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**WEEKLY UPDATES AUGUST 19, 2024 – AUGUST 23, 2024**

**PUBLIC MEETINGS:**

Week of August 26, 2024		
Tuesday, 8/27	8:30AM	Town Council Workshop

**POLICE DEPARTMENT:**

**Patrol/Investigations:**

- A 50-year-old female reported on August 14<sup>th</sup> she was the victim of Destruction/Damage/Vandalism in the 100 block of North Lake Park Blvd, CB. The case is under further investigation.
- A 60-year-old female reported on August 14<sup>th</sup> she was the victim of Identity Theft in the 400 block of Hamlet Avenue, CB. The case is inactive.
- An 18-year-old female reported on August 15<sup>th</sup> she was the victim of Simple Assault in the 100 block of Cape Fear Blvd, CB. The case is inactive.
- Pleasure Island Rentals reported on August 16<sup>th</sup> they were the victim of Larceny in the 900 block of South Second Street, CB. The case is under further investigation.
- A 40-year-old female reported on August 16<sup>th</sup> she was the victim of Aggravated Assault in the 400 block of Harper Avenue, CB. The case is cleared by arrest.
- A 76-year-old male reported on August 17<sup>th</sup> he was the victim of Larceny in the 100 block of Carl Winner Avenue, CB. The case is under further investigation.

**Arrests:**

- A 28-year-old male was arrested on August 13<sup>th</sup> in the 1200 block of South Lake Park Blvd, CB for Driving While Impaired – Misdemeanor.
- A 26-year-old male was arrested on August 13<sup>th</sup> in the 100 block of Cape Fear Blvd, CB for Warrant for Arrest – Misdemeanor.
- A 52-year-old male was arrested on August 15<sup>th</sup> in the 100 block of North Lake Park Blvd, CB for Order for Arrest – Misdemeanor.
- A 43-year-old female was arrested on August 15<sup>th</sup> in the 1100 block of North Lake Park Blvd, CB for Possession of Methamphetamine – Felony.
- A 32-year-old male was arrested on August 16<sup>th</sup> in the 600 block of Saint Joseph Street, CB for Assault by Strangulation – Felony.
- A 48-year-old male was arrested on August 17<sup>th</sup> in the 1000 block of North Lake Park Blvd, CB for Fail to Appear – Misdemeanor.
- A 35-year-old female Alison Bryant (35) was arrested on August 18<sup>th</sup> in the 700 block of Saint Joseph Street, CB for Possession of Methamphetamine – Felony.
- A 33-year-old male was arrested on August 18<sup>th</sup> in the 700 block of Saint Joseph Street, CB for Possession of Schedule II Controlled Substance – Misdemeanor.

## FIRE DEPARTMENT

### Fire/Rescue Administration Division

- Staff held interviews for the Firefighter I position
- Staff attended the monthly TRC meeting
- Staff held a committee meeting to plan for the new apparatus
- Staff attended an events committee meeting

### Fire/Rescue Fire Prevention Division

- 1-site visit
- 1-inspection

### Fire/Rescue Operations Division

- Firefighters completed their daily and weekly apparatus checks as well as station duties
- Firefighters completed Emergency Vehicle Driver (EVD) training at the airport
- Firefighters attended their second Monday night training of the month
- Firefighters completed a preplan walk through at Proximity

### Ocean Rescue Division





- Staff completed a training on the USAFE rescue buoy
- Staff completed jet ski maintenance

Public Education	First Aid	Rip & Other Rescues	Missing/Found Persons	EMS
2,387	15	20	6	3

### Response: 19 incidents

Incident Number	Alarm Date	Alarm Time	Location	Incident Type Code	Incident Type	NFIRS Number
240816-162942-CBFIRE	8/16/2024 9:21:21 AM	9:21 AM	CANAL DR	311	Medical assist, assist EMS crew	0000404
240816-163710-CBFIRE	8/16/2024 12:27:07 PM	12:27 PM	402 TAHITI CT	311	Medical assist, assist EMS crew	0000405
240816-164352-CBFIRE	8/16/2024 3:42:42 PM	3:42 PM	1 SCALLOP LN	311	Medical assist, assist EMS crew	0000406
240816-164836-CBFIRE	8/16/2024 4:13:16 PM	4:13 PM	100 HARPER AVE	311	Medical assist, assist EMS crew	0000407
240817-020101-CBFIRE	8/17/2024 7:38:16 AM	7:38 AM	111 Florida AVE	743	Smoke detector activation, no fire - unintentional	0000408
240817-063343-CBFIRE	8/17/2024 8:17:15 AM	8:17 AM	505 Cape Fear BLVD	311	Medical assist, assist EMS crew	0000409
240817-134432-CBFIRE	8/17/2024 7:04:59 PM	7:04 PM	1 Cape Fear BLVD	311	Medical assist, assist EMS crew	0000410
240817-141441-CBFIRE	8/17/2024 7:47:35 PM	7:47 PM	1511 Swordfish LN	554	Assist invalid	0000411
240818-004410-CBFIRE	8/18/2024 12:44:08 AM	12:44 AM	701 N Lake Park BLVD	611	Dispatched & canceled en route	0000413
240817-214648-CBFIRE	8/18/2024 3:32:15 AM	3:32 AM	519 harper AVE	311	Medical assist, assist EMS crew	0000412
240818-306798-CBFIRE	8/18/2024 10:49:30 AM	10:49 AM	804 Charlotte AVE	554	Assist invalid	0000414
240819-000946-CBFIRE	8/18/2024 10:14:26 PM	10:14 PM	100 FREEMAN PARK	561	Unauthorized burning	0000415
240819-093535-CBFIRE	8/19/2024 2:40:19 PM	2:40 PM	5044 Carolina Beach RD	111	Building fire	0000416
240819-130018-CBFIRE	8/19/2024 4:12:14 PM	4:12 PM	617 Rocky Mount AVE	311	Medical assist, assist EMS crew	0000417
240820-309355-CBFIRE	8/20/2024 10:27:51 AM	10:27 AM	220 N Lake Park BLVD	413	Oil or other combustible liquid spill	0000418
240820-310082-CBFIRE	8/20/2024 6:48:28 PM	6:48 PM	409 S Lake Park BLVD	311	Medical assist, assist EMS crew	0000419
240820-310124-CBFIRE	8/20/2024 7:38:37 PM	7:38 PM	405 Ocean BLVD	554	Assist invalid	0000420
240821-310373-CBFIRE	8/21/2024 1:52:45 AM	1:52 AM	309 Seafarer DR	311	Medical assist, assist EMS crew	0000421
240821-171230-CBFIRE	8/21/2024 10:20:13 PM	10:20 PM	902 N Carolina Beach AVE	311	Medical assist, assist EMS crew	0000422

## 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.

- The Town of Carolina Beach Parks & Recreation Department is excited to announce the agenda of final week of SUMMER activities: **August 28<sup>th</sup> – September 1<sup>st</sup>:**
  - **Wednesday, August 28<sup>th</sup> - FLAMINGO BINGO**- Join us for the final Wednesday evening in front of the stage at the Carolina Beach Boardwalk and play Island Women Flamingo Bingo!
    - Sales begin at 6:30pm, and the first ball is drawn at 7pm sharp.
  - **Friday, August 30<sup>th</sup> - BOARDWALK BLAST presents THE MAIN EVENT:** The ultimate party band performing R&B, soul, beach, country, and funk!
    - *Carolina Beach Boardwalk Gazebo Stage (Intersection Canal/Cape Fear Blvd.)*
    - *6:30 – 9:30 pm*
  - **Friday, August 30<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 31<sup>st</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, September 1<sup>st</sup> - Movies at the Lake – WONKA:** With dreams of opening a shop in a city renowned for its chocolate, a young and poor Willy Wonka discovers that the industry is run by a cartel of greedy chocolatiers.
    - *Carolina Beach Lake Park (400 South Lake Park Blvd.)*
    - *Dusk*

Please remember to thank your Carolina Beach Town Staff as well as the many volunteers and sponsors that make these FREE Activities possible. Come early to all events and plan to support the local businesses while in Town. Please remember to be kind to your neighbor, practice social-distancing and deposit your litter and recyclables in their proper containers. All activities are weather permitting.

For more information, please contact Carolina Beach Parks & Recreation at 910-458-7416.



**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>Development Review</b>	
<b>All Permits Received</b>	<b><u>11</u></b>
Fence (paid)	2
Fill/Grade/Clear (paid)	1
Reno/Repair Residential (paid)	1
Single Family New Construction (paid)	1
Townhouse/Condos New Construction (paid)	1
New Construction Finals	2
<b>Planning and Zoning</b>	
Zoning Inspection	9
Zoning Plan Review	2
<b>Code Enforcement</b>	
Investigations Researched	12
Received/Reported Complaints	11
Received/Reported Non-Code Enforcement Complaints	1
Resolved Complaints	7
Violation Letters	5

### Zoning:

Agenda Items/Meeting Dates	Status
<b>Conditional Zoning:</b> Silver Dollar-3 Cape Fear Blvd.	Town Council – September 10 <sup>th</sup>
<b>Spot Lane:</b> Street improvement	Town Council – September 10 <sup>th</sup>
<b>Subdivision:</b> 1231 Saint Joseph St.	P&Z – September 12 <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

## 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	2	6/30/2024	
CB Harbor	Anchorage	20	Current Week	
Moorings/Transient	Declined Boats	0		
Moorings/Transient	Moorings Pendants-10	9		
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 on hold for the electrical platform for the West side. Waiting on backordered parts.		8/26/2024
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	Outside CB Harbor	Assisted USCG Pollution Control with vessel fire on the NW side of Snows Cut. NHC Haz Mat team put up boom to control runoff into river. NC Coastal Federation is working to have vessel removed.		8/22/2024
Patrol	CB Harbor	Report of vessel dragging anchor and run aground on Florida side of Marsh Island.		8/24/2024
Administrative	Town Code	Modifications to Town Code chapter 10 adopted by Town Council, limit on vessels anchored, streamline administration, added transient slip to mooring section.		8/13/2024
Violations				
Vessel	Location	Warning/Citation		Date
INTERIM	CB Harbor	Vessel abandoned in private marina. Vessel tagged with warning July 18, 2024, work continues. NC Coastal Federation has agreed to remove the vessel once it has been declared Abandoned.		8/19/2024

### Reviews:

Debi R. 8/23/24

*We stayed on a mooring ball for a week waiting out for all the log debris from TS Debby. Jarrett, the dock master, kept us informed on the condition of the waterways. A very walkable town, especially the boardwalk along the beach, it's very impressive.*

**Vessel that burnt in Snow's Cut**



**Vessel that drug anchor in 20 knot winds**



## **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.
- Install water meters.
- Service all existing Porta Johns.
- Replace broken water meters.

### **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 8 permit payments
- 3 leak/read adjustments
- Process payments for parking, re-entry, and golf cart permits

### **Environmental:**

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

- Repaired broken boards at the Tennessee Beach access.
- Repaired the Scallop beach access.

#### ***Boardwalk***

- Repaired showers at the Boardwalk.
- Shoveled access at the boardwalk.
- Repaired handrails at the boardwalk.

#### ***Signage***

- Straightened signs throughout town.
- Replaced the pedestrian crosswalk signs in the middle of lake park.

- Replaced the pedestrian crosswalk signs on Ocean Blvd & Sumter AV.
- Installed no parking sign on Lake DR.

**Facilities**

- Repaired the urinal at the Alabama restroom.
- Cleaned the floor drains in the Hamlet restrooms.

**Streets**

- Patched potholes on Canal DR.

**Special Events**

- Set up & break down fireworks

**Storm water:**

- 811 locates: 30
- Site visit with resident: 3
- Site visit with contractor: 2
- Stormwater Violation: 1
- CB Trash Walkers litter patrol: 158 pounds of trash picked up.
- Crews removed debris from catch basin grates for after storm cleanup.
- Crews continue to re-establish the drainage system on the 400 block of Greenville Ave.

Crews repair sinkholes on the 1500 block of Mackerel Lane.



Crews work to improve drainage at Tennessee Avenue parking lot.



**Work Orders:**

**# of Work Orders**

**Sewer**

Port-A-Potty Cleaning/Maintenance	1
SSCLEANOUT - Inspect	1
SSMANHOLE - Inspect	1

**Stormwater**

BMP - Clean	1
BMP - Street Sweeper	28 miles swept

811 - Locate	44
IN_OUTFLOW - Clean	1
Litter Pick-Up	331 lbs.
Operate Fixed Pumps	4
Sinkhole - Investigate	1
SWSTRUCTURE - Inspect	1
SWSYSTEM - Bank Stabilization	1
SWSYSTEM - Repair	1
<b>Water</b>	
BACKFLOW - Inspect	1
811 - Locate	43
WMETER - Inspect	4
WMETER - Install	1
WMETER - Pull Meter	1
WMETER - Repair	1
WMETER - Replace	2
WSERVICE - Install Tap	2
WSERVICE - Leak	1
<b>Facilities</b>	
BEACH ACCESS - General Maintenance	2
FREEMAN PARK - Trash Removal	2 dumpsters
MUNICIPAL BEACH STRAND - Trash Removal	8 dumpsters
RESTROOM - Clean	1
RESTROOM - Maintenance	1
<b>Sanitation</b>	
Public Can Route	1
SANITATION - Bulk Waste Collection	7
SANITATION - ZONE 4 - Yard Waste Collection	11 loads
<b>Streets</b>	
SIGN - Replace	1
STREETS - Litter Pickup	1
STREETS - Repair - Pothole	1