

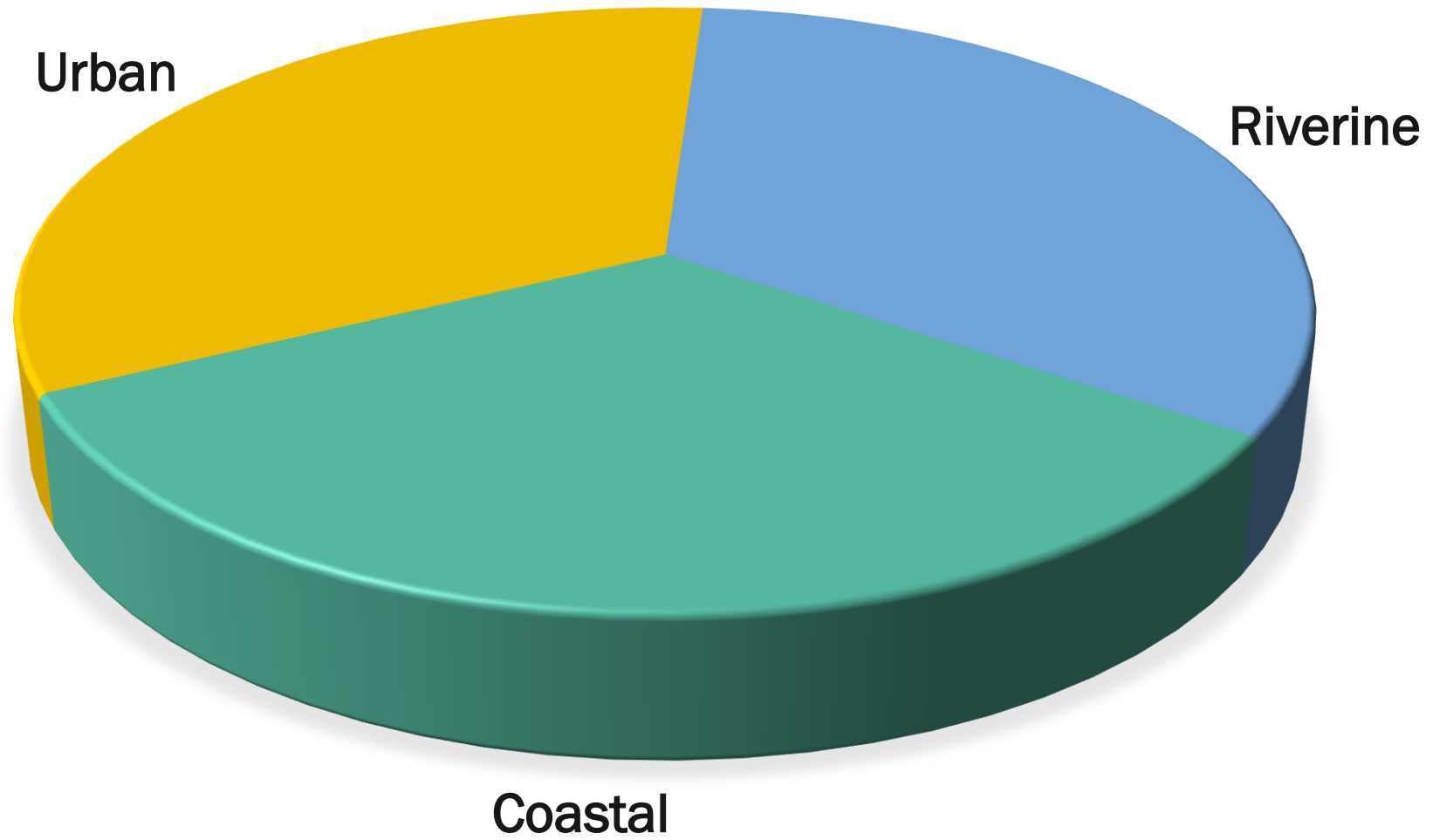
An aerial photograph of a city skyline, likely Atlanta, Georgia, showing a major river (the Chattahoochee River) that has flooded significantly. The water is murky brown and has inundated large areas of green space and a multi-lane highway. In the background, a dense cluster of skyscrapers forms the city's skyline under a clear sky. The foreground shows a mix of greenery, trees, and urban infrastructure, including a large building with a distinctive blue roof on the right side.

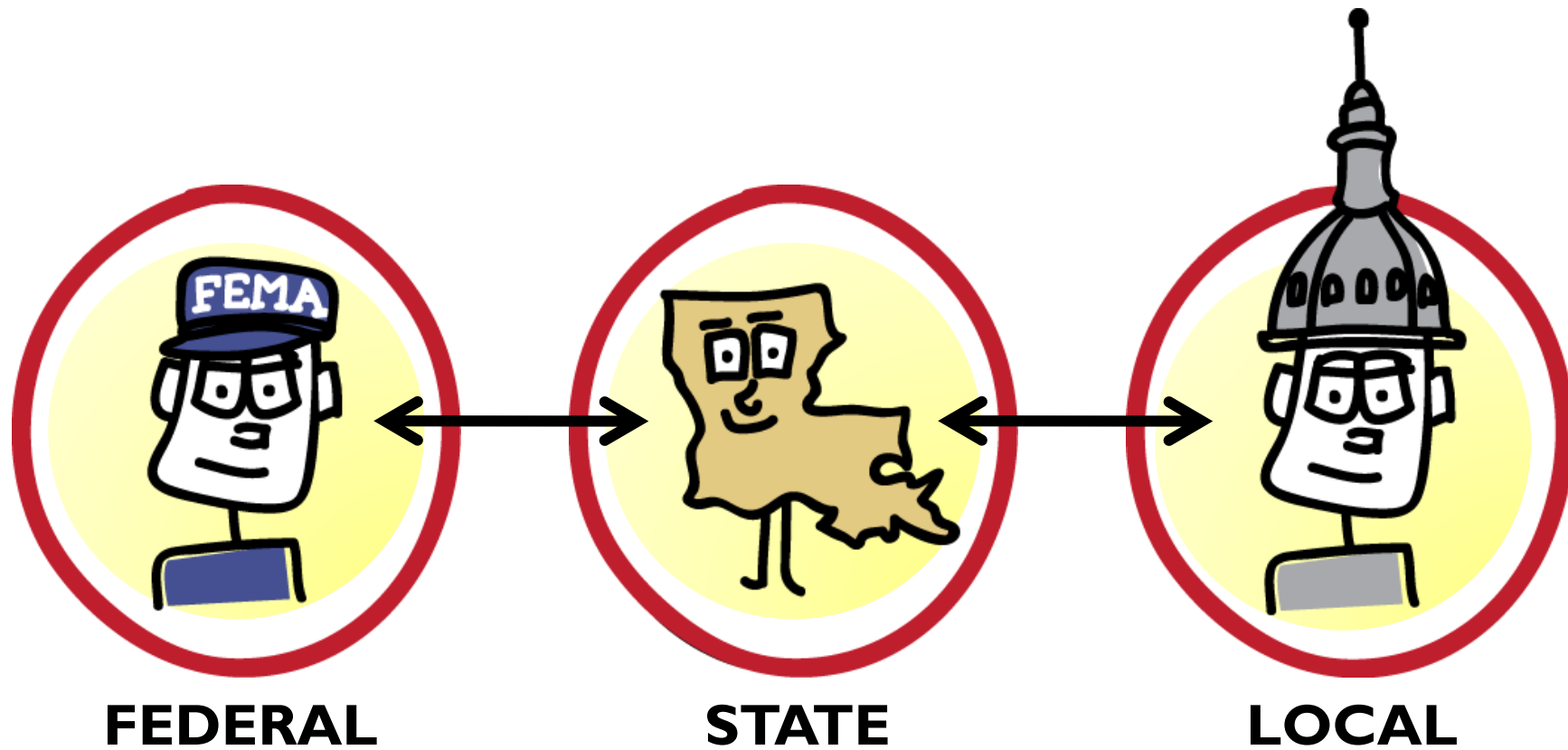
Urban Flooding is in the Spotlight

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**A snapshot of what's going on with
flooding risk in urban areas.**



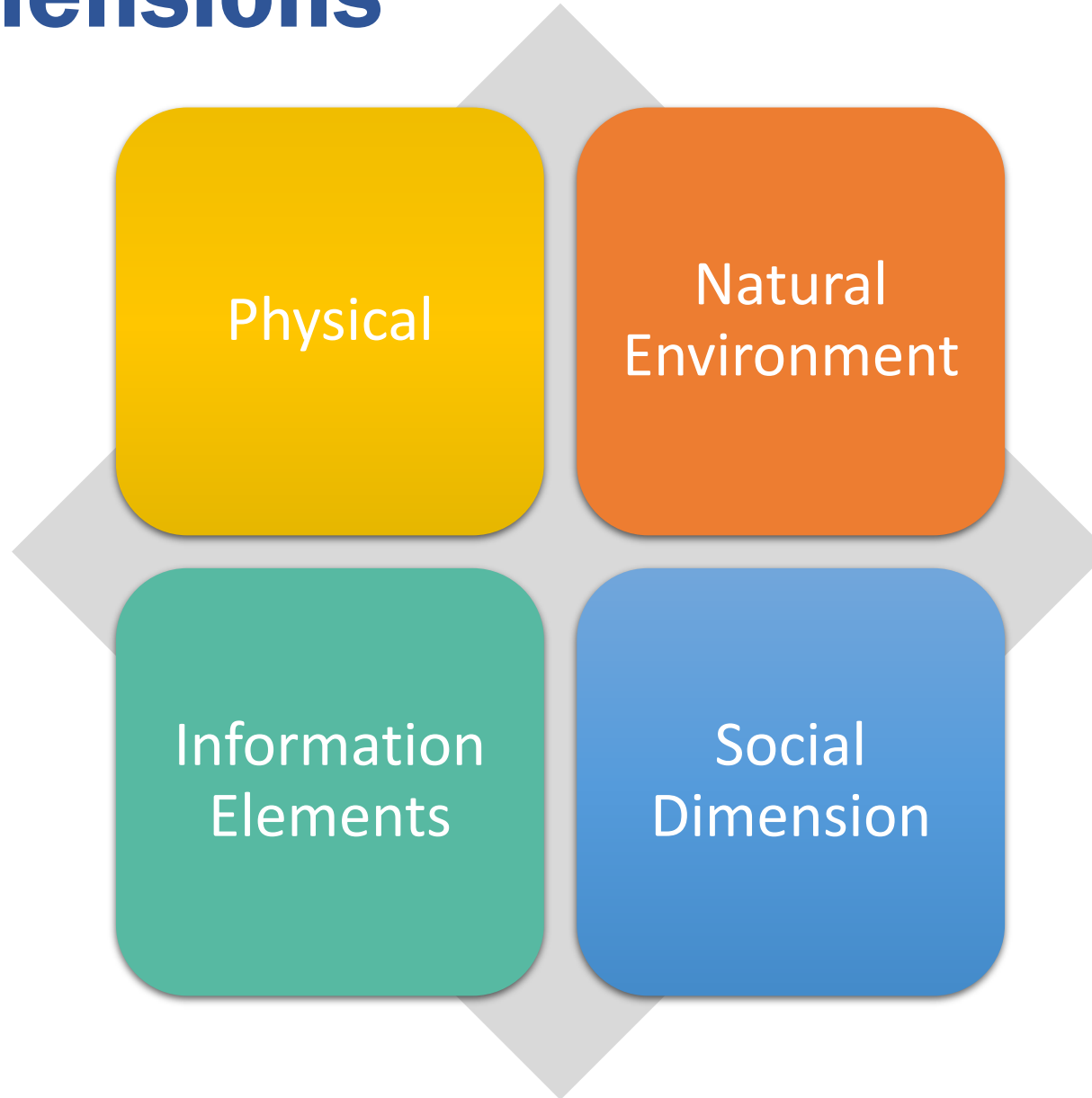


Each level of government from the local to the federal has a role in analyzing and coping with flooding in the increasingly dense populated areas.



**The NAS Report will be organized around four cities
the expert committee visited.**

The 4 Dimensions





The National Academy is very interested in presenting its findings and in ongoing collaboration on the topic and further investigations.