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NOTICE OF PUBLIC HEARING

CRMC File No.: 2026-01-003 Date: June 17, 2026

In accordance with and pursuant to the provisions of the "Administrative Procedures Act", (Chapter 42-35 et. seq. of the General Laws of Rhode Island), and the Rules and Regulations of the Coastal Resources Management Council, a hearing will be held on the petition of:

NRI TT RGG LLC ET AL
c/o Turner C. Scott
122 Touro Street
Newport, RI 02840

relative to Title 46, Chapter 23, of Section 6 A, B, C, D, E, Title 46 Chapter 23 Section 18(b), Title 46, Chapter 6, Section 1, Title 46, Chapter 6, Section 2 of the Rhode Island General Laws of 1956, as amended, for a State of Rhode Island Assent to:

The current plan includes conducting maintenance activities along the entire 550-foot length between Webster Street and Narragansett Avenue. For ease of discussion, we have divided the area into 5 sections. Refer to the attached plan set for details.

Section 1 (STA 0+00 to 1+25) - Exposed Cliff Face. A geotextile fabric is proposed with crushed stone and rip rap cover. The wall will extend to approximately MLW with a 1.5:1 slope. Grout or concrete will be used to fill existing cavity(s) in the cliff face. Large stones are proposed at the toe, landward of a new cast-in-place concrete block, and armor stones reduced in size past the 100-Year Flood Water Level. Nearly all activities will be above the MLW line.

Section 2 (STA 1+25 to 2+00) - Granite Block Wall. Rip-rap is proposed along the face of the existing granite block wall from the base flood elevation of 25' NAVD88. Wall construction will be at a 1.5:1 slope. Grout or concrete will be used to fill cavity(s) in the wall face, and/or to create base slope. Large 5'-6' stones will be placed at the toe, landward of a new cast-in-place concrete block, and armor stones will be placed beyond the 100-Year Flood Water Level. Nearly all activities will be above the MLW line.

Section 3 (STA 2+00 to 3+25) - March 3, 2022, Collapsed Area. A modular stone block wall is proposed directly below and adjacent to the Cliff Walk path. The wall will be supported by concrete filled micropiles drilled 5-feet below bedrock. A rip-rap wall is proposed to extend seaward at a 1.5:1 slope. Grout or concrete will be used to fill cavity(ies) in the cliff face. Large 5'-6' stones will be placed at the toe, landward of new cast-in-place concrete blocks, and armor stones reduced in size will be placed beyond the 100-Year Flood Water Level. Nearly all activities will be above the MLW line.

Section 4 (STA 3+25 to 4+25) - Exposed Cliff Face. Rip-rap is proposed to extend seaward from the base flood elevation of 25' NAVD88, sloping at 1.5:1. Grout or concrete will be used to fill cavity(ies) in the cliff face. Large 5'-6' stones will be placed at the toe in front of new cast-in-place concrete blocks, and armor stones reduced in size will be placed beyond the 100-Year Flood Water Level. Nearly all activities will be above the MLW line.

Section 5 (STA 4+25 to 5+50) – Granite Block Wall. The collapsed area of Section 5, landward of the existing granite block wall is proposed to be filled with crushed stone and topped with a layer of RIDOT R-8 Armor Stone. Seaward of the existing granite block wall, rip-rap is proposed to extend at a slope of 1.5:1. Large 5'-6' stones will be placed at the toe in front of new cast-in-place concrete blocks, and armor stones reduced in size will be placed beyond the 100-Year Flood Water Level. Nearly all activities will be above the MLW line.

The current estimate is that approximately 18,242 square feet (SF) (3830 cubic yards) of permanent impacts will occur in Rhode Island tidal waters (below high tide line). At the location of the bedrock outcrop there will be filling at Section F-F (approximately stations 3+75 to 4+50). *This portion of the project is considered Prohibited per CRMP Red Book Section §1.3.1.G.3.c (Shoreline Protection, Prohibitions) “Filling on a coastal feature or tidal waters beyond that which is consistent with §1.3.1(G)(5)(a) of this Part is prohibited.” CRMP Red Book Section §1.3.1(G)(5)(a) (Shoreline Protection, Standards) states “All applicable standards for earthwork in § 1.3.1(B) of this Part shall be met. The base of the seawall, bulkhead, revetment or toe-of-slope protection for hybrid shoreline protection must be located as close as practicable to the shoreline feature it is designed to protect...”. Also, per CRMP Red Book Section 1.3.1.J.3(a) (Filling in Tidal Waters, Prohibitions) “Filling in Type 1 and 2 waters is prohibited.”*

The hearing will be held on **Tuesday, July 14, 2026** at 6:00 p.m. in Conference Room A of the Administration Building at One Capitol Hill, Providence, RI.

Parties interested in/or concerned with the above-mentioned matter are invited to be present and/or represented by counsel at the above-mentioned time and place. This meeting place is accessible to individuals with disabilities. The meeting location is accessible to handicapped persons. Any individual requiring a reasonable accommodation in order to participate in this meeting should contact CRMC offices at 401-783-3370 at least 72 hours prior to the meeting.

Plans of the proposed work may be seen in the office of the Coastal Resources Management Council, Oliver H. Stedman Government Center, 4808 Tower Hill Road, Wakefield, Rhode Island, between the hours of 8:30 a.m. and 3:30 p.m., Monday through Friday.

Oral statements will be heard and recorded and statements may be submitted to the hearing officers at the time of hearing.

Signed this 17th day of June, 2026.



Laura Miguel, Deputy Director
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