



EXECUTIVE DIRECTOR'S REPORT: September 19, 2024

Mission Statement:

To work together across neighboring communities to consistently protect and improve the unique and relatively unspoiled character of the physical, economic and social worlds we share...for the benefit of our future generations.

1. Management / Operations

- a. Executive Director's Contract
 - 2018 Contract- See Attached Exhibit A
 - RPC Executive Directors Compensation Matrix- See attached Exhibit B
- b. FRCA:
 - Update on Meeting with RPC Directors and legal staff
 - 1995 Attorney General Opinion- See Attached Exhibit C
- c. FRCA July and August Updates – see Attached Exhibits D and E

2. Resource Development and Capacity Building

- Promise Zone Grants (as of May 8, 2024) See Attached Exhibit F
 - Awarded: \$5,306,160.25
 - Pending: \$1,262,667
 - Denied: \$42,701,700.50
 - Underdevelopment: NA

3. Fourth Quarter : July to September 2024

- a. Recovery and Resiliency Projects
 - Awarded \$239,700 RRDG Grant submitted to FHERO for Economic Development
 - Pending NOAA grant for \$500,000 to reinforce the docks for the Shrimp Industry
- Next RPC Meeting October 17, 2024