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PUBLIC NOTICE

Proposed Repeal of the CRMC Federal Consistency Manual

The Coastal Resources Management Council (CRMC), in accordance with and pursuant to the RI Administrative Procedures Act (R.I.G.L. § 42-35-3) and the Rules and Regulations of the Coastal Resources Management, hereby gives notice to repeal and remove from state-listed regulations (ERLID # 1059) the CRMC Federal Consistency Manual. The manual describes the procedures and listed federal activities subject to federal consistency review pursuant to federal law specified in the Coastal Zone Management Act (CZMA) § 307(c)(3)(A) (16 U.S.C. § 1456(c)(3)(A)) and the federal implementing regulations at 15 C.F.R. Part 930. The manual was inadvertently listed several years ago as a state regulation. However, it is not a state regulation, rather it is a stand-alone federal document and should not be listed as a state regulation. Notwithstanding this fact, state implementation of the federal consistency requirements is administered though Section 400 of the Coastal Resources Management Program.

The CRMC does not plan to hold a public hearing in this matter. Further information may be obtained by contacting the Coastal Resources Management Council offices at 783-3370.

Signed this 3rd day of April, 2015.

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