

Shoreline Access and Parking Committee Meeting
September 2, 2008

Meeting Called to order at 5:00pm

In Attendance: Sandi Whaley, Pat Smith, Jim Smith, Tony Gonsalves, Linda Cheshire, Mac Montgomery, Michelle James, Dean Lambeth

Unexcused: Fred Tesh

1. Agenda adopted
2. June 3, 2008 minutes adopted

OLD BUSINESS

• **Long Range Projects**

1. K Ave West Parking extension and sidewalks: Mac reports the Metropolitan Plan Organization will conduct a parking study and look at all options. Then give a recommendation to the town at no charge. The council approves of this concept. Mac wants the SLAP committee to work with MPO.
2. New Ocean Front Park walkway and gazebo: Ocean Front Park committee meets tomorrow. Jim Smith will attend. OFP will be making requests for proposals for park design. Grant cycles begin in January.
3. New Walkway and Lifeguard Shack at J Ave.: This is one of SLAP'S recommended locations for a permanent restroom and Lifeguard Shack. Walkway would also need improvements.
4. Ocean Front Park restroom will be addressed by the Park committee.
5. Repair old Boardwalk: CAMA might be willing to use left over funds from the Atlantic Ave boardwalk to repair old boardwalk.
6. Solar lighting at Beach accesses: Project has not been approved. Mac suggests SLAP make a proposal to Council. Michelle suggests we seek funds from a green solar & water conservation organization.

• **2008-2009 Budget**

To be revised

• **New Business**

1. Atlantic Avenue status: Ongoing. Will discuss it next month.
2. Additional permanent restroom locations: Eakes Park, I Ave, & J Ave. Michelle reports that the Army has approved of placing a bathroom at Eakes Park. SLAP recommends a permanent bathroom at I Ave and to increase parking west to the end of I Ave... Michelle suggests that SLAP present to council a proposal for: **a.** Eakes Park Bathroom **b.** I Ave bathroom & increased parking **c.** Solar lighting for beach access walkovers. Priority will be placed on Eakes Park Bathroom project.
3. Tony Gonsalves was elected chairman of the SLAP Committee.
4. Michelle will arrange a meeting for SLAP with a representative from CAMA & MPO.

MEETING ADJOURNED @ 5:55pm.

Minutes respectfully submitted by Linda Cheshire