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| **Component** | **Exemplary** | **Basic** | **Nonperformance** |
| (a) Effect of sea level change on economic, infrastructure, or sociopolitical system [2 points] | 2 points: Accurately identifies a specific economic, infrastructure, or sociopolitical element that would be influenced by sea level rise AND describes how the element would be influenced. | 1 point: Accurately identifies a specific economic, infrastructure, or sociopolitical element that would be influenced by sea level rise but does not describe how the element would be influenced  *or*  Complete answer with minor conceptual errors | 0 points: No response provided  *or* Major conceptual errors |
| (b) Adaptation strategy to minimize impact of sea level change [2 points] | 2 points:  Correctly identifies an adaptation strategy that specifically addresses the element selected in part (a). | 1 point: Identifies a sea level change adaptation strategy that is not closely related to the element selected in part (a). *or*  Complete answer with minor conceptual errors | 0 points:  No adaptation strategy provided *or* Major conceptual errors |
| (c) Differences in community vulnerability to sea level change  [2 points] | 2 points: Correctly identifies 2 characteristics that create differences in susceptibility to sea level change among communities. | 1 point: Correctly identifies 1 characteristic that creates differences in susceptibility to sea level change among communities *or*  Complete answer with minor conceptual errors | 0 points: No discussion of vulnerability to sea level change provided *or* Major conceptual errors |

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