**MAINE HISTORIC PRESERVATION COMMISSION**

**Inventory Data for Municipal Growth Management Plans**

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Municipality: **GOULDSBORO.**

Inventory data as of : April 2021

Twenty-eight sites are known, all located in the coastal zone (mainland and islands). About half of the sites are significant shell midden sites, and some of the most important archaeological digs of the mid 20th century were on sites in Gouldsboro. The Abbe Museum in Bar Harbor has collections from several sites in Gouldsboro.

Needs for further survey, inventory, and analysis:

Continued coastal zone survey is needed, especially in the Prospect Harbor/Birch Harbor portion of the coast.

At present we can not provide a map of the archaeological site locations (at ½ km resolution) because of retirement of our GIS/mapping staff member.