

Town of Islesboro
Sea Level Rise Committee (SLRC)

June 12, 2025 Minutes

Present: Shey Conover, Lauren Bruce, Peter Rothschild, Sue Stafford, Nancy Alexander, Peter Willcox, Fred Porter, Donna Leone.

Absent: Shri Verrill, consultant

Visitors: Bob Kochan

Quorum met.

Minutes of May 22, 2025 approved

Update by Shey:

- Surveyors have been on-site mapping wetlands and conducting soil borings.
- Senator King has recommended that the SLRC CDS grant go forward into Congressional Appropriations, the first hurdle towards funding.
- Collins did not recommend the grant go forward.
- Shri has identified another potential funding source (Federal) that we can apply for if denied the CDS grant.
- The contract with Shri for the next two years has been signed. She is off until mid-August.
- Shore Up Grant from the Island Institute, \$10,000, has been received.

Communications Planning, Lauren, Sue and Nancy

- The subcommittee met and worked on a potential outline for the Town summer informational meeting.
- Suggest aiming for mid-July information pamphlet.
- GZA presentation on the 60% design is planned for August.

Next meeting August 14, 4:30 pm, tentative depending on GZA.