Kure Beach Shoreline Access, Beach Protection Committee

Minutes of March 2, 2021

Members PresentZoomMembers AbsentDennis Panicali- ChairPat TriplettJohn KiwahaEd WhiteAnn HughesJoseph WhitleyMike BledsoeRandy BockLiz Kiwaha

Meeting was called to order by Chairman Panicali at 5:07PM via in person and teleconference.

Minutes from February Meeting were approved unanimously.

Public Input

none

Old Business

Adopt a Beach Website

- -No new information
- -Sign up live on TOKB website

Beach Booster Program

- -Finalized and approved by council
- -Information will be put on the website
- -Public Works knows they need to do some rearranging

Emergency Location Signs

- -The signs are proposed to replace the old address ones
- -Suggested the current signs be changed to red to be more visible
- -Fire Chief suggested more than just on the beach access
- -It will need to be decided if the signs will have the address, or locations will be numbered.
- -Will the signs be stand-alone or replace the current ones
- -Towers will be numbered to match address

Beach Access Sign Inventory

- -Weather permitting, the inventory will be done on March 12
- -Randy will be available to ride along
- -This is an ongoing initiative year after year
- -Town Council will be asked to provide \$5000 annually for this program
- -GPS will be used to determine exact location

Life Guard Stands

-Have been approved and the fire department is building

Ocean Life Project

- -Depends on the vaccination progress
- -No training will be done like in the past
- -Some members are not returning
- -It was discussed that maybe those that have vests could wear their vests when picking up trash

Parking Update

- -Most questions are centered around how people can get a pass
- -Starts April 1 and will be in effect until September 30
- -2 cars per family/owner for \$20 each
- -Proceeds go to paving roads and drainage
- -Free church parking from 8AM 1PM on Sundays

New Business

-None

Meeting was adjourned at 5:56 PM

Next Meeting - 04/06/2021

Respectfully submitted Ed White, Secretary