

# **Kure Beach Shoreline Access, Beach Protection Committee**

*Minutes of November 7th, 2017*

## ***Members Present***

Dennis Panicali- Chair  
Bill Moore- Secretary  
Mike Bledsoe  
Randy Bock  
Patricia Edgecomb  
David Garceau  
Pat Triplett  
Ed White- Alternate

## ***Members Absent***

Joseph Whitley- Council Rep

Meeting was called to order by Chairman Panicali at 4:00PM in the Community Center.

Minutes from October 3rd Meeting were approved were approved 8 to 0. Motion made by Pat T, seconded by David.

## ***Public Input***

None

## ***New Business***

## ***Old Business***

1. Adopt -A -Beach  
Pat T reported no change.
2. Pat T reported of the remaining turtle nests one hatched 137 turtles. The other had 6 eggs - 2 hatched live, one dead and 3 eggs did not develop
3. Multi - Port Signage
  - Dennis continued his sign presentation. Signs before the cost of framing and installation will cost \$250 to \$280 per sign.
  - We will continue to look for sea creatures to adorn the sign
  - It was decided to keep the address on each sign and drop the letter designation.
  - The Committee reaffirmed its decision not to have the beach signs be reflective
  - Dennis will have a new proto type developed with the following areas in proper places:
    - Left side of the signs will have the flags meanings and the rip tide explanations
    - Right side will have the No Dog Signs w/ dates and indication of this is a handicapped or non handicapped access point. As well as location of handicapped access points

- Lower part to have Non emergency info and town info and a note to " Please Respect the Beach"
  - Center part will have the rules that were simplified at the meeting. They include moving the leash law and clean up after the dog to the bottom of the sign area and emphasizing no alcohol and cleaning up after yourself on the beach to the top of the sign area.
  - We agreed to add no fire works to this section of the sign
4. Ed presented his proposal for a Beach Booster Program. Its purpose was to raise finds to offset the cost of the signs by selling space on the back of the signs. It could be purchased by companies or individuals as a Memorial. Idea was well received. Dennis volunteered to go through Joseph Whitley to find out how we could establish a line item in the budget to hold these finds, how we could draw on them and how to ensure these funds would roll over year to year.
  5. Bill reported a lack of available grant money at this time to support the sign program.

The next meeting is scheduled for Tuesday December 5th at 4PM at the Community Center

Meeting was adjourned at 5:20PM

Respectfully submitted

Bill Moore  
Secretary