



## Agenda Item Summary Sheet

Item No: **J-1**  
Meeting Date: **April 15, 2020**

**Item Title:** Town Manager Ogburn – Coastal Storm Damage Mitigation Fund

### Item Summary:

In accordance with Session Law 2019-224, \$11,500,000 has been allocated to the N.C. Department of Environmental Quality (NCDEQ), Division of Water Resources Coastal Storm Damage Mitigation Fund to help NC coastal cities and towns recover from hurricane damage. Funding may only be used for costs associated with beach nourishment, artificial dunes, and other projects to mitigate or remediate coastal storm damage to the ocean beaches and dune systems of the state. The amount shall not exceed \$2.5 million for each unit of local government and no cost-share will be required.

All applications will be evaluated to determine if the proposed beach nourishment or dune project meets the minimum requirements and will be ranked according to six criteria. The six criteria include environmental benefits, social benefits, economic benefits, life of the project, financial resources and project efficiency. The submission deadline for the grant is April 30, 2020.

Staffs requests the Board to authorize the Town Manager to proceed with the submission of the FY 2019-2020 Coastal Storm Damage Mitigation grant application.

Number of Attachments: 0

### Specific Action Requested:

Provided for Board consideration authorizing the manager to submit the FY 2019/2020 Coastal Storm Damage Mitigation grant application.

Submitted By: Administration

Date: April 6, 2020

### Finance Officer Comment:

A budget ordinance for approval will be brought to the Board if funding is approved.

Signature: Amy Miller

Date: April 6, 2020

### Town Attorney Comment:

N/A

Signature: John Leidy

Date: April 6, 2020

### Town Manager Comment and/or Recommendation:

Signature: Cliff Ogburn

Date: April 6, 2020