Middle Georgia Regional Commission
Serving the Communities of Middle Georgia
Vulnerabilities

ó Natural: tornadoes, thunderstorm winds, flooding

ó Economic: lack of diversification in local economies

ó Dependence on Robins Air Force Base, potential for BRAC
Actions to Build Resilience

- Pre-Disaster Mitigation Planning
- Changing Investment Priorities
  - Central Georgia Joint Development Authority
- Planning for Economic Diversification
  - Middle Georgia…Growing Strong
  - RAFB Readiness Analysis
  - Economic Development Planning
Success Story

- CGJDA purchasing 200+ encroachment properties
- Pre-Disaster Mitigation Planning
- Inaugural class of the Middle Georgia Regional Leadership Champions commissioned August 2015
The Role of Partnerships
Looking Toward the Future

- Consider second round of RAFB Readiness Analysis
- Application for second year of OEA funding for Middle Georgia...Growing Strong project
- Look at potential uses for encroachment properties
- Continue regular updates to Pre-Disaster Mitigation Plans
- Update Regional Plan and Comprehensive Economic Development Strategy to include economic resiliency.