

Dear Environmental Committee,

I live directly on the East bay of the Norwalk inner harbor at Vantage Point condos. We have already experienced higher levels of tides and hurricane Irene caused destruction of some of our seaside property. Currently Connecticut towns have no explicit authority to consider sea level rise in their planning or regulatory programs. This is a big problem. Please do what you can to empower the state and towns to address this problem. I support these and any measures to help our communities plan for sea level rise (RB 5128) and the bill to ensure that dams on our rivers are safe (RB 5130).

Thank you.

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