Islesboro Sea Level Rise Committee Meeting Minutes

4:30 pm 4/10/2025 @ Town Office & Via Zoom

- 1. Called to Order at 4:30 pm. Quorum Established.
 - a. In attendance in person or via zoom: Donna Leone, Shey Conover, Peter Willcox, Nancy Alexander, Chloe Joule, Peter Rothschild, Fred Porter.
 - b. Public Present: Judy Gardner, Carol Pierson
- Approved draft minutes from <u>3/13/25 Meeting</u>. Nancy Alexander moved to approve Chloe Joule seconded. Unanimous approval.
- 3. Narrows Project Discussion
 - a. Funding: Broad discussion on uncertainty of funding. We have Community Action Grant pending that we should hear about soon. Committee agreed we needed to keep moving forward even if that meant spending capital reserve funds that have been raised faster. Peter R. offered to help with fundraising if needed.
 - b. CDS Grant Discussion: There is only a week to prepare, but Shri is on board to develop CDS grant request to submit to Senator Collins and Senator Kings office for construction funds. Shri will lead proposal development. We will need committee support with letters of support. Anticipate letters of support from Island Institute, IIT, Donna, & Fred.
 - c. Next Steps Planning. Shri continues to work with GZA to develop 60% scope of work that we should have to review at our May meeting.
- 4. Other Business none
- 5. Set Next Meeting Date. May 8th. 4: 30 pm. Adjourn.
- 6. Following meeting May 8th meeting was rescheduled for May 22nd due to a conflict with other community events.