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## **Public Comment**

A wild idea came to me recently. Would it be possible to retrofit the Kent dam in Scituate for hydroelectric power? The dam has a capacity of 284 feet. This might be high enough to run turbines that are cost effective. In fact there are other dams and rivers in Rhode Island that could feasibly operate hydro power as well.

Please let me know if hydro power has been discussed on the council.