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WEEKLY UPDATES OCTOBER 31, 2022-NOVEMBER 4, 2022

PUBLIC MEETINGS:

Week of November 7, 2022		
Monday, 11/7	7:00PM	Parks & Recreation Committee-Recreation Center
	7:00PM	Police Advisory Committee-Multi-Purpose Room
Tuesday, 11/8	6:30AM	Election Day
	10:00AM	Operations Advisory Committee-Conference Room
Wednesday, 11/9	6:00PM	Town Council Meeting-Council Chambers
Thursday, 11/10	6:00PM	Planning & Zoning Commission-Council Chambers
Friday, 11/11	All Day	Town Hall/Operations CLOSED for Veterans Day

POLICE DEPARTMENT:

Patrol/Investigations:

- A 22 year-old female reported on October 25th she was the victim of Destruction/Damage/Vandalism in the 100 block of Raleigh Avenue, CB. The case is under further investigation.
- A 51 year-old male reported on October 27th he was the victim of Destruction/Damage/Vandalism in the 1700 block of Canal Drive, CB. The case is inactive.
- A 49 year-old male reported on October 28th he was the victim of Simple Assault in the 100 block of Cape Fear Blvd, CB. The case is under further investigation.
- Town of Carolina Beach reported on October 28th they were the victim of Breaking and Entering at 404 South Dow Road, CB. The case is under further investigation.
- A 38 year-old female reported on October 29th she was the victim of Breaking and Entering in the 700 block of Texas Avenue, CB. The case is under further investigation.

Arrests:

- A 19 year-old male was arrested on October 24th in the 300 block of South Carolina Beach Avenue, CB for Assault on Female.
- A 27 year-old female was arrested on October 24th in the 100 block of North Lake Park Blvd, CB for Resist/Delay/Obstruct Public Officers.
- A 30 year-old female was arrested on October 25th in the 100 block of South Lake Park Blvd, CB for Assault on Law Enforcement Officer-Felony.
- A 32 year-old male was arrested on October 28th in the 1900 block of South Lake Park Blvd, CB for Driving While Impaired.
- A 26 year-old male was arrested on October 30th in the 300 block of North Lake Park Blvd, CB for Fail to Appear on Misdemeanor.
- A 38 year-old male was arrested on October 30th in the 1100 block of North Lake Park Blvd, CB for Breaking and Entering.

Civil Citations:

- Civil citations written October 24, 2022-October 30, 2022: **0**

FIRE DEPARTMENT

Fire/Rescue Administration Division:

- Chief met with Fire Chiefs from Kure Beach and Seymore Johnson Air base to finalize annual agreement for fire protection at Ft. Fisher Military Base
- Chief attended bi-monthly meeting Dispatch Review Committee (DRC)
- Chief attended monthly Inlet Association Meeting

Fire/Rescue Prevention Division:

- 3-site visits
- 4-inspections

Fire Rescue Operations Division:


- Weekly maintenance completed on all apparatus
- Staff will be conducting live fire training utilizing the building at 5th Street and Raleigh Ave. on Saturday, November 5th.
- Staff trained on EMT con-ed this week
- Engine company went out to Carolina Sands on Halloween and interacted with the kids and public
- Staff completed Phase 1 of our annual Fit For Duty Physical

Fire Response:

DATE	INCIDENT #	ADDRESS	INCIDENT TYPE	SHIFT
10/28/2022	2022-394842	804 CHARLOTTE AVE	311 - Medical assistance EMS crew	C Shift
10/29/2022	2022-396340	300 S LAKE PARK BLVD	311 - Medical assistance EMS crew	B Shift
10/29/2022	2022-396364	300 S LAKE PARK BLVD	311 - Medical assistance EMS crew	B Shift
10/29/2022	2022-396671	1610 N CAROLINA BEACH AVE	364 - Surf rescue	B Shift
10/30/2022	2022-397862	705 COLUMBIA AVE	743 - Smoke detector activation, no fire - unintentional	A Shift
11/01/2022	2022-399934	805 ROCKY MOUNT AVE	311 - Medical assistance EMS crew	C Shift
11/01/2022	2022-399946	1703 N CAROLINA BEACH AVE	511 - Lock-out	C Shift
11/01/2022	2022-399957	1703 N CAROLINA BEACH AVE	511 - Lock-out	C Shift
11/01/2022	2022-400253	220 N LAKE PARK BLVD	311 - Medical assistance EMS crew	C Shift
11/01/2022	2022-400682	1398 N LAKE PARK BLVD	322 - Motor vehicle accident with injuries	C Shift
11/02/2022	2022-401231	99 ALABAMA AVE	622 - No incident found on arrival at dispatch address	C Shift
11/03/2022	2022-403080	1 HARPER AVE	311 - Medical assistance EMS crew	C Shift
11/03/2022	2022-403964	416 HAMLET AVE	111 - Building fire	C Shift
11/04/2022	2022-404105	304 BAY CT	311 - Medical assistance EMS crew	C Shift
10/28/2022	2022-2500112	100 CHARLOTTE AVE	743 - Smoke detector activation, no fire - unintentional	A Shift
10/30/2022	2022-2500113	702 S LAKE PARK BLVD	410 - Combustible/flammable gas/liquid condition, other	A Shift
10/30/2022	2022-2500114	305 S LAKE PARK BLVD	311 - Medical assistance EMS crew	A Shift
10/30/2022	2022-2500115	308 N LAKE PARK BLVD	550 - Public service assistance, other	A Shift
10/30/2022	2022-2500116	1507 MACKEREL LN	311 - Medical assistance EMS crew	A Shift
10/30/2022	2022-2500117	1507 MACKEREL LN	311 - Medical assistance EMS crew	A Shift
10/31/2022	2022-2500118	312 HARPER AVE	311 - Medical assistance EMS crew	A Shift
10/31/2022	2022-2500119	1615 S LAKE PARK BLVD	745 - Alarm system activation, no fire - unintentional	B Shift
10/31/2022	2022-2500120	1080 SAINT JOSEPH ST	745 - Alarm system activation, no fire - unintentional	B Shift
10/31/2022	2022-2500121	1080 SAINT JOSEPH ST	745 - Alarm system activation, no fire - unintentional	B Shift
11/01/2022	2022-3998881	712 MONROE AVE	311 - Medical assistance EMS crew	C Shift

TOTAL # INCIDENTS: 25

PARKS AND RECREATION

- Check out the Athletic Programs being offered! 
<https://www.carolinabeach.org/government/departments/parks-recreation/athletics>
- Online registration <https://carolinabeach.recdesk.com/Community/Program>
- The youth basketball coaches meeting was held this past week. All coaches received their rosters and will be contacting participants soon. Practices are set to start the weekend of November 12th at 13th. Please reach out to the Recreation Center if you have any questions.

Carolina Beach Youth Basketball League

Our co-ed league is available for everyone ages 6 - 17. The only exception is any registered player who makes Varsity High School Basketball. Those that make varsity teams will receive a full refund. Registration is only \$65.00 for Carolina Beach Residents (must provide proof of residency) and \$80.00 for non-residents. Registration fee includes: weekly team practices, player jersey, 9 regular season games, team awards and learning basketball in a fun environment!

League Schedule	
September 12th - 18th <i>(In-House Only)</i>	Early Registration Period for Carolina Beach residents and those who played last season.
September 19th - October 16th <i>(or until league is full)</i>	Open and Online Registration
November	Practices will begin
December	Games will begin
Single Elimination Tournament	To Be Determined/End of the season

Age* Divisions	Division Basketball Used	Division Rim Height	
6 - 8	Youth (28.5)	8'	<h3 style="text-align: center;">League Notes:</h3> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • 12-14 year old League plays on Thursdays. 15-17 year old League plays on Fridays and 6-8/9-11 on Saturdays. • Age as of August 31, 2022 • A Coach's meeting will be held at the end of October/beginning of November. After the meeting, parents/guardians will be contacted by your coach.
9 - 11	Youth (28.5)	10'	
12 - 14	Adult	10'	
15 - 17	Adult	10'	


Online registration will be available on September 19th! Visit carolinabeach.recdesk.com/Community/Program for online registration. If you have any questions, please contact the Athletic Coordinator at **910-458-2977** or bryce.smithson@carolinabeach.org.

- New fencing was installed along 8th Street at Mike Chappell Park. This fencing helps keep vehicles from parking in the park and provides safety to the playground.
- Please consider being a member of Friends of Carolina Beach Parks and Greenway. There are several opportunities to get involved and help fundraise for park projects. Please visit their website at <https://www.friendsofcbparksandgreenways.org/> for additional information.
- The November Parks and Recreation Advisory Committee meeting will be held on Monday, November 7th at 7:00 PM at the Recreation Center. The public is welcome to attend the meeting.
- Staff has been busy programming for Christmas by the Sea. Please see the below flyer for holiday happenings offered through Carolina Beach Parks and Recreation.



Christmas by the Sea 2022



The Town of Carolina Beach will offer a variety of festive activities this holiday season!

Letters to Santa

Mid-November - December 6th

Write a Letter to Santa using the Carolina Beach Parks and Recreation template. Return your letter to the "North Pole Mailbox" located in front of the Carolina Beach Recreation Center. Santa will mail you a personalized response letter.

Holiday Coves

Late November thru the Beginning of January 2023

Local groups, businesses, and individuals will beautifully decorate the oceanfront greenspace in the Boardwalk area.

Lake Movie

7:00 pm on Friday, Dec 9th

Join us at the Carolina Beach Lake for a Holiday Movie and a visit from Santa Claus. Bring money to purchase on-site food and drink concessions.

Parade

7:30 pm on Friday,
December 2nd

Gather along Lake Park Blvd starting at the Carolina Beach Lake to view an entertaining Holiday Parade.

Holiday Market

9:00 am - 3:00 pm on
Saturday, December 3rd

Finish your holiday shopping by purchasing handmade crafts and delicious treats from creative vendors at the Carolina Beach Lake.

Santa by the Sea

5:00 pm - 7:00 pm on
Saturday, November 26th,
December 3rd, 10th, & 17th

Join us at the Carolina Beach Gazebo Stage to visit with Santa Claus! Children on his Nice List will get a candy cane and an ornament craft. A few other holiday surprises are in store and some activities are weather permitting.

All activities and events are FREE! Some activities are weather permitting. Contact the Carolina Beach Parks and Recreation Department with questions (910) 458 - 2977.

Events:

- Please visit the link for the updated event calendar: <https://www.carolinabeach.org/visitors/events-calendar>
- If you have questions regarding events, please reach out to Tim Murphy at tim.murphy@carolinabeach.org

PLANNING AND DEVELOPMENT

Development Review	
All Permits Received	14
Additions (paid)	1
Driveway/Impervious/Hardscape (paid)	2
Fire (paid)	2
Swimming Pool (paid)	1
Reno/Repair RESIDENTIAL (paid)	2
Certificate of Occupancy	6
Building Inspections	
Building Inspections	30
Building Plan Review	17
Planning and Zoning	
CAMA permits/exemptions	1
Foundation/Piling Survey	3
Zoning Inspection	7
Zoning Plan Review	6
Code Enforcement	
Investigations Researched	3
Received/Reported Complaints	3
Resolved Complaints	3
Town Observed Violations	2
Violation Letters	2

Code Enforcement:

- Enforced sign ordinances throughout town; contacted companies to remove signs.
- Investigated three complaints.

Zoning:

Agenda Items/Meeting Dates	Status
Conditional Zoning: 604 LPBN-Shangri-La-Bar	November 9th-Town Council Meeting
Text Amendment: Golf cart regulations	November 9th-Town Council Meeting
Conditional Zoning: 205, 211 Spartanburg Ave – Social on 2 nd – 26 unit townhomes	November 10th - P&Z
Annexation: 601 Augusta Ave.	December 13th-Town Council Meeting
Text Amendment: Increase density, add multi-family, and non-contiguous parking areas in Neighborhood Business District	TBD
Conditional Zoning: 702 LPBS, 106 Sumter, 701 S 2 nd (MX Commercial/Residential)	TBD

Demolitions:

1416 Swordfish – single-family home



1211 Bonito/1507 Snapper – old pilings



101 N 5th – single-family home



Business:

700 LPBN-new owner of Subway Restaurant



HARBOR/MARINA

Harbor Master Report				
Type	# slips/moorings	# of boats	Dates	
Charter Slips	21	21	7/1/2021	6/30/2022
Transient Headboat slip	1	3		
Transient Slips	n/a	n/a		
Mooring	9	62	10/25/2022	11/7/2022
Myrtle Grove Sound Activity				
Type of Activity	Location		Actions	Date
Closed Mooring Field effective 11/7/2022	Carolina Beach Mooring Field		Press Release; Notified Dockwa; and informed boaters. Any vessel that attaches to mooring ball assumes all risk and liability	11/7/2022
Call Response	North of Oceana		Sunken sailboat. The State is aware, vessel is on state list for removal.	11/7/2022
Patrolled Marina	Marina		Monitor construction area.	11/7/2022
Daily Mooring Field checks	Mooring Field		Secure pennant lines in cups and check for reservations. Seasonal increase started for transit boaters	11/7/2022
Patrolled Harbor	CB Harbor		Daily check for no wake violations, etc.	11/7/2022
Violations				
Vessel Name	Location		Warning/Citation	Date
No Name	New Dock Construction Area		Warning No docking at construction area at Marina	11/6/2022
Various (5)	CB Harbor		Warnings No Wake violations	11/7/2022

Construction Update:



OPERATIONS

WWTP:

- Staff performed all operational/maintenance tasks and laboratory analyses as necessary to maintain compliance with all applicable permits.

Utility Staff:

- Locates, work orders and tap verifications, clearing and demo permits.
- Continuous maintenance of existing road cuts.
- Water meter cut on, off and verifications.
- Service all existing Porta Johns.
- Replace damaged water meter boxes.
- Repair damaged sewer clean outs.
- Install water meters.
- Respond to sewer backups.
- Install Water/Sewer taps.
- Clean Collection Sewer System.

W/S Administration/Billing/Customer Service:

- Applied mail and lockbox payments to account (daily).
- Processed AR box and Online payments (daily).
- Processed Invoice Cloud payments (daily).
- Check and respond to voicemails (daily).
- Processed eight permit payments.
- 1- account setup for Planning.
- 38-FMS accounts setup/closed.

- 10-leak/read adjustments processed.
- 9-meter installs/change outs.
- Posted meter reads.
- Printed and mail monthly utility bill.
- Processed payments for parking, re-entry, golf cart, and freeman park annual passes.

Environmental:

Boardwalk

- Removed sand from accesses

Facilities

- Replaced receptacles around the lake
- Began installing Christmas lights at the Lake

Streets

- Monitored flooding on Canal Drive

Special Events

- Breakdown Octoberfest

Storm water:

- 811 locates: 29
- Site visit resident: 2
- Site visit Contractor: 4
- Stormwater crews jet cleaned pipes on Canal dr. at Saltmarsh, Sea Oats, Sailfish, Periwinkle, Sand fiddler, Florida, Georgia and Virginia Ave.
- Crews added protective mesh for the Lake fountain pumps.

Operations Work Orders:

#Work Orders

Sewer

FMVALVE - Exercise	1
SSMAIN - Backup	1
SSSERVICE - Locate	1

Stormwater

BMP - Clean	1
BMP - Street Sweeper	70 miles swept
811 - Locate	23
LAKE - Fountains	1
Site Visit - Contractor	1
SWPS - General Maintenance	1
SWPS - Replace	1
SWSTRUCTURE - Inspect	1
SWSYSTEM - Vactor	345 feet cleaned
Vehicle/Equipment Maintenance	1

Water

811 - Locate	37
WMETER - Box/Lid Issue	4
WMETER - Inspect	5
WMETER - Install	1
WMETER - Reconnect	1

Facilities

FREEMAN PARK - Trash Removal	0
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LAKE - Holiday Decorations Install/Remove	4
MUNICIPAL BEACH STRAND - Trash Removal	2 dumpsters
RESTROOM - Clean	2

Water/Sewer for Permitting and 811

Tap Verification	1
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Sanitation

Public Can Route	2
SANITATION - Bulk Waste Collection	7
SANITATION - ZONE 4 - Yard Waste Collection	8 loads