

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

*Minutes of March 5, 2019*

## **Members Present**

Dennis Panicali- Chair  
Patricia Edgecomb  
Ed White – Secretary  
Joseph Whitley-Commissioner

## **Members Absent**

Mike Bledsoe  
Randy Bock  
Pat Triplett

Minutes from February Meeting were not approved as we did not have a quorum and will be presented at the next meeting.

Meeting was called to order by Chairman Panicali at 5:07PM in the Temporary Town Hall.

## **Public Input**

Meeting was attended by Tom Winant who was concerned about the details of the beach re-nourishment. He was advised that any decisions made on sand placement care made by the Army Corp of Engineers and any inquiry regarding the same should be directed to them.

Lisa Leppo was present, submitted her application to become a member of the committee and was interviewed by the Committee.

## **Old Business**

### Adopt a Beach

-Waiting for re-nourishment to be completed. Once it is done, a new announcement will go up out.

### Pamphlets/Flyers

-2500 were printed  
-need to plan how to distribute

### Signs

-Sandwich board signs will be used to alert swimmers of the Dow Structure. These will be placed by the life guards each day and moved as the tide dictates.  
-New Dune Signs have been installed

### Beach Sweep

-will not happen until after re-nourishment and Town Hall Dedication

### Sponsorship Signs

-will be discussed with Naming Committee where fees and multi-year options will be discussed  
-a contract is going to be needed and Ed will work on a draft

### Ocean Life Project

- Spencer Rodgers will be coming to 4/2 meeting to discuss dune structure.
- Fire Chief will arrange to have someone present their planned beach safety talk to the Ambassadors in May. Bi-weekly Beach Safety talks by Ocean Safety (Life Guards) will be given this summer.
- Town Council asked that a code of conduct be prepared for ambassadors and that all involved would sign

### ***New Business***

Potential Budget items for next year

- New Access signs at walkways on Atlantic in 2019, 3-4 locations
- Sea Oats, Will consult with Spencer Rodgers can see where they might be needed.
- Beach Sweep Supplies

Discarded Christmas Trees for Dune protection

- This has been done at many other beaches and we will discuss further if this is something we would want to do. Again, Spencer Rodgers can add input.

Volunteers for Town Hall Ribbon Cutting

- Ed W volunteered.

Blue Trash Cans had been spotted on the beach and needed to be emptied.

- Joseph will ask Town Works.

Meeting was adjourned at 6:09PM

Next Meeting 4/2 at 5PM at the New Town Hall

Respectfully submitted

Ed White  
Secretary