Dear Participant,

You are Invited to an international seminar on **Climate Impact and Risk Awareness working together with Integrated Coastal Zone Management (ICZM)** powered by the **SUSCOD project**.

Thursday 3 th September 2013; 12:30 – 1600 h

The seminar will be held at **Best Western Hotel Jens Baggesen**, Batterivej 3-5, 4220 Korsør, Danmark.

Integrated Coastal Zone Management (ICZM) aims for the coordinated application of the different policies affecting the coastal zone and related to activities such as nature protection, aquaculture, fisheries, agriculture, industrial activities, off shore wind energy, shipping, tourism, development of infrastructure and mitigation and adaptation to climate change.

Region Zealand has since 2009 participated in the **SUSCOD project** under Intereg IVB North Sea Programme.

It will contribute to sustainable development of coastal zones by the application of an approach that respects the limits of natural resources and ecosystems, the so-called 'ecosystem based approach'.

In accordance with the approved application for **SUSCOD**, Region Zealand coordinates Work Package 5 "**Climate Impact & Risk awareness**".

One of the main outcomes in WP 5 has been the regional analysis, which provides a basic instrument for a much needed regional debate among regional decision makers – primarily the 17 municipalities in the region.

An expert seminar is an opportunity to initiate such a debate.

The participants are expected to be primarily the municipalities within Region Zealand, Danish organizations, agencies and private companies involved within the field of coastal protection and climate change and the international partners.

A board of **national and international experts** has been asked to evaluate, review and answer questions on the **ICZM** assistant and **Climate Impact & Risk awareness** at the seminar and debate with the participants.

We would like to welcome you at the seminar in **Korsør** on the 3 th September 2013.

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Programme

Time: 3th September 2013

10:00	Workshop **ICZM Assistant** trainer to trainer (not mandatory for attending the seminar)
11:45	Welcome and registration, including Lunch
12:30	Political opening of the meeting (The mayor of Slagelse Municipality **Lis Tribler)**
12:45	Presentation of SUSCOD and work packets Climate Impact and Risk awareness by **Mikkel Østergård**
13:00	Presentation of results and cases from Belgian, Holland, Scotland and Denmark about key issues: Simulation and visualization, Assessment, challenge, Coast Towns and Awareness Coffee break
14:15	Presentation of the ICZM Assistant and it's potentials by **Alexandra Benning**, Province of North-Holland
14:30	Moderator **Bjarne Rasmussen** leads us through the 4 international experts make evaluation and debate on Climate impact and risk Awareness working together white Integrated Coastal Zone Management.
15:30	Closing arguments/discussions
16:00	International seminar finish

ICZM Assessments and workshop

Within the Assistant you can fill out two different questionnaires to see where you stand on ICZM and which knowledge might need deepening. By answering ten questions, the ICZM Quick Scan shows in a fun and easy way what kind of ICZM type you are and what you might need to improve to get even more ICZM experienced. The more extensive ICZM Assessment gives customised information on how to improve a project or policy and how to apply the eight principles of ICZM. It identifies the strength sand weaknesses of your initiative and recommends helpful case studies, documents, web links and coastal professionals that will help projects become even more ICZM proof. Within the ICZM Assistant you can share and acquire knowledge and experiences from other (similar) coastal related projects ánd professionals around Europe. Register now on **www.ICZMassistant.eu** or join the workshop.

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Confirmation of participation must be mailed to Mikkel Østergård (mo@regionsjaelland.dk) before the 22th August 2013. Capacity is limited, so sign up now!

Any questions can also be addressed to the same e-mail address. If you participate in the workshop please take a computer and possibly your project.

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