

*KURE BEACH
BEAUTIFICATION MEETING
DECEMBER 11, 2006*

The meeting was called to order at 4:30 PM at the Town Hall with the following in attendance:

*Barry Nelder, Co-chair
Bill Ufferman, Liaison
Tony Gonsalves
Herb Wiebe
Ken Withrow*

*Priscilla Smith, Secretary
Candice Clark
Anne Lyons
Mike Blaskos*

The committee welcomed the four new members. The new members were brought up to date regarding the palm trees on 6th St. S. and the motions that were made and approved at the November 6th meeting. They were also advised of the progress regarding Atlantic Avenue and the Sandman green space area.

Three palm trees have been relocated to a home-owners property. There were four trees that were too close to the oaks and needed to be removed. Mr. Ufferman will check out which trees were relocated and advise the committee.

Town Hall landscaping: Landscaper Russ Marini has been helpful with this project, Herb Wieve made a motion to accept Russ Marini's bid with the provision he use deer resistant plants that the committee approves of. By motion made, seconded and carried the committee will advise Mr. Marini of their decision.

Co-chair Nelder will contact Ryan Bradshaw regarding drawing up a plan for the reforesting of the Sandman Green space area. Mr. Bradshaw has been helpful in the past, attended our meeting, and aged to help on future projects.

Mr. Nelder visited Oak Island to see their plantings and recommended the committee to try to visit. The work done is excellent and could help the committee come up with ideas that would work here.

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The following literature was distributed to the committee members:

- 1. The N.C. Parks & Recreation Trust Fund.*
- 2. Pet Station Dog Waste Disposal.*
- 3. Parks & Recreation, Advocacy Update.*
- 4. Camouflage Gardening, Deer Resistant Plants.*

Discussion ensued on whether to change the day of the January meeting from the 2nd Monday to the first Wednesday as the Secretary will be unable to attend the 2nd Monday meeting. It was decided not to change the day of the meeting and Candice Clark will take the minutes of the Jan, Feb and March meetings.

Atlantic Ave: Barry Nedler met with John Sawyer, Architects and they are in the process of reviewing the surveys and will get back to the committee when they are finished.

The meeting was adjourned at 5:45 PM. The next scheduled meeting will be on Monday, January 8th at 4:30 PM in the Town Hall.