



## Town of Vinalhaven Coastal Flooding Vulnerability Study of Downstreet Business District



### PARTNERS

Vinalhaven Land Trust, Island Institute and Knox County Emergency Management Association

### PROJECT DESCRIPTION (anticipated completion March 2018)

The Town of Vinalhaven will conduct a vulnerability study for its downtown, locally referred to as “Downstreet”. This is the economic hub of the island, hosting approximately 40 businesses, dozens of fishing wharves, and the ferry landing. Due to its low elevation, it is also susceptible to flooding from storm surge and sea level rise. The study will provide a detailed understanding of flood risk, and examine both short-term and long-term adaptation options. Vinalhaven has retained Ransom Consulting Engineers and Scientists for this project.

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