

January 19, 2022

TO: Town Council, Town Clerk

FROM: Gary Crosby, Town Planner

RE: Municipal Resilience Program (MRP) Grant Application

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Please put the following item on the agenda for the January 24, 2022 Town Council meeting under New Business. (10 minutes)

**Title:** Permission to apply for a Municipal Resilience Program (MRP) Action Grant, committing Town resources required as a match.

**Council Action Requested:** Permission is requested to apply an MRP grant for the following two projects, committing matching funds to be dedicated in the FY 2023 Capital Improvement Plan. The application deadline is Friday, February 11, 2022.

**Project:** Riverside Street In-ground Storm Water Injection Facility

**Total Project Cost:** \$140,000.00

**Grant:** \$105,000.00

**Match:** \$35,000.00 (25% of total cost) Town cash.

**Project:** Founders Brook Dredging

**Total Project Cost:** \$35,000.00

**Grant:** \$26,250.00

**Match:** \$8,750.00 (25% of total cost) Town cash.

Note: The project origins for both of these projects are the MRP Resilience Workshop, Portsmouth's Natural Hazard Mitigation Plan, the Town CIP and the DPW budget. Both projects appear in the our Resilience CIP we are currently developing with assistance by the Southeast New England Program (SNEP) Network.

**Total Town cash** to provide the \$25% match is \$43,750.00.