

Topic: Marshfield - Duxbury Coastal Resiliency

Time: January 20, 2021 7:00 PM Eastern Time (US and Canada)

Location: Remote ZOOM meeting

The Towns of Marshfield and Duxbury were awarded a grant in the Fall of 2019 from Massachusetts Coastal Zone Management (CZM) for the design and permitting of beach and dune nourishment projects at vulnerable locations along the Towns' east facing shorelines. The proposed nourishment projects will improve shoreline resiliency by helping to maintain and improve the elevation and width of the existing beaches in order to strengthen the Towns' existing approach to management of the shoreline, which includes regular maintenance and repair of existing seawalls and revetments.

This project is a continuation of a previous CZM funded project in the Town of Marshfield that evaluated the feasibility of using sediment dredged from Green Harbor as a source for beach nourishment. The Town of Duxbury has been added as a partner to the project to facilitate a more comprehensive review. The current project is carrying forward the public engagement process that took place with the Green Harbor project.

Letters were sent out to shorefront property owners in the Fieldston Beach, Sunrise Beach, Bay Avenue Beach and Gurnet Road areas of Marshfield and Duxbury in November, requesting easements for beach nourishment and maintenance.

An online public outreach meeting is scheduled for **January 20, 2021** from **7:00 to 9:00 PM**, which will focus on the requested beach nourishment easements and a project update. Please click the following link to login to the meeting: <https://us02web.zoom.us/j/86336344125?pwd=NU5kN1hscFhKS5BbDBpVFVWUG9vUT09>.

Shorefront property owners and the general public are attend the meeting to learn more about the project. Questions can also be submitted via email to the following Town Planning Departments:

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Responses to Frequently Asked Questions and project updates will be posted on the Town Planning Department web sites.