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WEEKLY UPDATES JUNE 3, 2024 – JUNE 7, 2024

PUBLIC MEETINGS:

Week of June 10, 2024		
Monday, 6/10	10:00AM	Operations Advisory Committee
Tuesday, 6/11	6:00PM	Town Council Meeting
Wednesday, 6/12	4:00PM	Bike/Ped Steering Committee
Thursday, 6/13	6:00PM	Planning & Zoning Commission

POLICE DEPARTMENT:

Patrol/Investigations:

- A 24-year-old female reported on May 27th she was the victim of Larceny in the 100 block of Cape Fear Blvd, CB. The case is under further investigation.
- A 23-year-old male reported on May 27th he was the victim of Destruction/Damage/Vandalism in the 200 block of North Carolina Beach Avenue, CB. The case is under further investigation.
- A 38-year-old female reported on May 27th she was the victim of Simple Assault in the 1600 block of North Carolina Beach Avenue, CB. The case is cleared by arrest.
- Town of Carolina Beach reported on May 27th they were the victim of Destruction/Damage/Vandalism at 100 Freeman Park, CB. The case is under further investigation.
- A 65-year-old male reported on May 27th he was the victim of Larceny in the 700 block of Canal Drive, CB. The case is inactive.
- A 32-year-old female reported on May 27th she was the victim of Destruction/Damage/Vandalism in the 600 block of Spencer Farlow Drive, CB. The case is closed – Victim Refused to Cooperate.
- A 38-year-old male reported on May 28th he was the victim of Larceny in the 600 block of North Lake Park Blvd, CB. The case is under further investigation.
- A 33-year-old male reported on May 28th he was the victim of Larceny in the 600 block of North Lake Park Blvd, CB. The case is under further investigation.
- A 20-year-old female reported on May 28th she was the victim of Larceny in the 600 block of North Lake Park Blvd, CB. The case is under further investigation.
- A 56-year-old male reported on May 28th he was the victim of Larceny in the 900 block of Grand Bahama Drive, CB. The case is under further investigation.
- A 47-year-old male reported on May 30th he was the victim of Larceny in the 100 block of South Lake Park Blvd, CB. The case is under further investigation.
- A 38-year-old female reported on June 2nd she was the victim of Hit and Run in the 200 block of Raleigh Avenue, CB. The case is under further investigation.
- A 30-year-old male reported on June 2nd he was the victim of Simple Assault in the 100 block of Cape Fear Blvd, CB. The case is cleared by arrest.

Arrests:

- A 46-year-old male was arrested on May 27th in the 1600 block of North Carolina Beach Avenue, CB for Simple Assault – Misdemeanor.
- A 36-year-old male was arrested on May 27th in the 1000 block of Saint Joseph Street, CB for Possession of Marijuana & Drug Paraphernalia – Misdemeanors.
- A 50-year-old male was arrested on May 27th in the 100 block of Freeman Park, CB for Disorderly Conduct – Misdemeanor.
- A 20-year-old male was arrested on May 28th in the 400 block of South Lake Park Blvd, CB for Possession of Methamphetamine – Felony.
- A 46-year-old male was arrested on May 28th in the 600 block of South Lake Park Blvd, CB for Failure to Appear – Misdemeanor.
- A 44-year-old female was arrested on May 28th in the 1400 block of North Lake Park Blvd, CB for Warrant for Arrest – Felony.
- A 20-year-old male was arrested on May 30th in the 100 block of Pelican Lane, CB for Felony Probation Violation.
- A 44-year-old female was arrested on May 30th in the 900 block of Dow Road, CB for Possession of Methamphetamine – Felony.
- A 37-year-old male was arrested on May 31st in the 1000 block of South Lake Park Blvd, CB for Resist/Delay/Obstruct Public Officer – Misdemeanor.
- A 33-year-old male was arrested on June 1st in the 1000 block of Emory Street, Wilmington for Fleeing to Elude – Felony.
- A 23-year-old male was arrested on June 1st in the 1400 block of Canal Drive, CB for Possession of Schedule VI Controlled Substance – Misdemeanor.
- A 42-year-old male was arrested on June 1st in the 1100 block of North Lake Park Blvd, CB for Animal Cruelty – Misdemeanor.
- A 26-year-old female was arrested on June 2nd in the 100 block of Cape Fear Blvd, CB for Driving While Impaired – Misdemeanor.
- A 42-year-old male was arrested on June 2nd in the 100 block of Cape Fear Blvd, CB for Simple Assault – Misdemeanor.

FIRE DEPARTMENT**Fire/Rescue Administration Division**

- Administrative staff held their biweekly meeting
- Administrative staff and officers worked on the new reporting software

Fire/Rescue Fire Prevention Division

- 7-Inspections

Fire/Rescue Operations Division

- Firefighters completed the series of Technical Rescue training on vehicle extrication
- Volunteers attended their first meeting of the month and trained on search and rescue
- Staff participated in the annual end-of-the-year water balloon fight with Carolina Beach Elementary
- Annual SCBA Flow testing was completed
- Firefighters completed their daily and weekly apparatus checks along with preventative maintenance on Truck 21

Ocean Rescue Division

- Staff attended the NHC Family Assistance tabletop exercise
- Hosted and competed in the first local competition of the season

Public Education	First Aid
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Response

Start Date: 6/1/2024 | End Date: 06/07/2024

DATE	INCIDENT #	ADDRESS	INCIDENT TYPE	SHIFT	ZONE	# APP.	# PERS.
06/01/2024	2024-196119	100 HARPER AVE	311 - Medical assist, assist EMS crew	C Shift	No Zone Selected	1	2
06/01/2024	2024-196120	220 N LAKE PARK BLVD	311 - Medical assist, assist EMS crew	C Shift	No Zone Selected	1	3
06/01/2024	2024-196121	1010 STATE PARK RD	142 - Brush or brush-and-grass mixture fire	C Shift	No Zone Selected	1	3
06/01/2024	2024-196122	104 N LAKE PARK BLVD	542 - Animal rescue	C Shift	No Zone Selected	1	4
06/01/2024	2024-196123	416 SPARTANBURG AVE	311 - Medical assist, assist EMS crew	C Shift	No Zone Selected	1	3
06/01/2024	2024-196124	609 SALT WATER LN	311 - Medical assist, assist EMS crew	C Shift	No Zone Selected	1	3
06/01/2024	2024-196125	1 HAMLET AVE	561 - Unauthorized burning	C Shift	No Zone Selected	2	5
06/01/2024	2024-196126	100 FREEMAN PARK	154 - Dumpster or other outside trash receptacle fire	C Shift	No Zone Selected	2	5
06/02/2024	2024-196127	1607 PINFISH LN	311 - Medical assist, assist EMS crew	A Shift	City Limits - City Limits	1	5
06/02/2024	2024-196128	610 RALEIGH AVE	311 - Medical assist, assist EMS crew	A Shift	City Limits - City Limits	1	5
06/02/2024	2024-196129	916 TIDEWATER LN	113 - Cooking fire, confined to container	A Shift	City Limits - City Limits	3	11
06/02/2024	2024-196130	1140 N LAKE PARK BLVD	412 - Gas leak (natural gas or LPG)	A Shift	City Limits - City Limits	1	5
06/02/2024	2024-196131	3 CAPE FEAR BLVD	311 - Medical assist, assist EMS crew	A Shift	City Limits - City Limits	1	5
06/03/2024	2024-196132	1600 CANAL DR	311 - Medical assist, assist EMS crew	A Shift	City Limits - City Limits	1	6
06/03/2024	2024-196133	100 CAPE FEAR BLVD	311 - Medical assist, assist EMS crew	A Shift	City Limits - City Limits	1	3
06/03/2024	2024-196134	1 PELICAN LN	311 - Medical assist, assist EMS crew	C Shift	No Zone Selected	1	3
06/03/2024	2024-196135	307 S SEVENTH ST	311 - Medical assist, assist EMS crew	C Shift	No Zone Selected	1	5
06/03/2024	2024-196136	1604 SNAPPER LN	733 - Smoke detector activation due to malfunction	C Shift	No Zone Selected	2	7
06/04/2024	2024-196137	908 N CAROLINA BEACH AVE	311 - Medical assist, assist EMS crew	A Shift	City Limits - City Limits	1	5
06/04/2024	2024-196138	1203 S LAKE PARK BLVD	745 - Alarm system activation, no fire - unintentional	A Shift	City Limits - City Limits	1	5
06/04/2024	2024-196139	1211 S LAKE PARK BLVD	353 - Removal of victim(s) from stalled elevator	A Shift	City Limits - City Limits	1	5
06/04/2024	2024-196140	6 HARPER AVE	311 - Medical assist, assist EMS crew	A Shift	City Limits - City Limits	1	5

TOTAL # INCIDENTS: 22

PARKS AND RECREATION

- Check out the Athletic Programs being offered!  Online registration:
 - <https://www.carolinabeach.org/government/departments/parks-recreation/athletics>
 - For more information visit <https://www.carolinabeach.org/.../parks-recreation/athletics>
- Are you interested in volunteering? Our amazing Firework Coordinators are seeking Volunteers. Please check out the link for available days and times:
<https://signup.com/client/invitation2/secure/932817350067/false#/invitation>
- We are continuing to make progress to build a volleyball court in the park area between the Community Building and the Senior Center. The posts for the nets are up and the area has been dugout for the sand. The volleyball equipment has been ordered and should be delivered in two weeks. We are aiming to have the court open in early July. This project is being funded by the Town of Carolina Beach and Pleasure Island Volleyball Association
- The Town of Carolina Beach Parks & Recreation Department is excited to announce this week's full agenda of SUMMER activities to enhance your week at the Beach: **June 10th-June 17th:**
 - **Wednesday, June 12th- Boardwalk FLAMINGO BINGO-** Join us each Wednesday evening in front of the stage at the Carolina Beach Boardwalk this summer and play Island Women Flamingo Bingo!
 - Sales begin at 6:30pm, and the first ball is drawn at 7pm sharp. The season runs for 15 weeks until August 28th. Bring snacks or grab some great goodies from our boardwalk local businesses.
 - **Thursday, June 13th - BOARDWALK BLAST proudly presents THE FEEBS:** The Feebs

- bring the sounds of all your favorite blues, classic rock, and funk!
- *Carolina Beach Boardwalk Gazebo Stage (Intersection of Canal Drive & Cape Fear Blvd.)*
 - *6:30 – 9:30 pm*
- **Thursday, June 14th - FIREWORKS BY THE SEA**
 - Carolina Beach Municipal Strand (Between Harper Avenue and Hamlet Avenue)
 - Fireworks begin promptly at 9:00 pm
 - **Saturday, June 16th - CAROLINA BEACH MARKET:** Pick from locally produced fruits and vegetables, plants, baked goods, dairy products, meats, wines and more. Each market will also feature local artisans and crafters as well as live entertainment from local musicians. Located on the shores of the Carolina Beach Lake Park.
 - *Carolina Beach Lake Park (400 South Lake Park Blvd.)*
 - *8:00 am – 1:00 pm*
 - **Sunday, June 17th – Movies at the Lake – A MILLION MILES AWAY:** A biopic about Jose Hernandez and his path from a farm worker to becoming an engineer and an astronaut. A tale of perseverance, community and sacrifice to accomplish a seemingly impossible dream.
 - Once again, we will be presenting the latest Family-friendly movies on the Giant inflatable screen as the sun sets in the west. Bring your chairs and blankets and your appetite – Movie concessions will be available on site for purchase.

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

<u>Development Review</u>	
All Permits Received	<u>13</u>
Accessory Structures - Res & Comm (paid)	1
Fence (paid)	4
Fill/Grade/Clear (paid)	1
Reno/Repair COMMERCIAL (paid)	1
Reno/Repair RESIDENTIAL (paid)	1
Single Family New Construction (paid)	1
Certificate of Occupancy	1
Planning and Zoning	
Zoning Inspection	4
Zoning Plan Review	11
Code Enforcement	
Investigations Researched	2
Received/Reported Complaints	2
Resolved Complaints	1

Zoning:

Agenda Items/Meeting Dates	Status
Text Amendment – Taxi Standards	June 11 th – Town Council Meeting
Conditional Zoning – 2 North Carolina Avenue	June 13 th – Planning & Zoning
Text Amendment – Wine and Beer Shops	June 13 th – Planning & Zoning
UDO Update	June 13 th – Planning & Zoning
UDO Update	June 25 th – Council Workshop
Sidewalk Café Appeal	TDB – Board of Adjustment
Seaside Chapel School – 105 Dow Rd.	TBD – Planning & Zoning
Major Subdivision – 1215 St. Joseph Street-13 lots	TBD – Technical Review Committee

Demolitions:



925 Carolina Sands Dr – Demo single-family House and rebuild through NC ReBUILD

HARBOR/MARINA

Harbor Master Report			
Type	# slips/moorings	# of boats	Dates
Marina Licensee Slips	Marina- 21	21	7/1/2023
Marina Transient Slips	Transient Slips- 4	0	Current Week
CB Harbor	Anchorage	20	
Mooring/Transient	Declined Boats	1	
Mooring/Transient	Mooring Pendants-10	59	
Myrtle Grove Sound Activity			
Type of Activity	Location	Actions	Date
Data Collection	Inside and outside CB Harbor	Continued work on data base of all abandoned, derelict, sunk and live aboard boats in in the CB Harbor and those to the north in the area of marker 159.	Ongoing
Marina Construction	Municipal Marina	Duke Energy installed light poles along the emergency access road on the south side of marina. Power to the West side shut off to replace the electrical panels.	6/10/2024
Administrative	CB Harbor	Work ongoing for Clean Marina Project for the Harbor. Multiple marinas identified for education and enforcement of Town pump out policy. Letters sent to all CB Marinas identifying Town Code and listing resources for compliance. All marinas have been visited with all but one working to be compliant. Work ongoing with marina that are not compliant and follow up with other that is installing new pump out.	2/19/2024
Patrol	CB Harbor	Docking available in Municipal Marina for boats under 25' in the Southwest corner of the marina. Space is limited. Vessels greater than 25' must make arrangements with the Harbor Master. Dingy docking is available in the Southeast and Southwest corners of marina. Three hour max is strictly enforced.	6/310/2024
Patrol	CB Harbor	Fish cleaning waste. Dumping fish scraps in the CB Harbor is a violation of Town Code, State law, and Federal Clean Water Act. The Town of CB provides "Fish Waste" cans in the Municipal Marina for public use. Fish waste is frozen and picked up twice a week. Dumping fish waste in the Harbor decreases dissolved oxygen, increases bacteria growth, and creates foul odors. Please help keep our Harbor clean.	6/10/2024
Administrative	Administrative	Working on warning and citation notices	4/22/2024
Marina Christening	Municipal Marina	Town held a Marina Christening for the new Municipal Marina	6/3/2024
Patrol	CB Harbor	Daily Patrol of Marina	6/3/2024
Violations			
Vessel	Location	Warning/Citation	Date
37' white Silverton motor vessel	Mooring field	Vessel on mooring without reservation, no registration, vessel inoperable. In mooring field at N34° 02.878' W077° 53.349'. Vessel posted and notice sent to owner 5/24/2024. Vessel Removed from CB Harbor 6/1/1024. Vessel aground on the Northwest side of Snows Cut 6/6/2024, NC Wildlife notified.	6/10/2024
30' Sailboat	Mooring field	On anchor in mooring field. Warning given and vessel relocated	6/10/2024

Reviews:

Mark H. 6/8/2024

A nice place to stop for a rest and restock. Hardware and grocery stores are not even a mile away plus there are many restaurants even closer and the beach is 200 yards away from the smaller dinghy dock. Very calm with basically no fetch but a few fishing boat wakes as they slowly go out.

New lights along emergency access area



The Town provides cans for fish waste to reduce Harbor Pollution



Vessel aground in Snow's Cut



PUBLIC UTILITIES/PUBLIC WORKS

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
- Install water and sewer taps
- Service all existing Porta Johns
- Install water meters
- Respond to sewer backup
- Repair broken water meters
- Repair water leak 1715 Canal Dr

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)
- 12-permit payments processed
- 3-accounts set up for Planning Department
- 46-FMS accounts setup/closed
- 9-leak/read adjustments processed
- 20-meter equipment change out/installs
- Emailed, printed, and mailed out billing statements
- Process payments for parking, re-entry, and golf cart permits

Environmental:

Beach Front

- Cleared sand from the Marriott beach access.
- Repaired sand fence at the Driftwood beach access.
- Repaired Oyster shell beach access.

Boardwalk

- Replaced broken boards on the boardwalk.

Freeman

- Put up no vehicle beyond this point signage on both ends.
- Cleaned sand from Hatteras ramp.

Signage

- Straightened signs throughout town.
- Replaced missing signs around the pond on the greenway trail.
- Installed new no parking sign on woody Hewett.
- Installed 3 loading unloading signs at the marina on carl winner.
- Put up rope in the parking lot on woody Hewett.

Facilities

- Cleared drains in the boardwalk restroom.
- Repaired toilet in the men's restroom at the board walk.
- Repaired lock on the women's restroom at the lake.
- Repaired the light switch in the men's restroom at the lake.

Streets

- Repaired potholes throughout town.

Special Events

- Steup and break down fireworks.
- Break down beach music.

Storm water:

- 811 Locates: 29
- Onsite visit with resident: 1
- Onsite visit with contractor: 2
- Stormwater violation: 1
- Stormwater crews vactor storm drains on North 4th St.
- Stormwater crews installed preventive measures to keep debris out of the storm drains at the end of the year elementary school balloon fight.
- CB Trash Walkers litter patrol: 105 pounds - that makes 1,580 pounds in 14 weeks so far in 2024!

Stormwater Crews install second fountain at the lake.



Contractors repair failed stormwater Pipes on North Lake Park Blvd.



Work Orders:

of Work Orders

Sewer

Port-A-Potty Cleaning/Maintenance	2
SSSERVICE - Repair	1

Stormwater

Operate Fixed Pumps	1
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Water

WMETER - Box/Lid Issue	1
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WMETER - Repair	4
WMETER - Replace	6

Facilities

BOARDWALK AREA - Clean Restrooms	1
BOARDWALK AREA - Trash Removal	1
FREEMAN PARK - Trash Removal	4 dumpsters
MUNICIPAL BEACH STRAND - Trash Removal	8 dumpsters

Sanitation

Public Can Route	1
SANITATION - Bulk Waste Collection	7