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The Devastating Power of Tsunamis & What They Mean for the Coastal U.S.

Tsunamis, and resulting inundation, can wreak havoc on coastal communities in the U.S.—placing lives and property at risk.

This virtual briefing will highlight the science of tsunamis, their effects on coastlines and coastal communities, and how science and communities can work together to minimize human and economic losses. The briefing will also explore federal tsunami policy, including the national tsunami hazard mitigation program.

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