Potential future tidal wetlands and mudflats/open water at 4.7 ft SLR, versus areas currently within tidal wetland elevation range (see legend for details)

Sixes River Estuary

Notes: Maps are based on elevation and projected sea level rise. They do not take into account rates of sediment accretion.

Background: 2014 NAIP aerial photos.

Colors and symbols show whether mapped areas are at elevations appropriate for tidal wetlands (emergent, shrub or forested), even if they are not currently tidal wetlands (e.g. they might be behind a dike or tide gate). That is, colors and symbols show whether or not the mapped areas would likely be vegetated tidal wetlands, if they were reconnected to the tides (and not in developed land uses).