

*KURE BEACH
CITIZENS BEACH PROTECTION COMMITTEE
MARCH 5, 2008*

The meeting was called to order at 3:30 PM at the Town Hall with the following in attendance:

Tom Barber, Superintendent

Phylis Mojzis

Dick Graham

Tony Gonsalves

Nola Jackson

Also Attending: Jim Vatrt, Council Liaison

By motion made, seconded and carried the agenda was adopted with three (3) additions.

By motion made, seconded and carried the minutes of the February meeting was adopted without change.

Old Business:

- 1. The turtle decals seem to be remaining firm and additional decals will be affixed at spring cleanup.*
- 2. Tom has spoken with John Batson concerning crossover heights. We would like to pursue a 29 inch height over the dunes, therefore eliminating a need for handrails to be constructed.*
- 3. Jim Vatrt attended the Washington DC meetings with NCBIWAYS, these trips help secure funding for waterway projects in North Carolina. Marlowe & Assoc. are lobbyists and can be very helpful in gaining funds for renourishment.*
- 4. Mike McIntyre's bill H.R. 68: This bill, if passed would extend the renourishment program. No activity as of this date.*
- 5. Town Beach Ordinances. Our committee has to wait for more direction from Town Council as to how we are going to proceed.*
- 6. Global warming and sea level rise are still active.*
- 7. Review of Beach 101 articles. We have several almost ready for the website.*
- 8. A "Keep America Beautiful" Cigarette Butt meeting on March 19. All three beach towns are trying to make an impact on beach litter.*

NEW BUSINESS

1. *There were no residents to address the committee.*
2. *Ocean Front Park. Phyllis handed out a plan for the new park. Please ask 10 people for their input and send that info to Tom.*
3. *Spring clean up and grass planting. April 12th is the date for the spring clean up and planting. We had discussed the 19th, but Tom will not be available.*
4. *Fertilizing: The committee unanimously agreed to fertilize the dunes again this year. Money available, Tom to write contract Purchase Order.*
5. *KB Town Street Fair 4.26.08: There will be a committee tent and table. We need to decide what our committee can present, and who can help man the table. Ideas include our Mission Statement, and a large poster of the 'Beach Etiquette Magnet' we made up last year. Vitex cards, beach ashtrays, and our Beach 101 articles. Tom will look through info available at Sea Grant.*
6. *Budget: The committee reviewed the budget line items. Tom & Jim Vatrt will submit the budget proposal on 3.12.08*

The meeting was adjourned at 4:50 PM. The next scheduled meeting will be at 3:30 PM on Tuesday, April 1, 2008 at the Town Hall.

*Respectfully submitted,
Tom Barber*