

**PRESS RELEASE AND ADVISORY
FROM JAMESTOWN TOWN COUNCIL**

RE: TOWN OF JAMESTOWN AND WEAVER'S COVE LNG PROPOSAL

It has come to the attention of members of the Jamestown Town Council that Council person Ellen Winsor has or is requesting to meet with City and Town Councils, municipal Boards and Commissions and organizations around the bay, and in particular Newport County, regarding the Hess-Weaver's Cove LNG proposal. At these meetings it has been stated that Councilor Winsor is promoting an LNG Joint Resolution seeking municipalities to join with as signatories. This advisory has been authorized and issued by the Jamestown Town Council to alert and advise all persons and parties that Councilor Winsor's efforts in this matter are not authorized nor endorsed by the Town of Jamestown. Councilor Winsor's actions are those entirely of a private citizen and do not have and should not be construed as having the imprimatur of an official act on behalf of the Town of Jamestown.

Councilor Winsor does not represent the Town of Jamestown in this matter nor has she been given the authority to speak on the Town's behalf in this matter. The Town of Jamestown has not approved nor is a signatory of the LNG Resolution that Councilor Winsor is promoting.

The Town of Jamestown recently appointed a committee to work on the Town's behalf regarding the LNG issue; named the Jamestown Committee on LNG Threat. The members of that committee are: Dan Wright, Dick Lynn, Martin Keen, Lowell Thomas and Peter Converse. Communications regarding the LNG issue should be directed to the Town Council or the Jamestown Committee on LNG Threat to the direction of the Town Clerk, Cheryl Fernstrom at 93 Narragansett Avenue, Jamestown, RI 02835.

This notice and advisory is being issued by the Jamestown Town Council to avoid any confusion regarding the Town's position and action to eliminate the threat of LNG facilities and the travel of LNG tankers in and around our bays.

Duly Authorized by the Jamestown Town Council
July 19, 2010