

*KURE BEACH
SHORELINE ACCESS, BEACH PROTECTION
AND PARKING COMMITTEE
SEPTEMBER 6, 2016*

The meeting was called to order at 3:55 PM at the Town Hall with the following in attendance:

Susan Walters, Chair

Priscilla Smith, Secretary

Sara Smith

Jim Smith

Ann Hughes

Mike Bledsoe

Dennis Panicali

By motion made seconded and carried the Minutes of the August meeting were approved. Randy Bock and Pamela O'Quinn were present at the meeting. They have presented their Application to become members of our Committee. Mr. Bock gave a synopsis of why he would like to join the committee. Ms. O'Quinn also gave a synopsis of why she would like to join the committee. By Motion made, seconded and carried the committee voted to accept both Mr. Bock and Ms. O'Quinn as new members of the SLABP&P Committee. Their names will be submitted to the Council for approval.

By motion made, seconded and carried the Agenda for the September meeting were approved.

OLD BUSINESS:

Active:

- 1. Adopt a Beach. Ann Hughes reported there were no changes at this time. She also gave a brief description of what the Adopt a Beach program does.*
- 2. TDA. There are no changes.*
- 3. Six (6) spaces Ft. Fisher Blvd. Jim Smith reported that five of the spaces have been approved
By DOT and that we are waiting for final approval.*
- 4. I & E Beach Access Grant. The projected time for the start of this project is November. John Batson will be overseeing the project.*
- 5. Signage at the Beach. Sara Smith presented the recommendations for discussion as well the comments she and Dennis received. Sara and Dennis will set up a meeting with Sonny
to discuss this project.*
- 6. Brochures. There are no changes.*

Permanent:

- a. Beach Sweeps. Susan reported that there were 130 students who participated in this years
Sweep. This is the 16th year that the Honors College have participated in a Sweep. Susan presented them with a plaque honoring their dedication.*
- b. Turtle Nests, Ann reported Kure Beach has twelve (12) nests. To date, six (6) nests have hatched.*
- c. Sea Oats, Mike Bledsoe reported no change.*
- d. Christmas Trees, No change.*

- e. Grant Cycle. This is the time we will be starting to look for possible grants.*
- f. Paid Parking, No change.*
- g. Storm water. Dennis plans to discuss this with Sonny.*

NEW Business;

- A. Open Discussion, Due to the amount of work required to effectively lead this committee we are thinking about adding a Co-Chair.*

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

Respectfully submitted,

Priscilla Smith