TOWN OF FALMOUTH - RESOLUTION

Green Ribbon Commission Report Energy and Climate Protection Plan - 2010

WHEREAS, the Town Council appointed an ad hoc commission known as the

Green Ribbon Commission (GRC); and

WHEREAS, the GRC was tasked to make climate protection recommendations

to the Town Council and Town Manager on how the Falmouth Community can meet its pledge under the U. S. Mayors Climate

Protection Agreement; and

WHEREAS, The Commission's work has followed ICLEI Local Governments for

Sustainability ("ICLEI") "Cities for Climate Protection Campaign Five

Milestone Process"; and

WHEREAS, the GRC has completed its task to submit a comprehensive Energy

and Climate Protection Plan to the Town Council; and

WHEREAS, the GRC offered several presentations to the Town Council during

the past year culminating in one final presentation at the regularly

scheduled Town Council meeting on April 26, 2010.

NOW THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED by the Falmouth Town Council assembled this 13th day of September, 2010 that:

1. The Town of Falmouth, Town Council, has reviewed the proposed Energy and Climate Protection Plan including the attached implementation steps; and

- 2. The Town of Falmouth, Town Council, supports the overall comprehensive Energy and Climate Protection Plan but not necessarily each specific strategy, recommendation, or suggested implementation; and
- 3. The Town of Falmouth, Town Council upon acceptance of the GRC Plan, will charge the Long Range Planning Committee to refer to the plan for guidance while updating the Comprehensive Plan; and
- 4. The Town of Falmouth, Town Council, expresses its gratitude to the GRC and the supporting town staff for the effort in the development of this very important Plan.

Approved this 13th day of September, 2010

Tony Payre, Chairperson Falmouth Town Council