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# **Town of Carolina Beach**

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# WEEKLY UPDATES MARCH 27, 2023-MARCH 31, 2023

#### **PUBLIC MEETINGS:**

Week of March 27, 2023		
Tuesday, 3/28	9:00AM	Town Council Workshop

# **POLICE DEPARTMENT:**

# Patrol/Investigations:

- A 43 year-old male reported on March 13<sup>th</sup> he was the victim of Trespass in the 400 block of North Lake Park Blvd, CB. The case is cleared by arrest.
- A 30 year old female reported on March 17<sup>th</sup> she was the victim of Aggravated Assault in the 300 block of Harper Avenue, CB. Warrants obtained.
- A 26 year-old female reported on March 18<sup>th</sup> she was the victim of Simple Assault in the 100 block of Pavilion Avenue, CB. The case is cleared by arrest.
- A 52 year-old female reported on March 19<sup>th</sup> she was the victim of Robbery in the 300 block of North Carolina Beach Avenue, CB. The case is under further investigation.

# Arrests:

- A 53 year-old male was arrested on March 13<sup>th</sup> in the 400 block of North Lake Park Blvd, CB for 2<sup>nd</sup> Degree Trespass Misdemeanor.
- A 34 year-old female was arrested on March 14<sup>th</sup> in the 1000 block of North Fort Fisher Blvd, Kure Beach for Possession of Marijuana – Misdemeanor.
- A 44 year-old female was arrested on March 14<sup>th</sup> in the 900 block of North Lake Park Blvd, CB for Fail to Appear on Misdemeanor.
- A 38 year-old male was arrested on March 16<sup>th</sup> in the 600 block of North Lake Park Blvd, CB for Driving While Impaired – Misdemeanor.
- A 21 year-old male was arrested on March 17<sup>th</sup> in the 1400 block of North Lake Park Blvd, CB for Fail to Appear on Misdemeanor.
- A 34 year-old male was arrested on March 18<sup>th</sup> in the 200 block of Raleigh Avenue, CB for Assault on Female – Misdemeanor.
- A 33 year-old male was arrested on March 18<sup>th</sup> in the 100 block of South Pavilion Avenue, CB for Assault on Female – Misdemeanor.
- A 21 year-old female was arrested on March 18<sup>th</sup> in the 600 block of South Lake Park Blvd, CB for Carrying Concealed Weapon – Misdemeanor.

#### **Civil Citations:**

Civil citations written March 13, 2023 – March 19, 2023: 0

# **FIRE DEPARTMENT**

# **Fire/Rescue Administration Division**

- Staff attended NC Fire Marshal Assoc. meeting.
- Staff attended Town's monthly Marina project meeting.
- The North Carolina Fire Prevention School was held this week at the Marriott, staff assisted with logistics and hosted all attendees for a meal at the fire station.
- Staff attended Town's monthly TRC meeting.
- Staff attended Town's monthly Event meeting.
- Staff attended NC Code Enforcement "Open Mic" online.

# Fire/Rescue Fire Prevention Division

- 5-inspections
- 4-plan review
- 8-site visits

# **Fire/Rescue Operations Division**

- Weekly maintenance completed on all apparatus.
- Staff conducted driver operator training.
- Staff continued working on monthly EMT con-ed.
- Staff had annual SCBA Fit testing.
- Member's assisted Harbor Point HOA with a chili cookout by being the guest judges for the event.

# Response

Start Date: 03/10/2023 | End Date: 03/24/2023

DATE	INCIDENT #	ADDRESS	INCIDENT TYPE	SHIFT	# APP.	# PERS.
03/10/2023	2023-87089	1308 N Carolina Beach AVE	311 - Medical assist, assist EMS crew	A Shift	1	4
03/12/2023	2023-89181	1304 Snapper LN	311 - Medical assist, assist EMS crew	A Shift	1	3
03/13/2023	2023-089821	7589 CAROLINA BEACH RD	111 - Building fire	B Shift	1	6
03/13/2023	2023-090243	1403 S LAKE PARK BLVD	364 - Surf rescue	B Shift	3	8
03/13/2023	2023-090456	418 N CAROLINA BEACH AVE	745 - Alarm system activation, no fire - unintentional	B Shift	2	6
03/14/2023	2023-90720	415 Cape Fear BLVD	311 - Medical assist, assist EMS crew	A Shift	1	4
03/14/2023	2023-91123	310 Charlotte AVE	554 - Assistinvalid	A Shift	1	4
03/15/2023	2023-092334	807 N LAKE PARK BLVD	324 - Motor vehicle accident with no injuries.	B Shift	1	4
03/16/2023	2023-094278	1218 Mackerel LN	735 - Alarm system sounded due to malfunction	C Shift	1	5
03/17/2023	2023-094888	1406 KINNEY DR	311 - Medical assist, assist EMS crew	B Shift	1	3
03/17/2023	2023-095145	9 S DOW RD	311 - Medical assist, assist EMS crew	B Shift	1	4
03/17/2023	2023-095300	1610 S FORT FISHER BLVD	141 - Forest, woods or wildland fire	B Shift	3	9
03/17/2023	2023-095506	1206 N LAKE PARK BLVD	311 - Medical assist, assist EMS crew	B Shift	1	3
03/17/2023	2023-095537	654 HILLSIDE DR	111 - Building fire	B Shift	1	9
03/18/2023	2023-096784	501 Spartanburg AVE	311 - Medical assist, assist EMS crew	C Shift	1	3
03/18/2023	2023-097172	100 Carl Winner AVE	311 - Medical assist, assist EMS crew	C Shift	1	4
03/19/2023	2023-98188	1415 Swordfish LN	553 - Public service	A Shift	1	3
03/20/2023	2023-098698	310 Charlotte AVE	553 - Public service	C Shift	1	4
03/20/2023	2023-099005	124 Green Turtle LN	311 - Medical assist, assist EMS crew	C Shift	1	4
03/20/2023	2023-099152	404 Oceana WAY	311 - Medical assist, assist EMS crew	C Shift	1	4
03/23/2023	2023-102525	712 SAINT JOSEPH ST	311 - Medical assist, assist EMS crew	A Shift	1	4
03/23/2023	2023-103441	1308 N CAROLINA BEACH AVE	311 - Medical assist, assist EMS crew	A Shift	1	3
03/23/2023	2023-103518	911 COLONIAL CIR	412 - Gas leak (natural gas or LPG)	A Shift	1	3

TOTAL # INCIDENTS: 23

# 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
- 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
  <a href="https://www.friendsofcbparksandgreenways.org/">https://www.friendsofcbparksandgreenways.org/</a> for additional information.
- We are hiring a couple Seasonal Recreation Assistant positions in the Carolina Beach Parks and Recreation Department! These positions will work with our Summer Camps along with opportunities in Special Events. Apply online using the provided link.

https://www.governmentjobs.com/careers/carolinabeach/jobs/3896047/seasonal-recreation-assistant?fbclid=IwAR1 sAVeTGs4BFYI4ejKAtbG9TaFzJjirnngnJyMnHAfKkGSHCtzjdfQhTA

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  <a href="https://www.friendsofcbparksandgreenways.org">www.friendsofcbparksandgreenways.org</a> for additional information.
- Wireless light controllers were installed at Mike Chappell Park; this gives us the ability to remotely turn on/off the lights at the baseball and soccer field.
- The Needs Assessment Survey for the Carolina Beach Parks, Recreation and Open Space Master Plan is now up. Please take the time to complete the survey by April 30<sup>th</sup>.



 Summer Camp registration starts on Monday, April 3<sup>rd</sup>. Please review the below flyer for additional information and changes to registration.



• Staff is working on putting together the entertainment for boardwalk fireworks and music, plus Movies at the Lake and Family Night at the Boardwalk. The entertainment lineup will be posted by late March.

We are hosting an Easter Jamboree at Mike Chappell Park on Thursday, April 6th from 6PM until 8:30

PM. Please join us!



# **Events:**

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

# **PLANNING AND DEVELOPMENT**

Development Review	
All Permits Received	<u>19</u>
Accessory Structures - Res & Comm (paid)	2
Additions (paid)	1
Demo (paid)	1
Driveway/Impervious/Hardscape (paid)	3
Fence (paid)	4
Fill/Grade/Clear (paid)	1
Swimming Pool (paid)	4
Reno/Repair COMMERCIAL (paid)	3
Reno/Repair RESIDENTIAL (paid)	2
Certificate of Compliance	4
Certificate of Occupancy	1
Permits Sent/(Pd by Phone)	1
Planning and Zoning	
CAMA permits/exemptions	1
Foundation/Piling Survey	1
Zoning Inspection	2
Zoning Plan Review	19
Code Enforcement	
Investigations Researched	3
Received/Reported Complaints	3
Resolved Complaints	3
Violation Letters	1

Zoning:

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Agenda Items/Meeting Dates	Status	
Text Amendment: Neighborhood business	April 11 <sup>th</sup> – Town Council Meeting	
<b>404 Canal Dr:</b> 4 units/CZ modification to 408 and 410 Canal Dr.	TRC-TBD	

# **HARBOR/MARINA**

Harbor Master Report					
Туре	# slips/moorings #	of boats	s Dates		
Charter Slips	21	21	7/1/2022	6/30/2023	
Transient Headboat slip	1	3			
Transient Slips	n/a	n/a			
Mooring	10	14	3/20/2022	3/27/2023	
Myrtle Grove Sound Activity					
Type of Activity	Location		Actions	Date	
			Posted sign: During construction, small boats are not permitted at Day Dock area,		
Harbor Notice	CB Marina		dinghies only temporarily		
			Watch your no wakes, the Mooring Field is becoming more active as the transit		
Harbor Notice	Mooring Field		season is starting	3/27/2023	
Patrolled Marina	CB Marina		Monitor construction area.	3/27/2023	
Mooring Field checks	Mooring Field		Monitor Mooring Field	3/27/2023	
Patrolled Harbor	CB Harbor		Daily check for no wake violations, etc.		
Violations					
Vessel Name	Location		Warning/Citation	Date	
Various (0)	CB Harbor V	Varnings	No Wake violations	3/27/2023	

#### Marina construction progress: east side



#### Mooring field maintenance



#### Review of the week

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by Patrick T. - Verified user on Mar 22, 2023

Quiet. Good time of year, only one other boat.

# **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.
- Install water and sewer taps.
- Meter reads.
- Repair water leaks.

# 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)

- Checking Voicemails (daily)
- 4-permit payments processed
- 5-leak/read adjustments
- Process payments for parking, re-entry, golf cart, freeman park permits
- Called customers about high usage and past due balances

#### **Environmental:**

#### Beach Front

- Repaired the handrail and deck boards on the Clamshell beach access
- Repaired loose deck boards on the Sand Dollar beach access
- Repaired deck boards on the Scotch Bonnet beach access
- Repaired the deck boards on the Scallop beach access
- Removed the sand from the beach accesses along Canal Dr.

#### Boardwalk

- Repaired water fountains
- Repaired the foot washes

# Signage

- Put up No walking on dune signs from Hamlet to Pelican along the beach strand
- Replaced the no outlet sign on Tennessee & Bowfin

#### **Facilities**

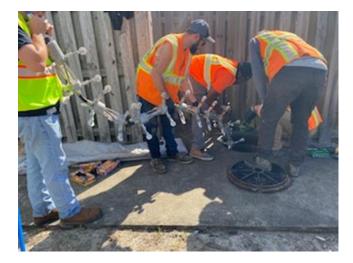
- Continued repairs on the Alabama restrooms
- Replaced the rope on the flagpole

#### Streets

- Repaired potholes throughout town
- Cut back the oleanders on the corner of Lake Park & Harper
- Special Events
- Breakdown the Solstice Healing Festival

#### Storm water:

- 811 locates: 51
- Site visit with resident: 2
- Site visit with contractor: 1
- Stormwater Violations: 1
- Stormwater crews continue working on erosion control for parking lot on Canal drive.
- Addressed growth on surface of lake. Azolla, part of the fern family. Not a bacteria or algae. Not harmful to humans or pets. Azolla was treated.
- Stormwater Crew cleaned out the sediment vault at South 3<sup>rd</sup> St and Atlanta Ave.
- Stormwater Crew repaired a sinkhole on Goldsboro Ave.
- Contracted crews are lining stormwater pipes on North Seventh St.





# **Operations Work Orders:**

	# of Work Orders
Stormwater	
Administrative	1
BMP - Inspect	1
BMP - Street Sweeper	82 miles swept
811 - Locate	23
LAKE - Fountains	1
LAKE - Inspect	1
Site Visit - Contractor	2
Site Visit - Resident	2
Vehicle/Equipment Maintenance	1
Water	
811 - Locate	71
WMETER - Box/Lid Issue	2
WMETER - Demo	1
WMETER - Inspect	5
WMETER - Install	4
WMETER - Repair	2
WMETER - Replace	5
WSERVICE - Install Tap	1
Facilities	
BEACH ACCESS - General Maintenance	1
BEACH ACCESS - Sand Removal	1
FREEMAN PARK - Trash Removal	1 dumpster
MUNICIPAL BEACH STRAND - General Maintenance	1
MUNICIPAL BEACH STRAND - Trash Removal	1 dumpster
RESTROOM - Shower Maintenance	1
TOWN PROPERTY - Landscape Maintenance	1
Water/Sewer for Permitting and 811	
W/S Locate Services - Fill/Grade/Clear Permit	7
Sanitation	
SANITATION - Bulk Waste Collection SANITATION - ZONE 4 - Christmas Tree Pickup	5 1
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Streets	
CANAL DRIVE FLOODING	2
SIGN - Inspect	1