The Pines Foundation

Fire Island Pines SEASHORE DEFENSE FUND

The Seashore Defense Fund is an emergency funding mechanism of FIPPOA that allows for immediate action when catastrophe faces Fire Island Pines' most valuable asset—its incomparable beaches. We are grateful for your continued support.

We installed 25,000 feet of serpentine fencing in November. This has been our most ambitious sand fencing effort yet. As an added boost, the Pines Conservancy Society joined forces with the SDF and fertilized the dune's American beach grass the entire mile length of the Pines with 1,300 pounds of an organic sea kelp fertilizer at their expense. It was wonderful to see this partnership and we are grateful to PCS. Our aim is to help the grass flourish and encourage more sand aggregation to protect the beach and homes from future storms.



It was a heavy dip into the SDF coffers. Our goal is to repeat this effort in 2023 and years to come. We hope you will consider a donation to continue helping the SDF prepare, protect and preserve our most precious resource - our dunes.

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Thank you and happy holidays.

Russell Saray, Seashore Defense Fund Chair