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WEEKLY UPDATES DECEMBER 9, 2024 – DECEMBER 13, 2024

PUBLIC MEETINGS:

December 16, 2024 – December 20, 2024		
Monday, 12/16	6:00PM	Board of Adjustment

POLICE DEPARTMENT:

Patrol/Investigations:

- A 60-year-old male reported on December 5th he was the victim of Hit & Run in the 800 block of North Lake Park Blvd, CB. The case is closed by arrest.
- Town of Carolina Beach reported on December 6th they were the victim of Destruction/Damage/Vandalism at 100 Freeman Park. The case is under further investigation.
- Scotchman reported on December 8th they were the victim of Larceny at 354 Canal Drive, CB The case is under further investigation.
- A 54-year-old male reported on December 8th he was the victim of Harassment/Stalking in the 200 block of Wilson Avenue, CB. The case is inactive.

Arrests:

- A 63 year-old male was arrested on December 2nd in the 200 block of North Lake Park Blvd, CB for Drug/Narcotic Violations – Felony.
- A 64 year-old female was arrested on December 5th in the 300 block of Canal Drive, CB for Hit & Run – Misdemeanor.
- A 38 year-old male was arrested on December 7th in the 1000 block of North Lake Park Blvd, CB for Larceny – Felony.
- A 58 year-old male was arrested on December 8th in the 1200 block of North Lake Park Blvd, CB for Intoxicated & Disruptive – Misdemeanor.

FIRE DEPARTMENT

Fire/Rescue Administration Division

- Attended a town events meeting
- Attended the Fire Academy graduation
- Attended the end of the year Safe Kids Coalition meeting
- Completed annual inspections and maintenance for department vehicles

Fire/Rescue Fire Prevention Division

- 3-inspections
- 2-site visits
- 3-plan reviews

Fire/Rescue Operations Division

- Completed their daily and weekly apparatus checks as well as station duties
- Continued to work on annual hydrant maintenance
- Attended the town Christmas Party

Ocean Rescue Division

- Staffing is limited until the start of the next season

Response: 10 incidents

Incident Number	Alarm Date	Alarm Time	Location	Incident Type Code	Incident Type	NFIRS Number
2412060001	12/6/2024 1:33:53 PM	1:33 PM	1514 S LAKE PARK BLVD	500	Service Call, other	0000865
2412080001	12/8/2024 11:00:40 AM	11:00 AM	1 ALABAMA AVE	311	Medical assist, assist EMS crew	0000866
2412090001	12/9/2024 9:57:34 AM	9:57 AM	120 N LAKE PARK BLVD	733	Smoke detector activation due to malfunction	0000867
2412090002	12/9/2024 10:34:42 AM	10:34 AM	120 N LAKE PARK BLVD	733	Smoke detector activation due to malfunction	0000868
241210-105925-CBFIRE	12/10/2024 4:40:02 PM	4:40 PM	1121 S Lake Park BLVD	611	Dispatched & canceled en route	0000869
2412100001	12/10/2024 7:14:46 PM	7:14 PM	105 K AVE	111	Building fire	0000870
2412110001	12/11/2024 1:58:53 PM	1:58 PM	401 SUMTER AVE	311	Medical assist, assist EMS crew	0000871
2412110002	12/11/2024 2:29:16 PM	2:29 PM	CANAL DR & Scallop Ln	444	Power line down	0000872
2412110003	12/11/2024 3:25:11 PM	3:25 PM	7983 RIVER RD	365	Watercraft rescue	0000873
2412120001	12/12/2024 11:36:45 AM	11:36 AM	906 N LAKE PARK BLVD	743	Smoke detector activation, no fire - unintentional	0000874

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>
- The final holiday event will be this coming Saturday, December 21st with Santa by the Sea, 5-7PM



- The new electric box on the Sumter side of Mike Chappell Park was replaced and passed inspection. The contracted electricians will be replacing the box near the large ballfield in early January.
- All lights in the upstairs of the Recreation Center were retrofitted to energy saving LED's.

Events:

- Please visit the link for the updated event calendar: <https://www.carolinabeach.org/visitors/events-calendar>
- If you have questions regarding events, please contact Tim Murphy at tim.murphy@carolinabeach.org

COMMUNITY DEVELOPMENT

Development Review	
All Permits Received	18
Additions (paid)	2
Demo (paid)	1
Driveway/Impervious/Hardscape (paid)	1
Fence (paid)	3
Fill/Grade/Clear (paid)	2
Reno/Repair Residential (paid)	1
Single Family New Construction (paid)	1
Certificate of Compliance	3
Planning and Zoning	
Zoning Plan Review	9
Code Enforcement	
Investigations Researched	3
Received/Reported Complaints	3
Resolved Complaints	1

Zoning:

Agenda Items/Meeting Dates	Status
Conditional Zoning: Seaside Chapel 105 Dow Rd.	December 10 th – Town Council - Denied
Variance: Oceaneer	December 16 th - BOA
Subdivision - 1215 St. Joseph Street	December 16 th – TRC
Partial Alley Closure – Glenn Ave.	December 16 th – TRC
4-unit Multifamily – 703 Lake Park Blvd. S.	December 16 th – TRC
Text Amendment: Lot Coverage	December 16 th – TRC
Traffic Calming Policy Discussion	December 16 th – TRC
Lake Beautification Discussion	December 16 th – TRC
Board Training	January 10 th - BOA
Variance: Dry Dock Inn-Fence	TBD-BOA

Demolition:



Demolition – 1215 Saint Joseph Street – Single Family Home

HARBOR/MARINA

Harbor Master Report					
Type	# slips/moorings	# of boats	Dates		
Marina Licensee Slips	Marina- 24	24	7/1/2023	6/30/2024	
Marina Transient Slips	Transient Slips- 4	7			
CB Harbor	Anchorage	7			
Mooring/Transient	Declined Boats	0			
Mooring/Transient	Mooring Pendsents-10	32			
Myrtle Grove Sound Activity					
Type of Activity	Location	Actions		Date	
Marina Construction	Municipal Marina	Work on the electrical platform for the West side near completion.		12/16/2024	
Harbor Repairs	CB Harbor	Work started to replace regulatory buoys in the Mooring Field		12/7/2024	
Marina Repairs	Municipal Marina	Plumber to fix several leaking spickets on the west dock and move line drain.		12/16/2024	
Patrol	CB Harbor	Assisted a sinking vessel in Pleasure Key. Vessel pumped out and taken to CB Boat Yard for haul out.		12/16/2024	
Marina Repairs	Municipal Marina	Increased cameras around the marina, dinghy dock, and mooring field improving coverage.		11/25/2024	
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. Link to update 24-1231: https://library.municode.com/nc/carolina_beach/codes/code_of_ordinances		8/13/2024	
Violations					
Vessel	Location	Warning/Citation		Date	

Harbor Master assisted sinking vessel.



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.
- Service all existing Porta Johns.
- Clean Collection Sewer System.
- Replace broken meters.
- Repair broken water service.

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 13 permit payments
- 12 FMS accounts setup/closed
- 3 leak/read adjustments made
- 1 meter change out/installs
- Process payments for Freeman Park permits

Environmental:**Beach Front**

- Repaired the handrails at Pelican beach access.

Boardwalk

- Repaired benches for the boardwalk.

Signage

- Straightened signs throughout town.
- Replaced stop sign at 3rd & Spartanburg.

Facilities

- Reopened public restrooms.
- Repaired the women's restroom door at the lake.
- Repaired the sinks at the Sandpiper restrooms.

Streets

- Monitored flooding on Canal Dr.

Special Events

- Repaired Christmas lights around town.

Storm water:

- 811 Locates: 37
- Site visit with resident: 3
- Site visit with contractor: 3
- Stormwater violation: 0
- CB Trash Walkers Litter Patrol: 27 pounds.

Contractors installed stormwater on the 400 block of Monroe Ave. at 4th Street.



Vegetation on S. Third Street cut away from ditch.



Ocean Blvd. stormwater upgrade moving forward between Bowfin and Snapper Lane.



Work Orders:

	# of Work Orders
Sewer	
Port-A-Potty Cleaning/Maintenance	1
SSCLEANOUT - Inspect	1
Stormwater	
Administrative	1
BMP - Clean	2
BMP - Street Sweeper	45 miles swept
811 - Locate	35
Litter Pick-Up	27 lbs.
Operate Fixed Pumps	2
Other Stormwater - Investigate	1
Other Stormwater - Violation Investigation	1
Site Visit - Contractor	2
Site Visit - Resident	3
Storm Recovery	1
SWSYSTEM - Install	1
SWSYSTEM - Vactor	635 feet cleaned
Training	1
Vehicle/Equipment Maintenance	3
Water	
811 - Locate	46
WHYDRANT - Investigate	1
WMETER - Inspect	3
WMETER - Locate	1
WMETER - Repair	1
Facilities	
BOARDWALK AREA - General Maintenance	3
MUNICIPAL BEACH STRAND - Trash Removal	1 dumpster
RESTROOM - Clean	1

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TOWN PROPERTY - General Maintenance	1
WILDLIFE BOAT RAMP - Trash Removal	1

Water/Sewer for Permitting and 811

W/S Locate Services - Fill/Grade/Clear Permit	5
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Sanitation

SANITATION - Bulk Waste Collection	11
SANITATION - ZONE 2 - Yard Waste Collection	8 loads

Streets

SIGN - GIS/GPS	1
SIGN - Remove	1
SIGN - Replace	1