

Islesboro Sea Level Rise Committee Meeting Minutes

6:30 pm 9/29/2025 @ Town Office & Via Zoom

1. Call to Order. Establish Quorum
 - a. Attending: Lauren Bruce, Shey Conover, Peter Willcox, Sue Stafford, Peter Rothschild, Donna Leone, Chloe Joule, Jennifer West, Nancy Alexander, Fred Porter, project manager Shri Verrill
 - b. Public: David Labbe, Ginnie Hess
2. Approved draft minutes from [9/11/25](#) Meeting. Shey C. moved, Peter R. seconded, unanimous approval.
3. Narrows Project Update
 - a. Discuss draft 60% design for feedback to GZA
 - i. Question: is Dunn Lane a town or a private road? It is a private road. Chloe has suggested that the parking lot could be available for the town to use as a staging area.
 - ii. Would the new parking area suggested be outside of the marsh? We believe the answer is yes, will make sure in next stage.
 - iii. Shri has survey equipment with her on island and is hoping that she can complete the necessary additional survey work.
 - iv. Southern revetment questions:
 1. what is the impact of the revetment diverting water in a different direction looking at options 1 & 2.
 2. how can the ingress & egress be redesigned recognizing issue with the wellhead and look at other parking options. Design for 3 cars. Either design and all aspects of the project will require a stormwater management plan.
 3. Are either option more or less in the existing right-of-way.
 - v. Middle Narrows: Designing a steeper slope on the middle narrows was recommended by the regulatory agencies.
 - vi. North Narrows. Can we consider a culvert. Can we put in a guard rail on the eastern side because of the steep slope and is there a shoulder that is wide enough for people to walk along.
4. Set Next Meeting Date. November 13 @ 4:30 pm.
5. Adjourn @ 7:45 pm