

KURE BEACH

BEAUTIFICATION MEETING

JULY 13, 2009

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

Ken Withrow, Chairman

Priscilla Smith, Secretary

Bob Falco

Herb Wiebe

Tony Gonsalves

John Gordon

Also attending:

Barry Nelder, Liaison

Dean Lambert, Council Member

By motion made, seconded and carried the minutes of the June 8th meeting was approved.

OLD BUSINESS:

- A. Sandman Project. This project is still on hold.*
- B. Standard Signs. This project is still on hold.*
- C. Atlantic Avenue. This project is progressing. The committee is still waiting to hear from Council on the landscaping plans.*
- D. City Hall Landscape. The town will be doing the maintenance ..*

NEW BUSINESS:

- A. Bob Falko/committee charter. This will be addressed later.*
- B. Tree City. Bob Falco has done considerable research toward obtaining a Tree City designation for Kure Beach. This would enable the town to obtain additional grants for trees and planting, etc. He will be meeting with The Town Administrator and then council on this subject and advise the committee.*
- C. Meeting with council. The Beautification Committee and the Town Council will be meeting on Tuesday, July 14th. One of the items that will be discussed will be the Mission of the Committee. The Committee reviewed the present Mission and made the following changes: (see changes after Budget)*

D. Budget: Ken Withrow presented the requested budget to Council. He requested a budget of \$3200.00. The Council reduced the amount to \$1700.00.. This will be discussed at Tuesday's meeting.

CHANGES TO THE BEAUTIFICATION COMMITTEE'S MISSION STATEMENT:

- 1. Delete line 2.*
- 2. Delete "individuals, and to public and private organizations, and agencies" from line 3 and add The Town of Kure Beach.*
- 3. Delete line 6*
- 4. Change Commission to Committee.*

The committee was presented with a list of all the activities that have been addressed since the onset of the Committee in August of 2002.

The meeting was adjourned at 5:10 PM. The next scheduled meeting will be August 10, 2009 at 4:00PM at the Town Hall.

Respectfully submitted,

Priscilla Smith

REVISED MISSION STATEMENT:

- 1. To initiate, promote and assist in the implementation of programs of general community beautification in Kure Beach.*
- 2. To provide leadership and guidance in matters of area or community design and appearance to the Town of Kure Beach.*
- 3. To formulate and recommend to the governing body the adoption of amendments of ordinance (including the zoning and other local ordinances regulating the use of property) that will, in the opinion of the Committee, serve to enhance the appearance of the municipality and its surrounding areas.*
- 4. To direct the attention of Kure Beach officials to needed enforcement of any ordinances that may in any way affect the appearance of Kure Beach.*
- 5. To promote public interest in and an understanding of its recommendations, studies and plans, and to that end to prepare, publish and distribute studies and reports as will, in the opinion of the Committee advance the cause of improved municipal appearance.*
- 6. To request public input of beautification ideas and thoughts for Kure Beach*