The All Bay Collective Toolkit

Cities that face climate change impacts need to build collaboration through community-centered collaboration. To work with communities around San Leandro Bay in the Resilient by Design Bay Area Challenge, the All Bay Collective developed a three-part toolkit consisting of a board game, an equity checklist, and a quadruple bottom line framework.
In It Together

This fun but serious game brings stakeholders together around a map of the Estuary to cooperatively explore adaptation strategies, weigh their tradeoffs, and achieve greater local resilience.

In this game, players role-play diverse stakeholders and initiate adaptation actions (such as living levees, tidal cities, and community land trusts) by placing corresponding pieces on a map of the Oakland Estuary. As the rounds advance, so too does flooding, taxing players if flood waters reach unprotected buildings or infrastructure. Players can compete (to individually accomplish their goals) or cooperate (to achieve a win-win solution by scoring ‘Collective Resilience Points’).

ABC has co-created, played, and refined In It Together with agency and community representatives around San Leandro Bay.