KURE BEACH SHORELINE ACCESS, BEACH PROTECTION AND PARKING COMMITTEE MAY 5, 2015

The meeting was called to order at 4:00 PM at the Town Hall with the following in attendance:

Tony Gonsalves, Chair Andy Barnard, Co-Chair Priscilla Smith, Secretary

Jim SmithSusan WaltersMike BledsoeAnn HughesKerry GarriganLinda Cheshire

Sara Smith Patricia Edgecomb

By motion made, seconded and carried the Minutes from the April meeting were approved. By motion made, seconded and carried the Agenda for the May meeting were approved. There were no one to speak to the committee.

OLD BUSINESS:

- 1. TDA Project, as M.L. was unable to attend there are no changes.
- 2. Corral Parking, Tony Gonsalves. Tony reported the work is scheduled to start this week or next week. After completion of the spaces the sign will be taken care of.
- 3. J E Beach Access, Jim Smith. There are no changes at this time.
- 4. Re-define parking spaces on Ft. Fisher Blvd. Jim Smith. The contractor who did the repaving did not remark all the spaces. The Town will have to finish this project.
- 5. Sea Oats, Mike Bledsoe. Mike procured the required number of plants, etc. for the planting.
- 6. Turtle Nests, Patricia Edgecomb. Pat reporter there were no new nests at this time,
- 7. Ave. H. beach access. There is a grant available to fund this project. The application is in the process of being completed. As this is a handicap situation there is a good chance we can get this grant.
- 8. Beach Sweep, April 11th. Susan reported the weather was very bad but 25 volunteers did a very good job.
- 9. Sea Oats Planting, April 18th. Mike and Susan reported there were 50 volunteers and as the sand was still wet from the rains, the planting went smoothly. 3,000 sea oats were planted.
- 10. Brochure for bikers. Kerry has completed this brochure and they have been distributed. The reports have been excellent.
- 11. Goals for 2015 and 2016
- 12. The Keep Off The Dunes signs are missing in several locations. Susan, Ann, and Sara will monitor the beach and pinpoint where new signs are needed.
- 13. Christmas Trees to help the Dunes. Susan will check out if this is possible.
- 14. The Committee has voted to eliminate the July Meeting.

The meeting was adjourned at 5:05 PM. The next scheduled meeting will be on June 2^{nd} . At 4:00PM at the Town Hall.

Respectfully Submitted

Priscilla Smith