

KURE BEACH

SHORELINE ACCESS AND PARKING COMMITTEE

MAY 5, 2013

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

Tony Gonsalves, Chair

Priscilla Smith, Secretary

Jim Smith, Co-Chair

Clifton Beasley

Mike Bledsoe

By motion made, seconded and carried the minutes from the February meeting were adopted.

By motion made, seconded and carried the agenda for the May meeting were adopted.

Persons to address the committee. None

OLD BUSINESS:

- 1. TDA involvement for the parking is still on-going.*
- 2. K Ave sidewalk is still on hold until completion of the Sunny Point Greenway*
- 3. Coral Parking is also on hold until completion of the Sunny Point Greenway.*
- 4. New Parking on K Ave is still on hold.*
- 5. Withers & Ravenel to design J-E beach access is still on hold until the new budget is completed.*
- 6. Two SS Wheelchairs. This has been approved the town has received the two new wheelchairs from the Island Women's fund raiser. This bring the number of wheelchairs available to 5.*
- 7. Handicap parking spaces. There are two spaces on Atlantic Ave but only one has a handicap sign at this time.*
- 8. Damaged beach accesses. The three damaged accesses (#1207, 1255, and 1347) have been repaired.*
- 9. Goals for 2012 & 2013 have not changed.*
- 10. Access 1347's viewing platform has not and will not be replaced at this time.*
- 11. The No Dogs on the Beach Signs are being installed on both the beach and road sides of the accesses.*

NEW BUSINESS:

- a. SLAP, along with the Beach Protection Committee will be working together to redesign the signage on the beach accesses.*
- b. The following signs have been ordered from September Signs and are being installed:*
 - 1. "No Bird Feeding"*
 - 2. "No Dogs"*
 - 3. "Public Beach Access"*

OTHER:

- a. Life Guard Stands and Parking. At present the town has nine (9) lifeguard stands on the beach. This year they are being repositioned to improve the coverage of the busiest areas. There is a*

need for parking spaces at some of the lifeguard areas, i.e. F Ave, H Ave, J Ave and at the pier next to the lifeguard shack.

By motion made, seconded and carried, the committee instructed Tony to request permission to use a maximum of 6 spaces for parking for the lifeguards and to designate with signs those areas.

The meeting was adjourned at 5:40PM. The next scheduled meeting will be on June 4th at 5:00PM at the Town Hall.

Respectfully submitted,

Priscilla Smith