

**Construction of Ocean Front Park
Groundbreaking Ceremony July 16th at 1 pm**

The Town is pleased to announce that construction of the Ocean Front Park will begin the week of July 11, 2011. The Town has contracted with Integrity Builders LLC. The park site will include an open air pavilion with a stage area for concerts and educational events; a public restroom; a small playground for young children; a rain garden; walking path with memorial pavers, native plantings and swings and benches. The park site will also include an underground storm water infiltration system that will retain approximately four blocks of storm water.

Additionally, as part of the construction, the Town will replace the paving on Atlantic Avenue in front of the park with asphalt sloped to pervious pavers in the parking spaces for storm water management. The Town will also replace the two blocks of existing boardwalk from K to L Avenue.

Beginning July 11, 2011, all parking on the west side of Atlantic Avenue in front of the park site will be removed and this area will be used as a construction staging area. The Town has identified seventy-six (76) new parking spaces two and a half (2 ½) blocks north of the pier and will be placing signage at these locations.

We apologize in advance for any inconvenience construction during the summer months may cause. Atlantic Avenue and the boardwalk will remain open as much as is possible during this time. Due to circumstances beyond the Town's control and grant timelines, construction must begin. The Town anticipates no work will be done to Atlantic Avenue or the boardwalk until after the Labor Day weekend.

The Town will be offering the opportunity in the near future to contribute to the park by sponsoring a bench, swing, garden and or plantings, memorial pavers and general donations for future additions or upkeep.