

# Sound the 'High Water' Alarm: The Effects of Sea Level Rise on Maine's Wastewater Infrastructure

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## Additional Resources:

### Background / Technical:

- [Scientific Assessment of Climate Change and its Effects in Maine](#)  
Maine Climate Council Scientific and Technical Subcommittee
- [Maine Flood Hazard Map](#)  
Maine Floodplain Management Program & FEMA
- [Sea Level Rise / Storm Surge Scenarios](#)  
Maine Geological Survey
- [O'Chang Sea Level Rise in Maine](#)  
A short video that takes a humorous approach to introducing sea level rise on the coast of Maine

### Community Case Studies

- [A Climate of Change: Sea Level Rise](#)  
Video describing effects of SLR in Vinalhaven, ME
- [The Cost of Sea Level Rise](#)  
Vinalhaven's sea level rise story told through a storymap approach
- Ask about a Wright-Pierce Climate Adaptation Plan Case Study!

### Planning:

- [Maine Won't Wait: 4-Year Plan for Climate Action](#)  
Maine Climate Council
- [Municipal Climate Adaptation Guidance Series: Wastewater Management](#)  
Municipal Planning Assistance Program
- [Maine Flood Resilience Checklist](#)  
Maine Coastal Program

- [Sea Level Rise & Coastal Flooding: The Basics for Maine Communities](#)  
Island Institute
- [What Works Solutions Library- Preparing for Rising Seas:](#)  
Case studies & examples of communities taking action against climate change impacts

### Financial:

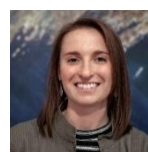
- [Maine Jobs & Recovery Plan](#)  
\$20,000,000 to protect infrastructure from Climate Change
- [Clean Water State Revolving Loan Fund](#)  
\$20,000 in loan forgiveness for development of Climate Adaptation Plan
- [Coastal Community Grant Program](#)  
\$20,000 - \$50,000 in grant for community resiliency and adapting to climate change
- [ShoreUp Maine Grants](#)  
\$5,000 - \$15,000 for technical assistance for communities addressing sea level rise

### Take Action in Your Community!



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