#### JAMESTOWN CONSERVATION COMMISSION Tuesday, May 14, 2024, 6:30 PM



Jamestown Town Hall Small Conference Room 93 Narragansett Avenue, Jamestown, RI

# **MEETING AGENDA**

## I. ROLL CALL and CALL TO ORDER

### II. APPROVAL OF MINUTES

A) Review Regular Meetings Minutes from March 12, 2024, and April 17, 2024, meetings. Review, discussion and/or potential action and/or vote

#### III. OPEN FORUM

- A) Scheduled request to address: none scheduled
- B) Non-scheduled request to address

#### IV. CORRESPONDENCE AND BILLS

A) Jamestown Press invoice for Earth Day Fair ads: \$320 Review, discussion and/or potential action and/or vote

#### V. CRMC, RIDEM AND TOWN OF JAMESTOWN ORDINANCE REVIEW

A) May 2024 CRMC calendar: <u>http://www.crmc.ri.gov/calendars/2024\_05.html</u>

### VI. OLD BUSINESS AND COMMITTEE REPORTS

A) Rights of Way/Parks/Greenways/Trails/Open Space & Public Access: Land Protection and Stewardship: Any updates on the approved Town of Jamestown's Adopt-A-ROW program (Bob Laman). Review, discussion and/or potential action and/or vote. Update on JCC presentation to the Town Council (May 20<sup>th</sup> Town Council meeting) to make the Kit Wright Trail wheelchair accessible from the north end of the trail to the viewing platform (A. Kuhn-Hines). Review, discussion and/or potential action and/or vote. Review any updates on report for JTN Shores survey conducted with representatives from JCC, Conanicut Island Land Trust and Jamestown Shores Association on Saturday, January 27, 2024, at 5 properties with history of encroachment issues (J.Antoniello). Update on GIS analysis of protected vs. non-protected land in Jamestown (A. Kuhn-Hines). Update on JCC and JTN Recreation Department joint application for an Ocean State Climate Adaptation and Resilience Fund ("OSCAR") grant-application due 6/21/24: https://dem.ri.gov/sites/g/files/xkgbur861/files/2024-04/oscar-rfp\_1.pdf

- B) Feedback-debriefing on Earth Day Fair on Saturday April 20, 2024 (B. Lundy) Review, discussion and/or potential action and/or vote.
- C) Public education: Update/discuss any feedback on the initiative to develop a Town-wide outreach education platform/forum for sustainability in Jamestown and provide any related updates- Update on successful Rhode Island Wild Plant Society grant (S. Shim-Gorelick and JCC members) Review, discussion and/or potential action and/or vote.
- D) Harbor Management Commission update (Bob Laman)
- E) Tree Committee update (B. Lundy)
- F) Gould Island Restoration Advisory Board- update (Leo Orsi)
- G) Jamestown Affordable Housing Committee-update (S. Shim-Gorelick)
- H) Jamestown Bike Path Committee (J. Antoniello)

### VII. NEW BUSINESS

A) Next scheduled meeting, June 11, 2024.

### VIII. ADJOURNMENT

Pursuant to RIGL § 42-46-6(c) Notice of this meeting shall be posted on the Secretary of State's website, Town Hall, and Jamestown Police Station; notice also may be posted at the Jamestown Philomenian Library and on the Internet at <u>www.jamestownri.gov</u>.

Posted on the RI Secretary of State website May 10, 2024