

**REPORT TO TOWN COUNCIL
RESILIENCY COMMITTEE
APRIL 11, 2025**

The Committee last met on March 25, 2025 and is scheduled to meet again later this month.

At their March meeting, members were given an update by staff on the ongoing stormwater maintenance efforts and shown a sample of the new check valves that are being installed in select locations. Also at this meeting, members reviewed the final draft of a Resiliency Action Plan and assigned individuals as responsible parties for various sections of the plan. The contents of the plan mostly involve research on various topics that members will conduct and then form recommendations to Council on action items.

The Committee Chair is working with the Town Manager on preparation of the new BRIC grant application which will fund a flood mitigation design plan for the secondary streets of York Beach. The grant request will be for \$95,000 and the Town will be responsible for 25% of that cost (\$23,750). The deadline for applications is not set, as the application period was halted by FEMA shortly after it was announced, but it now has been given clearance to proceed and will re-open soon.

The latest word from FEMA is that the FY23 BRIC grants have cleared internal review and are slated for final approval and the disbursement of funds. The Town submitted a grant in this round for a Cat Hill flood mitigation engineering design plan and is awaiting its award.

Respectfully submitted,
Edie Dondero, Chairperson