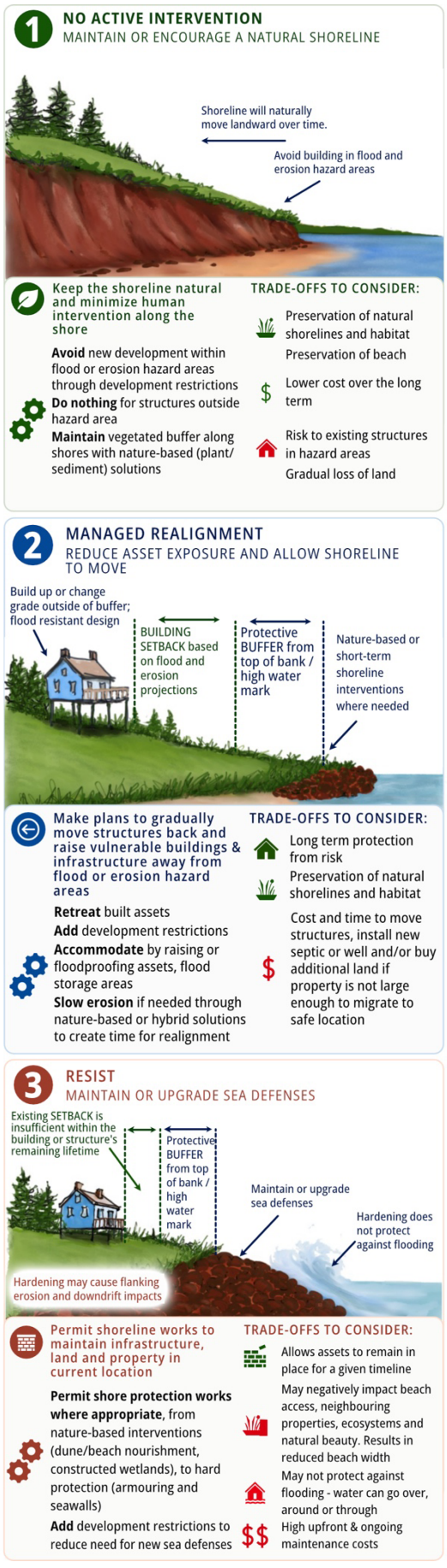
8. **Considering the pros and cons in the image, rank management approaches that you deem important for the shoreline management unit of interest, in order of preference, with 1 being the most important.**

   - ☐ No Active Intervention
   - ☐ Managed Realignment
   - ☐ Resist

9. **How do you rank the following priorities for your shoreline unit in the long term, 1 being the highest priority)?**

   - ☐ Protect public access to and along the beach
   - ☐ Maintaining the beauty of the natural landscape
   - ☐ Protecting people from the safety risks associated with erosion and flooding hazards
   - ☐ Protecting natural habitat
   - ☐ Protecting livelihood related to the shore
   - ☐ Protecting public infrastructure (roads, buildings)
   - ☐ Protecting individual properties from the effects of erosion
   - ☐ Protecting individual properties from the effects of flooding, storm surge and sea level rise

10. **Would you like to share any other comments about the shoreline or use of the shoreline in this area or the shoreline management plan process?**



Additional thoughts: