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In accordance with and pursuant to the provisions of the "Administrative Procedures Act" (Section 42-35-3 of the General Laws of Rhode Island) and the Rule and Regulations of the Coastal Resources Management Council, notice is hereby given of the intention of the Coastal Resources Management Council to change the management plans, policies, procedures and regulations of the agency regarding planning and management of the coastal resources of the State relative to Chapter 46-23 of the State of Rhode Island.

The following changes are proposed:

(Note: new text is underlined)

RI Coastal Resources Management Program – Section 300.14 –Maintenance of Structures

Revise Section 300.14.B.5 by adding new subsection (c) as follows:

(c) Yacht Clubs and other boating facilities that are listed on the National Historic Register that are destroyed may apply for a maintenance Assent before the Council (reconstruction) provided that the exact historical foot print of the structure is utilized and a similar architectural edifice is utilized on the building. All non-façade elements shall be in compliance with the latest edition of the Rhode Island State Building Code.

Purpose: To provide for the rebuilding of destroyed boating facilities listed on the National Register of Historic Places.

The Council has complied with the requirements of R.I. Gen. Laws Section 42-35-3 by considering alternative approaches to the proposed regulation(s) and has determined that there is/are no alternative approach(es) that would be as effective and less burdensome. The Council has also determined that the proposed regulation(s) do(es) not overlap or duplicate any other state regulation. The Council has complied with the requirements of R.I. Gen. Laws Section 42-35-3.3 by submitting copies of the proposed regulation(s) to the Governor's Office and the Economic Development Corporation (EDC).

Parties interested in or concerned with the above proposed changes are invited to **submit written comments by October 17, 2013**. All such comments should be directed to Grover J. Fugate, Executive Director, at the above address.

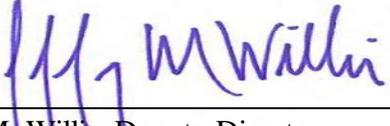
A **public hearing** has been scheduled for these proposed changes to be held in Conference Room A, Administration Building, One Capitol Hill, Providence, RI on **Tuesday, October 22, 2013 at 6:00 p.m.**

Copies of the proposed regulations are also available from the Coastal Resources Management Council offices and its website – www.crmc.ri.gov.

Individuals requesting interpreter services for the hearing impaired must notify the Council office at 783-3370, 72 hours in advance of the hearing date.

Further information may be obtained by contacting the Coastal Resources Management Council offices at 783-3370.

Signed this 16th day of September, 2013.



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