

Resolution 2025-47

A Resolution to Allow for the Flood Resiliency Committee to Meet as Needed

WHEREAS, the Temporary Sea Level Rise Task Force was created via Resolution 2022-04 “for the purpose of researching available information concerning the impact of sea level rise on the City of New Castle and making recommendations to the City Council toward the furtherance of these goals and strategies; and

WHEREAS, Resolution 2023-32 converted the Temporary Sea Level Rise Task Force to a standing Flood Resiliency Committee; and

WHEREAS, Resolution 2023-32 required the Committee to meet at least once per quarter or more frequently as needed; and

WHEREAS, due to the current reduction of federal funding opportunities and the guidance of Army Corps of Engineers funding not being available until FY 2027, the Flood Resiliency Committee does not need to meet as often as it has been meeting; and

WHEREAS, the work completed by the members of the Flood Resiliency Committee over the last four years has been valuable to the City, is important to the City, and the City desires to support the Committee’s continued work while reducing the required meetings in light of the change in circumstances.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED, that this resolution serves as a modification to Resolution 2023-32 to revise the requirement that the Flood Resiliency Committee meet at least once per quarter or more frequently as needed and replace it with meet as needed, but no less than once per calendar year.

PASSED this 14th day of October 2025.

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Attest:

Courtaney Taylor, City Clerk