

May 23, 2018

Last week when the Department of Transportation declined the Town of Islesboro's request for a stay to review the new ferry rate structure, our Atty. Mary Costigan of Bernstein Shur, set in motion an appeal to the Kennebec Superior Court which has been entered. This appeal, called a Complaint, has four named plaintiffs, Phil Seymour, Craig Olson, Babe Hatch, and Gabe Pendleton all of whom wrote a series of answers to questions about the effect of the rate on their lives and businesses that will be submitted as evidence. These are public documents which you may view [here](#).

This Complaint will go to a judge to rule on it. The town manager and plaintiffs do not have to show up in person and testify in a trial, but our attorney will represent us.

Many thanks for those who have already contributed to the Ferry Matter Legal Defense Fund. If you are able and willing, send a check as a tax-deductible donation payable to the Town of Islesboro, and enter "Ferry Legal Defense" in the notation line, and bring it to the Town Office or mail to P.O. Box 76, 04848. Many thanks.