

*KURE BEACH
BEAUTIFICATION MEETING
SEPTEMBER 9, 2008*

The meeting was called to order at 4:00 PM at the Town Hall with the following in attendance:

<i>Ken Withrow, Chair</i>	<i>Priscilla Smith, Secretary</i>
<i>Ron Eccleston</i>	<i>Candace Clark</i>
<i>Gary Cox</i>	<i>John Gordon</i>
<i>Tony Gonsalves</i>	<i>Herb Wiebe</i>
<i>Also attending:</i>	<i>Michelle James, Town Administrator</i>
	<i>Barry Nelder, Liaison, John Batson, CAMA</i>
	<i>Chuck Keener, Paula Withrow</i>
	<i>Rhoda & Archie Tsangarides</i>

By motion made, seconded and carried the minutes of the August 11th meeting was approved with the correction of changing Z to R .

OLD BUSINESS:

- A. Sandman Project is on hold*
- B. Standard Signs is on hold*
- C. Atlantic Avenue:*

Candace Clark attended a meeting with Barry Nelder, John Batson, Philip Humphrey and Dean Lambert. Ken Withrow was unable to attend. The meeting addressed the problems with the Atlantic Avenue project. The discussion was basically regarding the type of walkway to be constructed. Should it be a raised Hatteras style, a raised boardwalk style or a hatteras style flush with the sand.

After reviewing Ms. Clarks notes, a motion by Tony Gonsalves to request the council to formerly ask CAMA if we could have a variance to construct a hatteras walkway on the sand and not raised. This motion was seconded by Gary Cox and carried by all attending the meeting. Ken will present this request to council.

Ms. Tsangarides, a resident of Atlantic Avenue commented on the type of walkway she would prefer. The committee appreciated the concern of the residents and thanked the Tsangarides for their input.

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Trees on 6th Ave. The dead palm trees are still on 6th Avenue. The committee requested that the town remove the dead trees in as timely a fashion as possible.

NEW BUSINESS

John Gordon noted that he would try to obtain a grant for more trees to be planted in the town. Gary Cox agreed to look into the possibility of making the town a "Tree City". This would enable us to apply for larger grants.

The meeting was adjourned at 5:00 PM. The next scheduled meeting will be October 13, 2008 at the Town Hall.

Respectfully submitted,

Priscilla Smith