Press Release Coastal Maine Regional Broadband jcasson@cmrb.me August 18, 2023

## WISCASSET LIBRARY RECEIVES DIGITAL EQUITY GRANT FUNDS

Wiscasset, ME: Coastal Maine Regional Broadband (CMRB), a regional partner of the Maine Connectivity Authority, has partnered with the Wiscasset Public Library to help improve the digital landscape and encourage digital equity for residents of Lincoln County.

CMRB has awarded the Wiscasset Library a grant of \$2000. The library plans to use the funds to improve internet access and to purchase several tablets/e-readers for public use. The Wiscasset Public Library is located at 21 High Street in Wiscasset. For hours and contact information please visit their website at: <u>https://wiscasset.lib.me.us/</u>

CMRB strives to make digital access a reality for people across coastal Maine, by ensuring full broadband connectivity and affordability to homes and businesses, uniting people with the devices needed to connect, and encouraging training to build skills for all ages. CMRB serves the Midcoast region of Lincoln, Knox, and Sagadahoc Counties.

Coastal Maine Regional Broadband offers both digital resources and broadband infrastructure planning to communities in Lincoln, Knox, and Sagadahoc Counties. To learn more about Coastal Maine Regional Broadband visit their website at <u>CMRB.me</u>



Pamela Dunning, Director, Wiscasset Library receiving the grant award from Julie Casson, Community Digital Planner, Coastal Maine Regional Broadband.