

MEMORANDUM

December 8, 2006

TO: Kure Beach Town Council

CC. Town Clerk, Attorney, Stormwater Committee

FROM: Mac Montgomery

SUBJECT: Stormwater Committee Minutes December 2006

The Stormwater Committee met on December 4, 2006. The following members were present: Vinny Doran, Ted Gragg, Barry Nelder, Eric Vann, Karen Vatrt and Mac Montgomery.

The Committee briefly reviewed the Application for a mini-grant from the Clean Water Management Trust Fund for mapping of the system. The grant is for approximately \$15,900. The Committee concurred with the application.

The Committee briefly noted that the Town's Phase II Permit application was still out for public comment that was due to end Dec 22.

The State Stormwater Info Group is scheduled to meet on Jan 12, 2006 at the NHC Extension Service. Members were encouraged to attend. A BMP Training Class will be conducted Jan 16-17 at the same location.

The Committee agreed to try to have the draft Stormwater Ordinance ready by the end of February. Eric is heading this effort.

The Committee elected Eric Vann as Chairman and Karen Vatrt as Vice-Chair. Mac Montgomery and Jim Dugan will serve as liaison and Sonny Beeker will be ex-officio member.

Karen introduced Jennifer Butler, City of Wilmington Stormwater Services and Dru Harrison from the New Hanover Soil and Water Conservation District. They made a brief presentation on water pollution using an environmental model. We had a long discussion about public education issues and how they could help.

Dru has a presentation tailored for Home Owner's Associations and we will query them to see if there is interest. We will also capture and use some of the educational handouts they already have prepared. The committee agreed to continue staying in touch with them.

