

STORM WATER COMMITTEE
January 9, 2007
5:00pm

The Stormwater Committee met on January 9, 2007 at the Town Hall. Attending were: Karen Vattrt, Barry Nedler, Vinny Doran, Ted Gragg, Mac Montgomery, and Sonny Beeker.

Each member of the committee was given copies of the Open Meeting Law, and General Policy and Procedures for Committees.

Karen Vattrt gave an update on Public Outreach and Education and the work she is doing to put together presentations to Homeowners Associations.

Upcoming information and training sessions were discussed:

1. Coastal Stormwater Information Group (SWIG) meeting on January 12 in Wilmington which is conducted by DWQ staff from Raleigh.
2. Stormwater Treatment Practice Inspection & Maintenance Training and Certification course put on by NCSU in Wilmington on Jan. 16&17. Barry Nedler and Eric Vann had registered to attend.
3. Stormwater BMPs Taking Ownership conducted by NCSU will be in Raleigh on Feb. 5.

The committee was brought up to date on the Town's phase II permit. The permit has been modified by DWQ: dropping some items completely and modifying some language on others. Town should receive approved permit by end of February.

The committee was advised there are now two different documents that can be used for Phase II Ordinance preparation. One is titled Phase II Model Ordinance and the other is referred to as the Phase II Universal Ordinance. The committee has the final draft of the Model Ordinance and was advised the Universal Ordinance should be issued before the end of January. Both documents were prepared by the UNC School of Government and both will satisfy the EPA Phase II requirements. Bill Diuguid of DWQ has told Mac and Eric the Universal Ordinance may better fit Kure Beach's needs better than the Model Ordinance.

The committee then spent a considerable amount of time reviewing section one (of five) of the Model Ordinance to understand the document and its implications to new development and redevelopment in our town.