



# SOUTHOLD PECONIC CIVIC ASSOCIATION

June 17, 2023 Annual Meeting

## Agenda

- 10:00 am Welcome and Review of Our First Year -  
Maggie Merrill
- 10:20 am Committee Reports
- 10:30 am Code Enforcement – Margaret Steinbugler
- 11:10 am Discussion and Q & A
- 11:30 am Nominations, Nominee Introductions, Voting

***Next Meeting: Saturday July 15, 2023, 10 AM***



# PROGRAMS

APRIL  
2022

## **ADVOCACY 101**

A CITIZEN'S GUIDE TO EFFECTIVE  
COMMUNITY ACTION PRESENTED BY BOB  
DELUCA, DIRECTOR GROUP FOR THE EAST  
END

MAY  
2022

## **UNDERSTANDING SEQRA**

A CITIZEN'S GUIDE TO THE ENVIRONMENTAL  
REVIEW PROCESS & ITS IMPACT ON  
DEVELOPMENT

JUNE  
2022

## **RESILIENCE PROJECTS FOR LI SOUND COMMUNITIES:**

IN THE AGE OF SEA LEVEL RISE AND  
EXTREME EVENTS PRESENTED BY ELIZABETH  
HORNSTEIN OF NY SEAGRANT

JULY  
2022

## **SOLUTIONS FOR NITROGEN POLLUTION: WATER QUALITY OF GOOSE CREEK:**

PRESENTED BY PECONIC ESTUARY  
PARTNERSHIP AND SUFFOLK COUNTY  
DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH

SEPT  
2022

## **PECONIC COTTAGES & SPORTS EAST**

INFORMATIONAL SESSION WITH DEVELOPER  
PAUL PAWLOSKI

OCT  
2022

## **COMMUNITY HOUSING FUND**

INFORMATIONAL SESSION ABOUT NOVEMBER  
REFERENDUM WITH TOWN PLANNING  
DEPARTMENT

# PROGRAMS & EVENTS

DEC  
2022

## **DEER MANAGEMENT FORUM**

PRESENTED BY DEER MANAGEMENT TASK FORCE MEMBER ARNOLD BLAIR AND TOWN BOARD MEMBER GREG DOROSKI

JAN  
2023

## **NORTH FORK SURVEY**

A REVIEW OF THE SOUTHOLD AND PECONIC RESULTS FROM THE NORTH FORK SURVEY

FEB  
2023

## **SOUTHOLD WINTERFEST**

OUTREACH AND MEMBERSHIP DRIVE

MARCH  
2023

## **AFFORDABLE HOUSING**

INFORMATIONAL PROGRAM AND PANEL COMMUNITY HOUSING FUND UPDATE

APRIL  
2023

## **ENVIRONMENTAL REVIEW**

BY MEMBER LOUISE HARRISON OF SAVE THE SOUND WITH SAVE MATTITUCK INLET AND STRONG'S MARINE PRESENTATIONS

JUNE  
2023

## **CODE ENFORCEMENT**

INFORMATIONAL PROGRAM WITH NORTH FORK CIVIC CODE ENFORCEMENT PRESENTATION

JUNE  
2023

## **ANNUAL MEETING**

ANNUAL MEMBERSHIP MEETING  
BOARD OF DIRECTORS VOTE

# SOUTHOLD PECONIC CIVIC ASSOCIATION

## ACTIONS

- MAY 2022**    **SUFFOLK COUNTY LEGISLATURE**  
Email letter campaign In support of changing the newspaper of record to  
The Suffolk Times  
Status: PASSED
- JUNE 2022**    **NORTH FORK CIVIC SURVEY**  
Promoted the survey. VP Margaret Steinbugler collated and analyzed the  
data to create final report
- JULY 2022**    **PRESERVE PLUM ISLAND**  
Email letter campaign  
Supported Preserve Plum Island Coalition to make Plum Island a  
national monument
- AUG 2022**    **ENCLAVES TRAFFIC ANALYSIS**  
VP Margaret Steinbugler, presented to Town Planning Board.  
Guest column in The Suffolk Times  
Status: Planning Board Conditional Approval
- OCT 2022**    **VOTER REGISTRATION DRIVE**

# SOUTHOLD PECONIC CIVIC ASSOCIATION

## ACTIONS

- FEB 2023 SUFFOLK COUNTY LEGISLATURE  
Email letter campaign in support of \$10 million farmland preservation appropriation. Status: PASSED
- APRIL 2023 EARTH DAY BEACH CLEAN UP
- APRIL 2023 CUSTER PRESERVE PROJECT START  
Status: Committee Report
- APRIL 2023 GOOSE CREEK INFORMATIONAL CAMPAIGN
- MAY 2023 PECONIC ESTUARY PARTNERSHIP - Biennial Conference  
Pres. Maggie Merrill participated in Community Partnership Panel
- JUNE 2023 SUFFOLK COUNTY LEGISLATURE - email letter campaign  
Inform membership of Suffolk County Water Quality Restoration Act, resolutions IR-1512-23 and IR-1573-23. Status: Pending
- JUNE 2023 CODE ENFORCEMENT  
Informational program with North Fork Civics Code Enforcement subcommittee presentation. Status: Future update planned

# Treasurer's Report: SPCA By the Numbers



The SPCA raises funds 3 ways

1. Member dues
2. Donations
3. Fundraisers

Bank Account Balance as of 6/16/23: \$3696.43

- Includes \$714 donated thus far to Senior Student Award

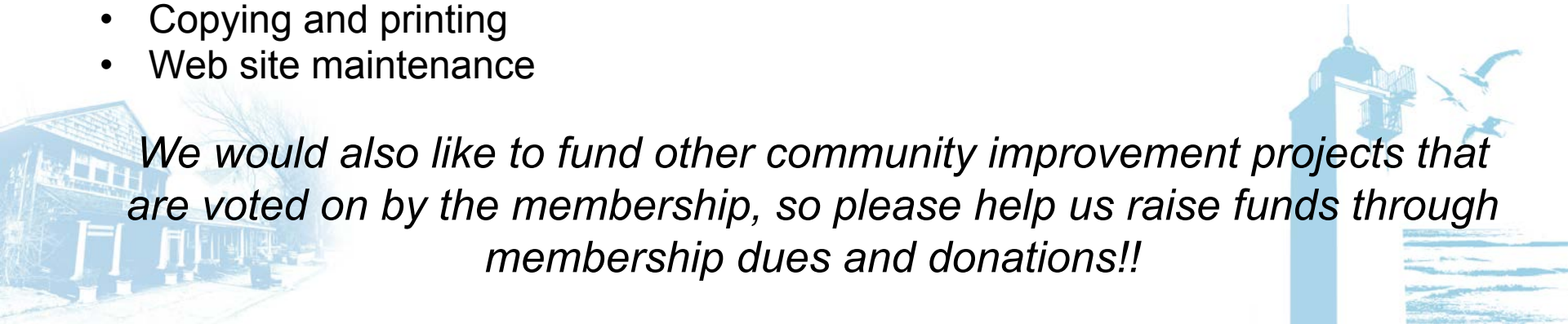
Goal: Raise \$300 in donations and member dues by end of June

- Allows SPCA to start next fiscal year with \$3000 in the bank after paying the \$1000 Senior Student Award (to be presented at the high school graduation)

Typical annual SPCA expenses are about \$2500 (exclusive of Sr Award)

- Insurance
- Refreshments at meetings
- Copying and printing
- Web site maintenance

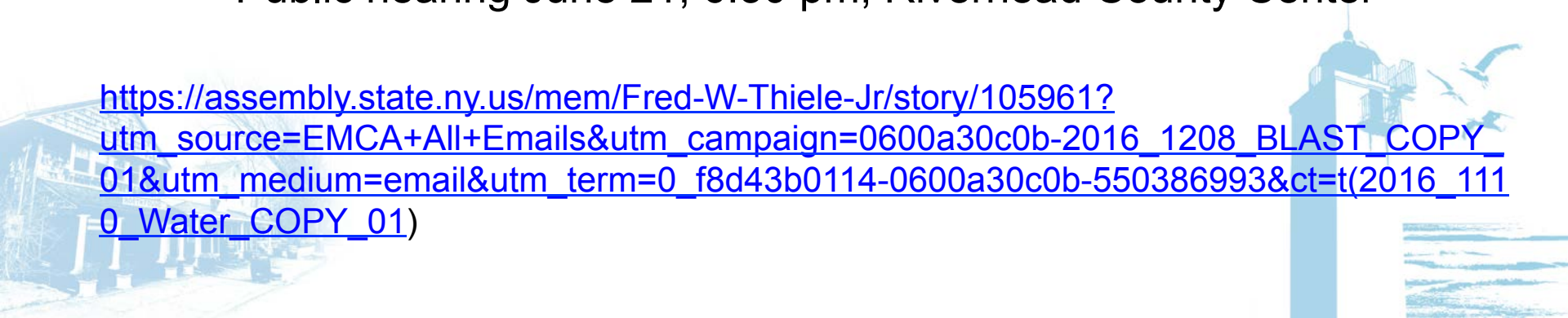
*We would also like to fund other community improvement projects that are voted on by the membership, so please help us raise funds through membership dues and donations!!*



# Environmental Advocacy Committee

- Goose Creek Project Update
- Suffolk County Legislation Proposed to Improve Water Quality
  - “Suffolk County Water Quality Restoration Act”
  - Must pass Suffolk County legislature and be approved by voters
  - 1/8 cent increase in county sales tax
    - Fund new I/A waste water systems
    - Service connections for existing sewer systems
    - Other projects for water quality
  - What you can do
    - Clean water rally June 21, 3:30 pm, Riverhead County Center
    - Public hearing June 21, 6:30 pm, Riverhead County Center

[https://assembly.state.ny.us/mem/Fred-W-Thiele-Jr/story/105961?utm\\_source=EMCA+All+Emails&utm\\_campaign=0600a30c0b-2016\\_1208\\_BLAST\\_COPY\\_01&utm\\_medium=email&utm\\_term=0\\_f8d43b0114-0600a30c0b-550386993&ct=t\(2016\\_1110\\_Water\\_COPY\\_01\)](https://assembly.state.ny.us/mem/Fred-W-Thiele-Jr/story/105961?utm_source=EMCA+All+Emails&utm_campaign=0600a30c0b-2016_1208_BLAST_COPY_01&utm_medium=email&utm_term=0_f8d43b0114-0600a30c0b-550386993&ct=t(2016_1110_Water_COPY_01))



# Environmental Advocacy Committee

## Custer Preserve Project Update





# Government Action Committee

- Tracked Enclaves review, affordable housing working group and affordable housing proposals
- Deer Forum follow up: bill allowing expanded hunting in Suffolk County passed NYS legislature.  
Status: awaiting governor's signature
- Birds and Bees Protection Act: passed NYS legislature.  
Status: awaiting governor's signature



# Nominations and Voting

- Election is for five open board seats
  - Three for two-year terms
  - Two for one-year terms
- Open nominations from the floor
- Write in new nominees' names on ballots
- Close nominations
- Nominee introductions
- Cast ballots

