

**Town of Edisto Beach
Resolution**

WHEREAS, the Mayor and Town Council fully support Senate Bill 139 at the time of the passage of the bill no one could have predicted the impact of two hurricanes on the data and the timeline of the implementation of the legislation; and

WHEREAS, data was to be released in August 2017 but was delayed until October 2017; and

WHEREAS, due to the storms the timeline was compacted to try to meet the December 31, 2017 implementation date; and


WHEREAS, this has provided an inadequate time frame to study the data and methodology of the data; and

WHEREAS, the appeals process time is inadequate, not only for citizens to appeal, but also for Department of Health and Environmental Control/Ocean Control and Resource Management to respond; and

WHEREAS, the Town needs time to contact each homeowner involved as to the implications of the law for their property.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED that the Town Council of the Town of Edisto Beach asks for consideration of a one-year delay in implementation of the Department of Health and Environmental Control/Ocean Control and Resource Management Beachfront Jurisdictional lines proposed for the Town of Edisto Beach.

SIGNED, SEALED AND ADOPTED BY Town Council this 12th day of October, 2017.



Jane Darby, Mayor



Susan Hornsby, Mayor Pro Tempore



Jerome Kizer, Council Member



Crawford Moore, Council Member



Patti Smyer, Council Member