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Climate Change/Sea Level Rise Commission
Regular Meeting

Thursday, May 12, 2022, at 5pm

CALL TO ORDER – Meeting opened the meeting at 5:01pm.

Present: Roy Myers, Jon Clarke, Doug Rollow, John Marrah, and Zoning Officer Kymberly Kudla. Dennis Glackin arrived at 5:09pm. Members Bill Boicourt and Andrew Thaler were absent. One member of the public was present.

Minutes

Member Marrah motioned to approve the April 14, 2022, minutes as amended. Seconded by Member Rollow and carried on a vote of 5:0 in favor.

Public Comment

No public comment.

Discussion with Barbara Smith from FEMA on technical support

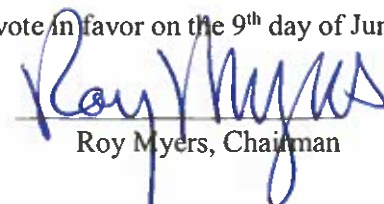
BJ is from FEMA Region III, and a Delaware State and Hazard Mitigation Closeout Supervisor. She reviewed the process to seek advanced assistance to prepare a grant funding application. The funding grant is released for the design work, cost effectiveness and historic preservation. The application is available through Kristin Forte.

Items from CC/SLR Commission for discussion:

- **DNR meeting Recap** - Sasha Land (DNR), Nicole Carazo (DNR), and Kate Vogel toured E. Chew Avenue, W. Harbor Road, San Domingo Creek suggesting the town do a comprehensive detailed design with landscape architects. They also visited Back Creek Park, Grace and Canton Street. Sasha Land agreed to help with refining the grant request for a concept design and the feasibility of it. They will send a scope of work letter to the town which we will verify the proposed scope of work. The grant is fund protections of sea level rise, berms/cisterns, green infrastructure, and boat slip improvements.
- **Casey Rauch Projects** - Projects for Casey Rauch- finished modeling of the water retention area behind the culvert on Mill Street suggesting let the water flow as is, putting in flood gates would only impact the flooding. He will provide a letter including 3 engineering drawings to present at the June meeting.
- **Solar panels** at Rolle's Range property Member Myers and Marrah visited the site, members discussed other options for solar panels. Further options to be discussed.
- **Tide Staff Locations** - Tide staff update- Based on the measurements by commission members a tide staff was installed at Honeymoon Bridge and Muskrat Park, Recent nuisance flooding measured 2.6' above msl which is 1.6' above normal high tide. Dennis Glackin suggested sending information regarding tide staffs via constant contact.

The meeting adjourned at 6:25pm

Minutes approved as submitted by 4-0 vote in favor on the 9th day of June, 2022.


Roy Myers, Chairman