

*KURE BEACH  
SHORELINE ACCESS, BEACH PROTECTION,  
AND PARKING COMMITTEE  
JANUARY 7, 2014*

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

<i>Tony Gonsalves, Chair</i>	<i>Priscilla Smith, Secretary</i>
<i>Andy Barnard, Co-Chair</i>	<i>Beth Yaccarino, Co-Secretary</i>
<i>Jim Smith</i>	<i>Susan Walters</i>
<i>Richard Graham 11</i>	<i>Patricia Edgecomb</i>
<i>Kerry Garrigan</i>	
<i>Also present: Steve Pagley, Council Liaison</i>	
<i>Absent: Mike Bledsoe, due to weather requirements.</i>	

*By motion made, seconded and carried the minutes from the November SLAP meeting were adopted.*

*By motion made, seconded and carried the minutes from the November Beach Protection meeting were adopted with the following correction: "a. Pipe to Pier Beach Sweep, add Jarad Becken, who attends Carolina Beach School asked to conduct a beach cleanup. He and his friends did a wonderful job and our committee commends Jarad for his participation in keeping the beach clean."*

*By motion made, seconded and carried the agenda for the January meeting of the combined groups were adopted with the following changes:*

- 1. Add to Old Business: Update Brochure, Kerry.*
- 2. Add to Old Business: Enforcement of ordinances.*
- 3. Add to New Business: Vote on name of joined committee*
- 4. Add to New Business: Seismic Testing*

*OLD BUSINESS:*

- 1. TDA. This project is ongoing with Dick making upgrades as they occur to keep the web page up to date.*
- 2. K Ave. Sidewalk. This project is scheduled to begin in January. Bids should be going out before the end of the month.*
- 3. Coral Parking. This project is on hold until K. Ave is completed.*
- 4. J – E beach access parking. This project is on hold until we can get together with the finance officer to obtain new bids.*
- 5. Installation of remaining signs. Tony reported that Sonny has said the signs will be installed this year.*
- 6. Re-define the parking spaces on Ft. Fisher Blvd. This is on hold as the road may be repaved this year.*

7. *Volunteer Dinner/thank you from council. Tony has made a list of all the town's volunteers and the decision was to have zippered hooded sweatshirts with the Town's Logo, in navy blue. All members agree.*
8. *New Member. Beth Yaccarino. The committee welcomed Beth. Tony asked if anyone would be willing to become the Co-Secretary and Beth volunteered.*
9. *Cigarette Butt Sign & holders. We have 24 locations and the council will have to approve the project and determine the impact on public works before any work can ensue. Susan asked if the private access owners would be able to obtain a sign and butt holder. He replied they could for a cost of \$100.00 and the associations would be required to maintain them. Susan will contact the different HOA's and advise them of the opportunity. Jim stated he would check with the owners of his access also.*
10. *Beach Items. This is an ongoing problem during the season and the committee would like to keep everyone current on what is being done.*
11. *Sea Oats. Mike was unable to attend today's meeting. This will be kept on hold at this time.*
12. *Keep America Beautiful. Susan has been doing a super job of coordinating this project. Last year we held three beach sweeps that were very successful.*
13. *Turtle Nests. Susan will liaison with the Turtle People and keep them advised of any problems that occur.*
14. *Brochure update. Kerry will handle the updating of the brochure.*
15. *Enforcement of present town ordinances that pertain to the beach. We will try to set up a meeting with Chief Cooper to discuss this and to see what we can do to assist in seeing that the ordinances are adhered to.*
16. *Goals for 2014 and 2015.*

**NEW BUSINESS:**

- a. *Work on a new Mission Statement. As SLAP and BEACH PROTECTION each have their own Mission Statements we will need to combine them and create a new statement that covers all the various projects the committee undertakes. Kerry will coordinate the ideas from the committee and create a statement for the committee's approval.*
- b. *Committee Name. When the two committee decided to merge we realized that we need a new name that will clarify what our aim is. The committee voted to have the committee called "SHORELINE ACCESS, BEACH PROTECTION, and PARKING COMMITTEE.*
- c. *Seismic Testing. Both Susan and Pat were aware of the possibility of seismic testing. Pat has researched this and has not found anything definitive regarding its effect on ocean life.*

*The meeting was adjourned at 5:25PM. The next scheduled meeting will be on February 4<sup>th</sup> at 4:00PM at the Town Hall.*

*Respectfully submitted,*

*Priscilla Smith*

