

CLIMATE CHANGE TASK FORCE

Town Of Stonington

Meeting Minutes

Regular Meeting

May 21, 2015 - 7:00 pm

Location: Community Service Room Department of Human Services 166
South Broad Street, Pawcatuck, Ct 06379

Present: Susan Hibbard, Rick Newton, Thomas Norris, Ed Hart, MaryEllen Mateleska, Ian Camfield

Town Employee: Scot Deledda, PE – TownEngineer

Absent:, David Rathbun, Jeff Callahan, Lyndsey Pyrke-Fairchild,

Additional Member: Robert Yust

Guest – Tracey C. O'Neill – Westerly Sun reporter

Call to order at 7:00pm

- Discussion on study area # 1 – definition of boundaries and review of FEMA map, sea level rise and
 - Plan to tackle a particular feature in a systematic order during each monthly meeting. This will form as a model to disseminate information for future areas. Need things that we can quantify to illustrate the impact.
 - E.g – roads, homes, businesses, environmental services, critical infrastructure
 - Creation of a multi-page document that highlight the key factors that will affect the Town of Stonington
 - Development of a tool that will assess – Guildford, Groton, Old Saybrook, Rhode Island, Florida, - will develop a bulleted form of assessment tools. Create a matrix
- Ed and Tom leave at 8:57pm
- Invite external people
- Absentee appointees – Ian has recused himself from the committee
- Next meeting is Thursday, June 18

Meeting adjourned at 9:09pm

MaryEllen Mateleska