MIDDLETOWN, RI: RESILIENCE PLANNING AND FINANCING

COMMUNITY: Town of Middletown, RI

FUNDER: Southeast New England Program (SNEP) Network

TIMELINE: Oct. 2022 - Sept. 2023

DELIVERABLES:

Island-wide Climate Resilience Leadership Exchange

Climate Resiliency Planning and Financing Strategy report

Prioritized Resilience Capital Imporvement Plan (RCIP)

Cost estimates for high priority projects

Project Overview

Throwe Environmental, in partnership with the <u>SNEP Network</u>, the Rhode Island Infrastructure Bank, and the Town of <u>Middletown</u>, is developing a process for identifying resilience capital infrastructure priorities and exploring funding, financing, and investment options to support implementation of these projects. The findings of this project will serve as the foundation for a long-term, climate resilience financing strategy for the Town. The Project Team also provided assistance in establishing an Islandwide Resilience Leadership Exchange that engages the Towns of Middletown and <u>Portsmouth</u>, the <u>City of Newport</u>, and other regional stakeholders in conversations around climate resilience action and investment.

Summary of Findings & Key Recommendations

This project is in progress and recommendations are not yet available. The project is expected to be completed in Fall 2023.



