RESOLUTION
of the Town of Chebeague Island
Regarding Emergency Medical Transports

WHEREAS, the Town of Chebeague Island, the nation and the world are now facing a global pandemic of unheard of proportions, and;

WHEREAS, the Chebeague Transportation Company (CTC), a 501(c)(3) corporation, has provided an essential service and saved many lives transporting rescue patients from the unbridged island of Chebeague to the mainland for almost fifty (50) years at no cost to the patients, and;

WHEREAS, CTC has entered into a Memorandum of Understanding with the Town of Chebeague Island (09/18/2008) stating that “CTC will transport by boat any sick or injured patients being in the care of Chebeague Island Fire & Rescue,” and;

WHEREAS, CTC was recognized by the Legislature of the State of Maine in recognition of CTC’s emergency medical transportation services, and, and;

WHEREAS, CTC already transports non-rescue passengers who may test positive for the COVID-19 virus, with or without the passenger’s knowledge;

THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED that the Town of Chebeague Island implores CTC to continue to safely transport all rescue patients, including COVID-19 patients, using appropriate personal protection equipment and protocols on either the Independence or the Islander.

GIVEN BY VOTE OF ITS BOARD OF SELECTMEN
April 1, 2020

DECLARATION OF APPRECIATION
of the Town of Chebeague Island
Regarding Emergency Medical Transports

On behalf of the Citizens of Chebeague Island, Maine, we hereby express our sincere appreciation to Janet Mills, Governor of the State of Maine, and to all the State people and departments who are working towards securing safe transportation for COVID-19 patients from the unbridged island of Chebeague to the mainland for emergency medical care. We pray that such transports will never be necessary, but if they are, we know that this critical transportation link will help to save lives.

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