

Comment for Thursday night

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To: Members of the Alna Selectboard

Re: Proposed Stipulated Judgment, Docket No. CV-2022-2

I am concerned that the proposed judgement does not include adequate support for the Sheepscot River, Alna's Ordinances, Alna's Residents, Alna's Boards, & The Abutters.

1. If an illegal structure remains, why would a Sportsmans Club also be allowed to utilize this structure? Wouldn't this only increase the "traffic" adding more stress to the Abutters and the River?
2. Due to the magnitude of this ongoing issue, would a town vote (by ballot) on a settlement be more appropriate? Should only 2 of Alna's Residents (the Selectboard members) be expected to make this decision when it has impacted all Alna Residents to such a degree?
3. Please do not rush into this or any settlement. May we all process the information received through October 19th and then **Pause**. A final settlement decision on this night is not the correct way to resolve a matter of this importance . A coma in the wrong place, or one wrong word can create a different outcome, than intended, for either party. May we all work together to create a more supportive settlement for all Alna Residents, and the River?

Thank you for your time,

Deborah Brown