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WEEKLY UPDATES JULY 29, 2024 – AUGUST 2, 2024

PUBLIC MEETINGS:

Week of August 5, 2024		
Monday, 8/5	7:00PM	Parks & Recreation Committee
Wednesday, 8/7	6:00PM	Beautification Committee
Thursday, 8/9	6:00PM	Planning & Zoning Commission

POLICE DEPARTMENT:

Patrol/Investigations:

- A 68-year-old male reported on July 22nd he was the victim of Wire Fraud in the 100 block of Green Turtle Way, CB. The case is under further investigation.
- A 47-year-old male reported on July 24th he was the victim of Wire Fraud in the 400 block of Charlotte Avenue, CB. The case is under further investigation.
- Pelican Watch reported on July 25th they were the victim of Destruction/Damage/Vandalism at 1403 South Lake Park Blvd, CB. The case is inactive.
- A 32-year-old male reported on July 25th he was the victim of Theft from Motor Vehicle in the 100 block of Ocean Blvd, CB. The case is under further investigation.
- A 16-year-old male reported on July 26th he was the victim of Simple Assault in the 100 block of North Carolina Beach Avenue, CB. The case is under further investigation.
- A 63-year-old male reported on July 26th he was the victim of Larceny in the 400 block of Marina Street, CB. The case is under further investigation.
- A 37-year-old female reported on July 27th she was the victim of Simple Assault in the 1200 block of South Lake Park Blvd, CB. The case is inactive.
- Olde Salty's Restaurant reported on July 27th they were the victim of Defrauding Innkeeper at 11 Boardwalk Ste 140, CB. The case is under further investigation.
- A 39-year-old male reported on July 28th he was the victim of Hit & Run in the 1300 block of North Lake Park Blvd, CB. The case is under further investigation.
- A 60-year-old male reported on July 28th he was the victim of Assault in the 100 block of Pelican Avenue, CB. The case is under further investigation.
- A 64-year-old female reported on July 28th she was the victim of Theft in the 800 block of South Carolina Avenue, CB. The case is under further investigation.

Arrests:

- A 37-year-old male was arrested on July 23rd in the 100 block of Lumberton Avenue, CB for Order for Arrest/Fail to Appear – Misdemeanors.
- A 30-year-old male was arrested on July 27th in the 1000 block of State Park Road, CB for Fail to Appear – Misdemeanor.

FIRE DEPARTMENT

Fire/Rescue Administration Division

- Staff attended a town department head meeting
- Staff attended the NC DOI Inspector open mic meeting

Fire/Rescue Operations Division

- Firefighters worked the weekly firework show
- Firefighters completed their daily and weekly apparatus checks as well as station duties
- Firefighters completed EMT continuing education
- Firefighters completed their driver operator training
- Firefighters completed preplans for Proximity

Ocean Rescue Division

- Staff prepared for the USLA National Lifeguard competition in Texas

Public Education	First Aid	Rip and other Rescues	Missing/Found Persons
3,626	19	4	2

Response: 17 incidents

Incident Number	Alarm Date	Alarm Time	Location	Incident Type Code	Incident Type	NFIRS Number
240726-054945-CBFIRE	7/26/2024 11:26:15 AM	11:26 AM	Spartanburg AVE & S. Lake Park Blvd	323	Motor vehicle/pedestrian accident (MV Ped)	0000320
240727-003536-CBFIRE	7/27/2024 12:44:43 AM	12:44 AM	309 Spencer Farlow DR	311	Medical assist, assist EMS crew	0000321
240727-113321-CBFIRE	7/27/2024 1:34:42 PM	1:34 PM	1107 Canal DR	311	Medical assist, assist EMS crew	0000322
240727-134458-CBFIRE	7/27/2024 6:14:18 PM	6:14 PM	1112 Canal DR	553	Public service	0000323
240727-152617-CBFIRE	7/27/2024 7:42:54 PM	7:42 PM	512 S Carolina Beach AVE	542	Animal rescue	0000324
240727-153349-CBFIRE	7/27/2024 8:14:03 PM	8:14 PM	213 CAROLINA SANDS DR	311	Medical assist, assist EMS crew	0000325
240727-155852-CBFIRE	7/27/2024 8:51:31 PM	8:51 PM	224 Georgia AVE	311	Medical assist, assist EMS crew	0000326
240728-015425-CBFIRE	7/28/2024 7:19:27 AM	7:19 AM	309 Carolina Sands DR	311	Medical assist, assist EMS crew	0000327
240728-045336-CBFIRE	7/28/2024 9:11:46 AM	9:11 AM	1000 N Carolina AVE	311	Medical assist, assist EMS crew	0000328
240728-055009-CBFIRE	7/28/2024 10:58:16 AM	10:58 AM	1000 State Park RD	311	Medical assist, assist EMS crew	0000329
240729-161801-CBFIRE	7/29/2024 7:11:15 AM	7:11 AM	3 PELICAN LN	411	Gasoline or other flammable liquid spill	0000330
240729-162749-CBFIRE	7/29/2024 11:21:20 AM	11:21 AM	1200 SAINT JOSEPH ST	311	Medical assist, assist EMS crew	0000331
240729-163325-CBFIRE	7/29/2024 5:49:06 PM	5:49 PM	1 SALT MARSH LN	364	Surf rescue	0000332
240729-163805-CBFIRE	7/29/2024 7:15:03 PM	7:15 PM	101 N CAROLINA BEACH AVE	364	Surf rescue	0000333
240730-132842-CBFIRE	7/30/2024 10:11:14 AM	10:11 AM	710 Columbia AVE	311	Medical assist, assist EMS crew	0000334
240730-133259-CBFIRE	7/30/2024 5:18:33 PM	5:18 PM	1602 N Carolina Beach AVE	111	Building fire	0000335
240731-103544-CBFIRE	7/31/2024 7:48:34 PM	7:48 PM	220 ANNIE DR	365	Watercraft rescue	0000336

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>

Carolina Beach Youth Flag Football League

The Carolina Beach Parks & Recreation Department is starting a 5-on-5 Youth Flag Football League. A non-contact experience for both boys and girls of all skill levels. Our co-ed league is available for everyone ages 6-14. Registration is \$75.00 for Carolina Beach Residents (must provide proof of residency) and \$100.00 for non-residents.

- Registration Begins Monday, June 17th
- Practices & Games are on Friday Evenings
- Location: Mike Chappell Park
- Age Divisions: 6-8, 9-11 & 12-14
- League begins in August

Register at the Recreation Center or visit <https://carolinabeach.recdesk.com/Community/Program> for online registration. If you have any questions, please contact 910-458-2977.

- 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>
- 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: **July 30th – August 4th:**
 - **Tuesday, August 6th - FAMILY NIGHT featuring MR. SCOOTER** - Please join us for FAMILY NIGHT this Tuesday from 6:30pm-7:30pm at Carolina Beach Lake Park.
 - Family-friendly activities are presented FREE for kids of all ages including interactive performers, games, face-painting, etc.
 - **Wednesday, August 7th - FLAMINGO BINGO**- has been cancelled this week due to expected rain/storm.
 - **Thursday, August 8th - BOARDWALK BLAST presents 8 TRACK MEMORIES:** Three talented and seasoned musicians make up this band, featuring members of The Holiday Band.
 - *Carolina Beach Boardwalk Gazebo Stage (Intersection of Canal Drive/Cape Fear Blvd.)*
 - 6:30 – 9:30 pm
 - **Thursday, August 8th - FIREWORKS BY THE SEA**
 - Carolina Beach Municipal Strand (Between Harper Avenue and Hamlet Avenue)
 - Fireworks begin promptly at 9:00 pm
 - **Saturday, August 10th - 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, August 11th - Movies at the Lake – ELEMENTAL:** The film journeys alongside an unlikely pair, Ember and Wade, in a city where fire, water, land, and air-residents live together. The fiery young woman and the go-with-the-flow guy are about to discover something elemental: how much they actually have in common.
 - 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-concessions will be available on site for purchase.



NOTE: DUE TO A WEATHER FORCAST OF RAIN AND WIND, SOME EVENTS MAY BE CANCELLED.

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

COMMUNITY DEVELOPMENT

Development Review	
All Permits Received	14
Driveway/Impervious/Hardscape (paid)	1
Fence (paid)	1
Fill/Grade/Clear (paid)	1
Fire (paid)	1
Reno/Repair Residential (paid)	2
Single Family New Construction (paid)	1
Townhouse/Condos New Construction (paid)	3
Planning and Zoning	
Zoning Plan Review	18
Code Enforcement	
Investigations Researched	4
Received/Reported Complaints	4
Resolved Complaints	2
Violation Letters	2

Zoning:

Agenda Items/Meeting Dates	Status
Conditional Zoning – 3 Cape Fear addition	P&Z – August 8th
Appeal: Water oriented business	BOA August 20 th
Spot Lane: Street improvement	Town Council – September 10 th
Appeal: Sidewalk café	BOA – September 18 th
Variance: Dry Dock Inn-fence	BOA – September 18 th
Conditional Rezoning: Seaside Chapel School 105 Dow Rd.	TBD

HARBOR/MARINA

Harbor Master Report				
Type	# slips/moorings	# of boats	Dates	
Marina Licensee Slips	Marina- 24	19	7/1/2023	
Marina Transient Slips	Transient Slips- 4	6	Current Week	
CB Harbor	Anchorage	10		
Mooring/Transient	Declined Boats	0		
Mooring/Transient	Mooring Pendants-10	11		
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
Patrol	Municipal Marina	Kayak and SUP dockage available at either dinghy dock on the Southeast and Southwest sections of the Municipal Marina, with a 3hr. max. Kayaks and SUP may be tied to the dock but should remain in the water. No swimming is permitted in the Municipal Marina as all docks have electrical hazards in the water. No Launching or recovery of kayaks or SUP in the Municipal Marina. Kayak and SUP launch and recovery is available at the Town's Sandpiper Dinghy Dock, cross of Canal Dr. There is a loading zone adjacent to the dock with parking, showers and restrooms across the street.		8/5/2024
Marina Construction	Municipal Marina	Work continues on the electrical platform for the West side.		8/5/2024
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.		8/5/2024
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
Patrol	CB Harbor	Bull shark caught in the Municipal Marina by Southern Sportfishing		8/1/2024
New Charters	Municipal Marina	Welcome to new Municipal Marina charters: Keith Green No Mercy, Brandon Woodward Big Kahuna, Austin Eubank Clearly Hooked, Fox Johnson FoxSea Lady, and Dave Hartman CB Tiki to the Marina on August 1.		8/1/2024
Patrol	CB Harbor	Welcome to Keith Green No Mercy, Brandon Woodward Big Kahuna, Austin Eubank Clearly Hooked, Fox Johnson FoxSea Lady, and Dave Hartman CB Tiki to the Marina on August 1.		8/5/2024
Warning/Citation				
Vessel	Location	Warning/Citation		Date
INTERIM	CB Harbor	Vessel abandoned in private marina. Vessel tagged with warning, work continues.		8/5/2024

New Municipal Marina Charter: Dave Hartman



New Municipal Marina Charter: Fox Johnson



8-foot Bull shark caught in Municipal Marina



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 & sewer taps.
- Install water meters.
- Service all existing Porta Johns.
- Repair sewer main.
- Replace meter lids.

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)

- 6 Permit payments processed
- 1 Accounts setup for Planning
- 12 FMS accounts setup/closed
- 2 Leak/Read Adjustments
- Emailed, Printed, and mailed out billing statements.
- Process payments for parking, re-entry, and golf cart permits

Environmental:

Beach Front

- Repaired loose boards at the Scotch bonnet beach access.

Boardwalk

- Repaired the showers at the boardwalk.
- Moved benches at the boardwalk to the correct locations.
- Repaired the handrail at the Harper beach access.

Signage

- Straightened signs throughout town.
- Removed old signpost from Ocean & Bowfin.
- Cleared vines off the stop sign at Tennessee & snapper.
- Replaced stop signs at North Carolina & Bowfin, South Carolina & Bonito also at Texas & Snapper.

Facilities

- Repaired the split rail fence at the end of Croaker along the green way trail.

Streets

- Repaired potholes throughout town.
- Filled the radiuses at the intersections along Dow Rd.

Special Events

- Setup and break down fireworks.

Storm water:

- 811 locates: 27
- Onsite visit with resident: 1
- Onsite visit with contractor: 2
- Stormwater violation: 0

CB Trash Walkers litter patrol: 142 pounds of litter picked up.



Stormwater crews repair sinkhole on Cape Fear Blvd.



Stormwater crews continue working to re-establish ditch on 500 block of Greenville Ave.



Work Orders:

	# of Work Orders
Sewer	
SSSERVICE - Repair	1
Stormwater	
BMP - Street Sweeper	56 miles swept
811 - Locate	18
IN_OUTFLOW - Inspect	1
IN_OUTFLOW - Repair	1
Litter Pick-Up	142 lbs.
Operate Fixed Pumps	7
Sinkhole - Investigate	1
Water	
811 - Locate	71
WMETER - Inspect	2
WMETER - Install	1
WMETER - Repair	1
WSERVICE - Install Tap	2
WSERVICE - Volume/Pressure Inspection	1
Facilities	
BEACH ACCESS - General Maintenance	1

FREEMAN PARK - Trash Removal	4 dumpsters
ISLAND GREENWAY - General Maintenance	1
MUNICIPAL BEACH STRAND - Trash Removal	8 dumpsters

Water/Sewer for Permitting and 811

W/S Locate Services - Fill/Grade/Clear Permit	2
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Sanitation

Public Can Route	1
SANITATION - Bulk Waste Collection	8
SANITATION - ZONE 1 - Yard Waste Collection	7 loads

Streets

STREETS - Litter Pickup	2
STREETS - Repair - Pothole	1
STREETS - Repair - Radius	2