

Kure Beach

Shoreline Access and Parking Committee Minutes

February 5, 2013

The meeting was called to order at 5:00pm at Town Hall with the following in attendance:

Tony Gonsalves Chairperson

Clifton Beasley

Linda Cheshire Alternate Secretary

Commissioner Steve Pagley Liaison

Richard Graham III

January 3, 2013 minutes approved and adopted

February 5, 2013 agenda approved and adopted

Persons to address the committee: None

OLD BUSINESS:

1. TDA involvement for the Parking is still on-going. Richard has updated the map to show handicap access. He suggested that handicap signs be removed from accesses that have only stairs.
2. K ave sidewalk is waiting for the completion of the Sunny Point Greenway
3. Coral Parking waiting for completion of the Sunny Point Greenway
4. The encroachment process for new parking on K on Hold
5. Beach Access Wood signs have been redone and installed.
6. To be brought before Council: Withers and Ravenel to design J-E beach access to improve parking. ON HOLD until new budget is approved.
7. Talked with the person in charge of the wheelchair fundraiser. Discussed several ideas regarding handicapped wheel chairs. Tony requested 2 stainless steel chairs. Fundraiser brought in \$15,000 from island supporters. Funds are to be distributed where needed. Home Depot is provided a \$10,000 grant for storage sheds.
8. There are 4 new handicapped parking spaces on Atlantic Ave. Richard says that the sign for the handicap space by the pier has been removed but the pavement marker remains. SLAP committee feels that the space is needed. Richard will speak with Sonny about the sign and why it was removed.
9. The town has approved the repair of the damaged beach accesses # 1207, 1255, & 1347 to be done after the beach renourishment. #1347 will have a ramp added at the entrance and enlarged viewing deck to accommodate handicap access.

9. Goals for 2012 & 2013 need to be updated.

NEW BUSINESS:

1. Working on "No Dogs on the Beach" signs with Beach Protection. Signs are to be approved by Council. Cost: \$733. 49 signs at \$14 each. Richard suggests additional signs be given to the community private beach accesses for continuity. Cliff suggests signs be placed on lifeguard stands also.
2. At the Joint Committee Chairpersons Meeting we are going to work on new and redesigned signage on the beach front access. There are too many signs there now. CAMA Signs are required. Will work toward a maximum of 4 signs.

Meeting adjourned at 5:50pm.

Next meeting is March 5, 2013 5:00pm at Town Hall

Minutes respectfully Submitted by,

Linda Cheshire