

**Hurricane Sandy Coastal Resiliency Research** – A [story map](#) was developed to tell the story of coastal resiliency research in four parks that were affected by Hurricane Sandy. The story map provides text, videos, and maps, about the scientific research projects that were funded by the Department of the Interior to better understand the effects of Hurricane Sandy on these parks, the resilience of natural systems, and how to better prepare for future storms.

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### Hurricane Sandy, October 2012

The following four National Parks along the northeastern U.S. coast were significantly affected by Hurricane Sandy, which made landfall in New Jersey on October 29, 2012:

- *Assateague Island National Seashore, VA & MD*
- *Cape Cod National Seashore, MA*
- *Fire Island National Seashore, NY*
- *Gateway National Recreation Area, NY & NJ*

These four parks (see red areas on map to right) received funding from the Department of the Interior and are conducting scientific research to better understand the effects of the hurricane, the resilience of natural systems, and how to better prepare for future storms.

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