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**WEEKLY UPDATES AUGUST 5, 2024 – AUGUST 9, 2024**

**PUBLIC MEETINGS:**

<b>Week of August 12, 2024</b>		
Monday, 8/12	10:00AM	Operations Advisory Committee
Tuesday, 8/13	6:00PM	Town Council Meeting
Wednesday, 8/14	6:00PM	Beautification Committee Meeting

**POLICE DEPARTMENT:**

**Patrol/Investigations:**

- A 61-year-old female reported on July 29<sup>th</sup> she was the victim of Motor Vehicle Theft in the 800 block of South Lake Park Blvd, CB. The case is under further investigation.
- Scotchman reported on July 29<sup>th</sup> they were the victim of Shoplifting at 808 South Lake Park Blvd, CB. The case is closed by arrest.
- A 59-year-old male reported on July 29<sup>th</sup> he was the victim of Identity Theft in the 200 block of South Fifth Street, CB. The case is inactive.
- A 46-year-old male reported on July 30<sup>th</sup> he was the victim of Unauthorized Use of Motor Vehicle in the 100 block of Cape Fear Blvd, CB. The case is closed – victim refused to cooperate.
- A 42-year-old male reported on August 1<sup>st</sup> he was the victim of Larceny in the 400 block of North Lake Park Blvd, CB. The case is under further investigation.
- A 32-year-old female reported on August 2<sup>nd</sup> she was the victim of Larceny in the 600 block of South Carolina Beach Avenue, CB. The case is under further investigation.
- The Last Resort reported on August 3<sup>rd</sup> that they were the victim of Trespass of Real Property at 600 North Lake Park Blvd, CB. The case is closed by arrest.
- A 41-year-old female reported on August 3<sup>rd</sup> she was the victim of Larceny in the 600 block of South Carolina Beach Avenue, CB. The case is under further investigation.

**Arrests:**

- A 25-year-old male was arrested on July 29<sup>th</sup> in the 400 block of North Lake Park Blvd, CB for Possession of Marijuana & Possession of Marijuana Paraphernalia – Misdemeanors.
- A 29-year-old male was arrested on July 30<sup>th</sup> in the 700 block of North Lake Park Blvd, CB for Shoplifting – Misdemeanor.
- A 21-year-old male was arrested on July 30<sup>th</sup> in the 300 block of Canal Drive, CB for Driving While Impaired & Drug/Narcotics Violations – Misdemeanors.
- A 42-year-old male was arrested on July 31<sup>st</sup> in the 1200 block of North Lake Park Blvd, CB for Order for Arrest – Misdemeanor.
- A 33-year-old female was arrested on July 31<sup>st</sup> in the 1200 block of North Lake Park Blvd, CB for Drug Equipment Violations – Misdemeanor.
- A 20-year-old male was arrested on July 31<sup>st</sup> in the 200 block of Canal Drive, CB for Possession of Stolen Property – Misdemeanor.

- A 35-year-old female was arrested on August 1<sup>st</sup> in the 1100 block of North Lake Park Blvd, CB for Conspiracy – Felony.
- A 35-year-old female was arrested on August 1<sup>st</sup> in the 1100 block of North Lake Park Blvd, CB for Habitual Larceny & Conspiracy – Felonies.
- A 44-year-old male was arrested on August 3<sup>rd</sup> in the 600 block of North Lake Park Blvd, CB for Trespass of Real Property – Misdemeanor.
- A 37-year-old male was arrested on August 3<sup>rd</sup> in the 1000 block of State Park Road, CB for Fail to Appear – Misdemeanor.

## FIRE DEPARTMENT

### Fire/Rescue Administration Division

- Staff attended weather briefings for Tropical Storm Debby
- Staff prepared for the Firefighter I candidate testing next week
- Staff attended the NCFMA board meeting and general sessions meeting

### Fire/Rescue Fire Prevention Division

- 3-preplans

### Fire/Rescue Operations Division

- Firefighters selected for the new driver operator program completed their training and tests
- Firefighters completed their daily and weekly apparatus checks as well as station duties
- Volunteers attended their first Monday night training of the month and trained on night fire drills
- Firefighters prepared for Tropical Storm Debby

### Ocean Rescue Division

- Staff traveled to Texas for the USLA National Lifeguard competition

Public Education	First Aid	Rip and other Rescues	Missing/Found Persons	EMS
2,436	11	1	2	2

### Response: 22 incidents

Incident Number	Alarm Date	Alarm Time	Location	Incident Type Code	Incident Type	NFIRS Number
240802-154917-CBFIRE	8/2/2024 1:38:04 PM	1:38 PM	400 WOODY HEWETT AVE	331	Lock-in (if lock out , use 511 )	0000342
240802-155359-CBFIRE	8/2/2024 1:59:41 PM	1:59 PM	220 ANNIE DR	463	Vehicle accident, general cleanup	0000343
240802-160036-CBFIRE	8/2/2024 7:09:39 PM	7:09 PM	1800 N CAROLINA BEACH AVE	311	Medical assist, assist EMS crew	0000344
240803-000235-CBFIRE	8/3/2024 1:10:38 AM	1:10 AM	808 S LAKE PARK BLVD	311	Medical assist, assist EMS crew	0000345
240803-103830-CBFIRE	8/3/2024 3:49:49 PM	3:49 PM	901 N Dow RD	311	Medical assist, assist EMS crew	0000346
240803-152950-CBFIRE	8/3/2024 5:43:25 PM	5:43 PM	1 Freeman Park	154	Dumpster or other outside trash receptacle fire	0000347
240803-154257-CBFIRE	8/3/2024 8:59:04 PM	8:59 PM	220 Annie DR	551	Assist police or other governmental agency	0000348
240804-065037-CBFIRE	8/4/2024 12:14:10 PM	12:14 PM	1209 N Lake Park	311	Medical assist, assist EMS crew	0000349
240804-141823-CBFIRE	8/4/2024 4:46:56 PM	4:46 PM	1018 N lake park BLVD	511	Lock-out	0000350
240804-161118-CBFIRE	8/4/2024 9:43:36 PM	9:43 PM	227 N Carolina beach AVE	311	Medical assist, assist EMS crew	0000351
240804-175631-CBFIRE	8/4/2024 11:27:27 PM	11:27 PM	1305 Canal DR	733	Smoke detector activation due to malfunction	0000352
240805-110320-CBFIRE	8/5/2024 1:32:47 PM	1:32 PM	102 Lanier Landing CT	311	Medical assist, assist EMS crew	0000353
240805-110811-CBFIRE	8/5/2024 4:31:39 PM	4:31 PM	1 Ocean BLVD	311	Medical assist, assist EMS crew	0000354
240806-054035-CBFIRE	8/6/2024 11:00:08 AM	11:00 AM	130 N Fort fisher BLVD	611	Dispatched & canceled en route	0000355
240807-153415-CBFIRE	8/7/2024 9:56:46 AM	9:56 AM	305 CAPE FEAR BLVD	311	Medical assist, assist EMS crew	0000358
240807-291582-CBFIRE	8/7/2024 10:03:29 AM	10:03 AM	1511 Mackerel LN	554	Assist invalid	0000356
240807-291615-CBFIRE	8/7/2024 10:24:29 AM	10:24 AM	823 Kenneth AVE	311	Medical assist, assist EMS crew	0000357
240807-155217-CBFIRE	8/7/2024 3:35:44 PM	3:35 PM	1018 N LAKE PARK BLVD	745	Alarm system activation, no fire - unintentional	0000360
240807-154623-CBFIRE	8/7/2024 5:11:59 PM	5:11 PM	1418 BOWFIN LN	311	Medical assist, assist EMS crew	0000359
240807-155921-CBFIRE	8/7/2024 6:35:10 PM	6:35 PM	418 N CAROLINA BEACH AVE	745	Alarm system activation, no fire - unintentional	0000361
240807-160519-CBFIRE	8/7/2024 7:09:01 PM	7:09 PM	1717 N CAROLINA BEACH AVE	111	Building fire	0000362
240807-161642-CBFIRE	8/7/2024 7:27:11 PM	7:27 PM	505 CAPE FEAR BLVD	444	Power line down	0000363

## 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>
- 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: **August 13<sup>th</sup> – August 18<sup>th</sup>**:
  - **Tuesday, August 13<sup>th</sup> - 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 14<sup>th</sup> - 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.
  - **Thursday, August 15<sup>th</sup> - BOARDWALK BLAST presents FRANK GRANT & THE FEELIN'**: The Ultimate Groove Band Experience offering a wide range of musical styles from the timeless classics of the '70s to the iconic anthems of the '80s and '90s and vibing with contemporary pop, country, hip hop, rock, blues, R&B, soul, and reggae. *Carolina Beach Boardwalk Gazebo Stage (Intersection of Canal Drive/Cape Fear Blvd.)*
    - 6:30 – 9:30 pm
  - **Thursday, August 15<sup>th</sup> - FIREWORKS BY THE SEA**
    - Carolina Beach Municipal Strand (Between Harper Avenue and Hamlet Avenue)
    - Fireworks begin promptly at 9:00 pm
  - **Saturday, August 17<sup>th</sup> - 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 18<sup>th</sup> - Movies at the Lake – Kung Foo Panda 4**: Po is gearing up to become the spiritual leader of his Valley of Peace, but also needs someone to take his place as Dragon Warrior. As such, he will train a new kung fu practitioner for the spot and will encounter a villain called the Chameleon who conjures villains from the past.
    - *Carolina Beach Lake Park (400 South Lake Park Blvd.)*
    - Dusk



**NOTE: EVENTS MAY BE CANCELLED DUE TO RAIN, FLOODING, AND GROUND SATURATION.**

### 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](mailto:tim.murphy@carolinabeach.org)

## COMMUNITY DEVELOPMENT

<b><u>Development Review</u></b>	
<b>All Permits Received</b>	<b><u>10</u></b>
Additions (paid)	2
Driveway/Impervious/Hardscape (paid)	2
Fence (paid)	3
Swimming Pool (paid)	1
Revisions (paid)	1
<b>Planning and Zoning</b>	
Home Occupation	1
Zoning Inspection	4
Zoning Plan Review	12
<b>Code Enforcement</b>	
Investigations Researched	3
Received/Reported Complaints	3
Violation Letters	1

### Zoning:

<b>Agenda Items/Meeting Dates</b>	<b>Status</b>
<b>Subdivision:</b> 1231 Saint Joseph subdivision	TRC – August 19 <sup>th</sup>
<b>Spot Lane:</b> Street improvement	Town Council – September 10 <sup>th</sup>
<b>Appeal:</b> Sidewalk café	BOA – September 18 <sup>th</sup>
<b>Variance:</b> Dry Dock Inn-fence	BOA – September 18 <sup>th</sup>
<b>Conditional Rezoning:</b> Seaside Chapel School 105 Dow Rd.	TBD



Demo: 309 Cape Fear Blvd. – House and Shed

# HARBOR/MARINA

Harbor Master Report			
Type	# slips/moorings	# of boats	Dates
Marina Licensee Slips	Marina- 24	24	7/1/2023
Marina Transient Slips	Transient Slips- 4	12	Current Week
CB Harbor	Anchorage	11	
Moorings/Transient	Declined Boats	0	
Moorings/Transient	Moorings Pendants-10	25	
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	Work continues on the electrical platform for the West side.	8/12/2024
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	Preparations for Tropical Storm Debby consumed the week. No damage to report to the marina or mooring field. Many boaters took refuge in the CB Harbor.	8/12/2024
Patrol	CB Harbor	CB Harbor, ICW and river have many logs and hazards floating at or below the surface. Use caution when transiting.	8/12/2024
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
Warning/Citation			
Vessel	Location	Warning/Citation	Date
INTERIM	CB Harbor	Vessel abandoned in private marina. Vessel tagged with warning, work continues.	8/5/2024

## Several large logs were removed from CB Harbor



### Reviews:

Jimmy S. 8/10/2024

The dock master was super helpful and nice.

## 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)
- Processed 10 Permit payments
- 13 Leak/Read Adjustments
- 19 Meter change out/installs
- Process payments for parking, re-entry, and golf cart permits

### **Environmental:**

#### ***Beach Front***

- Moved 3 of the lifeguard stands for the storm.
- Filled holes on the beach.
- Removed and replaced the trash cans for the storm.

#### ***Boardwalk***

- Removed the banners before the storm.

#### ***Signage***

- Straightened signs throughout town.
- Removed the banners on the bridge before the storm.
- Repaired the stop sign at Glenn & Kenneth.

#### ***Facilities***

- Repaired the sinks in the Alabama restrooms.
- Locked all the rest rooms before the storm.
- Removed and replaced the public trash cans for the storm.

#### ***Streets***

- Repaired potholes throughout town.
- Checked all the streets for debris from the storm.

### **Storm water:**

- 811 Locates: 12
- Site visit with residents: 5
- Site visit with contractor: 1
- Stormwater Violations: 3 resolved
- CB Trash Walkers Litter Patrol: None reported due to Hurricane Debby.
- Stormwater crews prep for Hurricane Debby.
- Stormwater crews set up portable pumps for possible flooding.
- Stormwater crews Pre pump down the lake and ponds for Hurricane Debby.
- Stormwater crews go to split shifts for 24-hour pumping operations.
- Stormwater crews begin recovery operations from the storm.

**Work Orders:****# of Work Orders****Sewer**

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

**Stormwater**

BMP - Street Sweeper	16 miles swept
811 - Locate	20
Other Stormwater - Violation Investigation	2
Site Visit - Resident	2
Storm Operations	4
Storm Prep	3
SWSYSTEM - Clean	1
SWSYSTEM - Mowing/Clearing	1

**Water**

811 - Locate	15
Lead/Copper Inspection	32
WMETER - Activate	1
WMETER - Disconnect	1
WMETER - Inspect	3
WMETER - Install	5
WMETER - Repair	5
WSERVICE - Install Tap	2

**Facilities**

BOARDWALK AREA - Storm Prep	1
FREEMAN PARK - Trash Removal	3 dumpsters
MARINA - Storm Prep	1
MUNICIPAL BEACH STRAND - Storm Prep	2
MUNICIPAL BEACH STRAND - Trash Removal	9 dumpsters
PARKING LOTS - Storm Prep	1
RESTROOM - Clean	1

**Water/Sewer for Permitting and 811**

Tap Verification	1
W/S Locate Services - Demo Permit	1

**Sanitation**

Public Can Route	1
SANITATION - Bulk Waste Collection	6
SANITATION - ZONE 2 - Yard Waste Collection	6 loads

**Streets**

STREETS- Storm Prep	1
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