KURE BEACH

SHORELINE ACCESS AND PARKING COMMITTEE

JUNE 5, 2012

The meeting was called to order at 5:00 pm at the Town Hall with the following in attendance:

Tony Gonsalves, Co-Chair Priscilla Smith, Secretary

Jim Smith, Co-Chair Richard Graham

Also attending: Mike Bledsoe, interested party.

By motion made, seconded and carried the minutes from the April meeting were adopted. By motion made, seconded and carried the agenda for the June meeting were adopted. Persons to address Committee: Mike Bledsoe, who is interested in joining our committee, attended the meeting. We discussed the committee and its goals. By motion made, seconded and carried the committee gave approval for Mike to submit his application to Council and advised him that we would welcome his participation.

OLD BUSINESS:

- 1. TDA involvement for Parking Map. This is ongoing.
- 2. Joe Eakes park Completed. This project has been completed
- 3. Coral Parking. We are still waiting for entrance approval on K.
- 4. Withers and Ravenel have completed the Coral Parking Map.
- 5. The encroachment process for new parking on K is in process.
- 6. Obtaining an additional crosswalk at Ave. M is in process.
- 7. Beach Access Wood Signs project is waiting for the sample from September Signs.
- 8. Bring before Council. Withers and Ravenel to design J-E beach access.
- 9. By motion made, seconded and carried the Committee will bring before Council permission to purchase on Beach Wheelchair for the amount, not to exceed\$2500.00.

NEW BUSINESS:

- a. Discuss summer schedule. By motion made, seconded and carried the Committee voted to not hold a meeting in July and August. If something comes up that needs attention the committee will readdress this.
- b. The committee's present liaison has difficulty in attending our meetings. We are requesting liaison whom is able to attend all meetings.
- c. Sidewalks on Ave K. This is a new project that the Committee will address in the future.
- d. Paid Parking. The committee has been asked three times to investigate paid parking in Kure Beach by individual members of the Council. Each time, after lengthy investigation, the Council has rejected the idea. We would appreciate any further requests be made by at least the majority of the council.

The meeting was adjourned at 5:50pm. The next scheduled meeting will be on September 4th at 5:00 PM at the Town Hall.

Respectfully submitted

Priscilla Smith.

SLAP Accomplishments to date:

- 1. A parking study conducted by the WPO, at no cost to the Town.
- 2. 4 Pedestrian crosswalks on Ft. Fisher Blvd. We requested 4 and the 5th is in progress.
- 3. The basketball court received new fencing.
- 4. "P" parking signs have been approved and installed.
- 5. 50 + parking slots have been defined at Joe Eakes Park.
- 6. Approval for two lights at Joe Eakes Park basketball area. They have been installed.
- 7. Additional parking at the Coral has been defined and the map by Withers and Ravenel has been completed.
- 8. Cape Fear Coast/Wilmington TDA Map is complete and will be on the New revised Web Site.