

JAMESTOWN CONSERVATION COMMISSION
Tuesday, November 19, 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 October 8, 2024, meeting. Review, discussion and/or potential action and/or vote

III. OPEN FORUM

- A) Scheduled request to address: Eagle Scout, Aidan O'Donnell, project proposal presentation.
B) Non-scheduled request to address

IV. CORRESPONDENCE AND BILLS

- A) \$500 for JTN Community Farm for services rendered related to sustainable dune planting project (large plot for plants, tilling soil, compost, water supply, etc.) funded with the RI Wild Plant Society Grant money. Review, discussion and/or potential action and/or vote
B) \$500 for mowing at the Conanicut Island Sanctuary Trail to maintain diverse meadow-successional habitat. Review, discussion and/or potential action and/or vote

V. CRMC, RIDEM AND TOWN OF JAMESTOWN ORDINANCE REVIEW

- A) November 2024 CRMC calendar:
http://www.crmc.ri.gov/calendars/2024_11.html

VI. OLD BUSINESS AND COMMITTEE REPORTS

- A) Rights of Way/Parks/Greenways/Trails/Open Space & Public Access: Land Protection and Stewardship: Discussion and update on the Jamestown's Adopt-A-ROW program (Bob Laman). Updates related to Mackerel Cove coordination and collaboration with Beavertail residents organized by Kathleen Brown and Stuart Ross (Protect Conanicut Coastline) and the URI Coastal Engineering Capstone Project focused on Mackerel Cove. Report on RIDEM Grant received \$500 to host shoreline cleanup conducted on November 9,

- 2024, on Conanicut Island. Update on Hammond Pond impacts, degradation, eutrophication, invasive vegetation-referral to RIDEM (Joyce Antonello)
- B) Public education: Input, feedback on the JTN Comprehensive Plan Workshop for the 10-year renewal of the JTN Comprehensive Plan held on November 13, 2024, at the Recreation Center. Brief update/report on the Coastal Conversation related to coastal resiliency for Conanicut Island (hosted by Protect Conanicut Coastline) held on November 12, 2024, at the JTN Library.
 - C) Harbor Management Commission update (Bob Laman)
 - D) Tree Committee update (B. Lundy)
 - E) Gould Island Restoration Advisory Board- update (Bob Laman)
 - F) Jamestown Affordable Housing Committee-update (S. Shim-Gorelick)
 - G) Jamestown Bike Path Committee (J. Antonello)

VII. NEW BUSINESS

- A) Next scheduled meeting, December 10, 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 www.jamestownri.gov.

Posted on the RI Secretary of State website November 15, 2024