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## **WEEKLY UPDATES DECEMBER 30, 2024 – JANUARY 3, 2025**

### **PUBLIC MEETINGS:**

<b>December 9, 2024 – December 13, 2024</b>		
Monday, 1/06	6:00PM	Police Advocacy Committee
	7:00PM	Parks and Recreation Committee
Wednesday, 1/08	6:00PM	Beautification Committee
Thursday, 1/09	6:00PM	Planning & Zoning Commission

### **POLICE DEPARTMENT:**

#### **Patrol/Investigations:**

- A 45-year-old male reported on December 17<sup>th</sup> he was the victim of Hit & Run/Property Damage in the 200 block of Annie Drive, CB. The case is closed by arrest.
- Scotchman reported on December 17<sup>th</sup> they were the victim of Embezzlement at 900 North Lake Park Blvd, CB. The case is closed by arrest.
- Town of Carolina Beach reported on December 20<sup>th</sup> they were the victim of Hit & Run/Property Damage at 100 Florida Avenue, CB. The case is closed/citation issued.
- A 52-year-old male reported on December 26<sup>th</sup> he was the victim of Larceny in the 200 block of Raleigh Avenue, CB. The case is under further investigation.
- Town of Carolina Beach reported on December 29<sup>th</sup> they were the victim of Property Damage at 9 Dow Road, CB. The case is under further investigation.

#### **Arrests:**

- A 60 year-old female was arrested on December 16<sup>th</sup> in the 1400 block of Pinfish Lane, CB for Driving Under the Influence – Misdemeanor.
- A 46 year-old male was arrested on December 17<sup>th</sup> in the 300 block of Spartanburg Avenue, CB for Driving While Impaired/Damage to Property – Misdemeanors.
- An 18 year-old male was arrested on December 18<sup>th</sup> in the 1300 block of North Lake Park Blvd, CB for Possession of Cocaine – Felony.
- A 36 year-old male was arrested on December 18<sup>th</sup> in the 800 block of Atlanta Avenue, CB for Communicating Threats – Misdemeanor.
- A 49 year-old male was arrested on December 18<sup>th</sup> in the 800 block of Atlanta Avenue, CB for Warrant for Arrest – Misdemeanor.
- A 39 year-old male was arrested on December 19<sup>th</sup> in the 9900 block of Carolina Beach Road, Wilmington for Driving While Impaired – Misdemeanor.
- A 46 year-old female was arrested on December 20<sup>th</sup> in the 200 block of South Lake Park Blvd, CB for Simple Possession of Schedule IV Controlled Substance – Misdemeanor.

- A 46 year-old female was arrested on December 20<sup>th</sup> in the 200 block of South Lake Park Blvd, CB for Order for Arrest – Felony.
- A 46 year-old female was arrested on December 20<sup>th</sup> in the 1400 block of North Lake Park Blvd, CB for Possess Marijuana – Misdemeanor.
- A 46 year-old male was arrested on December 23<sup>rd</sup> in the 600 block of Sumter Avenue, CB for Failure to Comply – Misdemeanor.
- A 40 year-old male was arrested on December 23<sup>rd</sup> in the 1300 block of North Lake Park Blvd, CB for Order for Arrest – Misdemeanor.
- A 45 year-old female was arrested on December 24<sup>th</sup> in the 200 block of Cape Fear Blvd, CB for Order for Arrest/Possession of Drug Paraphernalia – Misdemeanors.
- A 19 year-old male was arrested on December 24<sup>th</sup> in the 200 block of North Lake Park Blvd, CB for Drug/Narcotics Violations/Resisting Arrest – Misdemeanors.
- A 21 year-old male was arrested on December 29<sup>th</sup> in the 1300 block of North Lake Park, Blvd, CB for Drug/Narcotics Violations/Drug Equipment Violations – Misdemeanors.

## FIRE DEPARTMENT

### **Fire/Rescue Administration Division**

- Prepared for the upcoming Firefighter I interviews
- Held an administrative meeting for the department

### **Fire/Rescue Fire Prevention Division**

- 3-inspections
- 6-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
- Helped with the New Years ball drop
- Completed Driver/Operator training on Engine 22

### **Ocean Rescue Division**

- Staffing is limited until the start of the next season

### **Response: 30 incidents**

Incident Number	Alarm Date	Alarm Time	Location	Incident Type Code	Incident Type	NFIRS Number
2412200001	12/20/2024 3:55:40 PM	3:55 PM	910 BASIN RD	311	Medical assist, assist EMS crew	0000892
2412200002	12/20/2024 10:21:43 PM	10:21 PM	710 HAMLET AVE	311	Medical assist, assist EMS crew	0000893
2412210001	12/21/2024 8:43:33 AM	8:43 AM	1006 S FIFTH ST	311	Medical assist, assist EMS crew	0000894
2412210002	12/21/2024 6:27:06 PM	6:27 PM	322 GOLDSBORO AVE	511	Lock-out	0000895
2412210003	12/21/2024 6:59:23 PM	6:59 PM	709 ATLANTA AVE	311	Medical assist, assist EMS crew	0000896
2412230001	12/23/2024 8:01:29 AM	8:01 AM	1356 BRIDGE BARRIER RD	311	Medical assist, assist EMS crew	0000897
2412230002	12/23/2024 9:41:40 AM	9:41 AM	605 SPARTANBURG AVE	311	Medical assist, assist EMS crew	0000898
2412230003	12/23/2024 6:41:40 PM	6:41 PM	210 GOLDSBORO AVE	311	Medical assist, assist EMS crew	0000899
2412230004	12/23/2024 6:54:53 PM	6:54 PM	915 N CAROLINA BEACH AVE	311	Medical assist, assist EMS crew	0000900
2412240001	12/24/2024 7:06:03 AM	7:06 AM	615 SUMTER AVE	311	Medical assist, assist EMS crew	0000901
2412240002	12/24/2024 9:41:41 PM	9:41 PM	502 SEAFARER DR	324	Motor vehicle accident with no injuries.	0000902
2412250001	12/25/2024 6:17:51 PM	6:17 PM	1306 S LAKE PARK BLVD	743	Smoke detector activation, no fire - unintentional	0000903
2412260001	12/26/2024 9:17:29 AM	9:17 AM	222 N FORT FISHER BLVD	611	Dispatched & canceled en route	0000904
2412260002	12/26/2024 7:32:23 PM	7:32 PM	213 CAPE FEAR BLVD	300	Rescue, EMS incident, other	0000905
2412270001	12/27/2024 11:26:47 AM	11:26 AM	1 HARPER AVE	542	Animal rescue	0000906
2412270002	12/27/2024 6:46:46 PM	6:46 PM	313 CANAL DR	311	Medical assist, assist EMS crew	0000907
2412280001	12/28/2024 10:03:40 AM	10:03 AM	100 CHARLOTTE AVE	743	Smoke detector activation, no fire - unintentional	0000908
2412280002	12/28/2024 1:16:13 PM	1:16 PM	1200 SAINT JOSEPH ST	311	Medical assist, assist EMS crew	0000909
2412280003	12/28/2024 3:53:41 PM	3:53 PM	214 HARPER AVE	311	Medical assist, assist EMS crew	0000910
2412290001	12/29/2024 6:51:26 AM	6:51 AM	1511 MACKEREL LN	554	Assist invalid	0000911
2412290002	12/29/2024 6:07:49 PM	6:07 PM	899 CAPE FEAR BLVD	324	Motor vehicle accident with no injuries.	0000912
2412290003	12/29/2024 7:31:07 PM	7:31 PM	224 N CAROLINA BEACH AVE	745	Alarm system activation, no fire - unintentional	0000913
2412300001	12/30/2024 11:03:44 AM	11:03 AM	1006 S LAKE PARK BLVD	311	Medical assist, assist EMS crew	0000914
2412300002	12/30/2024 2:24:01 PM	2:24 PM	1006 S LAKE PARK BLVD	321	EMS call, excluding vehicle accident with injury	0000915
2412300003	12/30/2024 4:44:15 PM	4:44 PM	4008 WINDS RIDGE DR	611	Dispatched & canceled en route	0000916
2412300004	12/30/2024 9:29:50 PM	9:29 PM	509 BIRMINGHAM AVE	321	EMS call, excluding vehicle accident with injury	0000917
241230-231744-CBFIREF	12/31/2024 12:28:54 AM	12:28 AM	1506 Bonito LN	311	Medical assist, assist EMS crew	0000918
2412310003	12/31/2024 10:25:59 PM	10:25 PM	699 HAMLET AVE	622	No incident found on arrival at dispatch address	0000920
2412310002	12/31/2024 10:27:51 PM	10:27 PM	227 N CAROLINA BEACH AVE	311	Medical assist, assist EMS crew	0000919
2501010001	1/1/2025 2:06:19 PM	2:06 PM	1 PELICAN LN	311	Medical assist, assist EMS crew	0000001

## 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>
- Thank you to all the vendors and volunteers that made our Christmas programs a success this year. We could not have done it without you!



- A big THANK YOU to Ocean Cure and the Friends of Carolina Beach Parks and Greenways for raising over \$20,000 to build an accessible observation deck at the skate park at Mike Chappell Park. This deck will provide a great accessible viewing point for spectators at the park. We look forward to starting this project!
- We submitted all required documentation for reimbursement of the Land and Water Conservation Fund grant for the Brandy Myers Playground at Lake Park.

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

## COMMUNITY DEVELOPMENT

<b>Development Review</b>	
<b>All Permits Received</b>	<b>9</b>
Commercial New Construction (paid)	1
Fence (paid)	1
Fill/Grade/Clear (paid)	1
Fire (paid)	1
Reno/Repair Residential (paid)	3
New Construction Finals - 8.9.24	5
<b>Planning and Zoning</b>	
Zoning Inspection	1
Zoning Plan Review	9
<b>Code Enforcement</b>	
Investigations Researched	3
Received/Reported Complaints	3
Received/Reported Non-Code Enforcement Complaints	1
Resolved Complaints	3

**Zoning:**

Agenda Items/Meeting Dates	Status
<b>Text Amendment:</b> Lot coverage	Planning & Zoning – January 9 <sup>th</sup>
<b>Training:</b> BOA	BOA – January 10 <sup>th</sup>
<b>Discussion:</b> Traffic calming policy	Town Council – January 14 <sup>th</sup>
<b>Training:</b> BOA	BOA – January 10 <sup>th</sup>
<b>Partial Alley Closure:</b> Glenn Ave.	Town Council – February 11 <sup>th</sup>
<b>Subdivision:</b> 1215 St. Joseph	Planning & Zoning – February 13 <sup>th</sup>
<b>Variance:</b> Dry Dock Inn-Fence	BOA - TBD
<b>Variance:</b> Oceaneer	BOA - TBD

**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	9	Current Period	
CB Harbor	Anchorage	9		
Mooring/Transient	Declined Boats	0		
Mooring/Transient	Mooring Pendsents-10	17		
CB Marina and Harbor Activity				
Type of Activity	Location	Actions		Date
Marina Construction	Municipal Marina	Work on the electrical platform for the West side completed, waiting on inspection.		12/23/2024
Marina Repair	Municipal Marina	Timed Mag-Locks installed on marina restroom doors. New lights installed on the exterior of restroom building.		12/23/2024
Occupancy Reporting for 2024	All	Occupancy totals for 2024: Mooring- 1431, Transient slips-June to Dec.- 183, Anchorage- 816		2024 totals
Harbor Repairs	CB Harbor	Regulatory buoys "Mooring Field" replaced in the Mooring Field		12/18/2024
Patrol	CB Harbor	Vessel "Captain Pontoon" a 36' Trawler in Federal Point YC, failed fuel tank, diesel fuel flowed into bilge and was pumped off vessel via bilge pump. Unknow amount. Sheen from Federal Point YC to CB Municipal Marina. USCG Pollution investigated and determined that the fuel would dissipate. NRC notified by Federal Point YC Dockmaster.		12/20/2024
Marina Repairs	Municipal Marina	Work on pump outs to clear clogged pump.		12/28/2024
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: <a href="https://library.municode.com/nc/carolina_beach/codes/code_of_ordinances">https://library.municode.com/nc/carolina_beach/codes/code_of_ordinances</a>		8/13/2024
Vessel	Location	Warning/Citation		Date
Mirah	CB Harbor	Sailing vessel Mirah in for 10 days. 10 day notice of violation given. Penalty phase to begin January 9. Vessel has a mechanical issue, parts expected on December 31. Mirah left 1/2/2025		12/29/2024

**PUBLIC UTILITIES/PUBLIC WORKS****WWTP:**

- Staff performed all operational/maintenance tasks and laboratory analyses as necessary to maintain compliance with all applicable permits.

**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)
- 4 permit payments processed
- 8 accounts set up for Planning
- 6 FMS accounts setup/closed
- 9 leak/read adjustments
- Emailed, printed, and mailed out billing December statements.
- Process payments for re-entry and Freeman Park permits.

**Environmental:****Boardwalk**

- Repaired benches for the boardwalk.

### ***Signage***

- Straightened signs throughout town.

### ***Facilities***

- Closed public restrooms for cold temperatures

### ***Streets***

- Filled potholes on 6<sup>th</sup> street.
- Filled pothole at Whelk & Peninsula.
- Filled pothole at Canal DR & Sea Horse.
- Reinstalled flooding arm on Florida Ave & Delaware.

### ***Special Events***

- Set up & broke down fireworks.
- Started taking down Christmas lights.

### ***Storm water:***

- 811 Locates: 32
- Site visit with residents: 2
- Site visit with contractors: 4
- CB Trash Walkers Litter Patrol: None reported for the Holidays.
- Stormwater crews cleaned catch basins and grates.

Stormwater crews repaired sinkhole at South 5<sup>th</sup> Street and Monroe Ave.



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

Port-A-Potty Cleaning/Maintenance	2
SSCLEANOUT - Inspect	3
SSSERVICE - Inspect	1

**Stormwater**

BMP - Clean	2
811 - Locate	27
Operate Fixed Pumps	1
Site Visit - Contractor	2
Site Visit - Resident	1
SWSYSTEM - Repair	1
Vehicle/Equipment Maintenance	2

**Water**

811 - Locate	26
WMETER - Inspect	3
WMETER - Locate	1
WMETER - Replace	1
WSERVICE - Leak	1

**Facilities**

BOARDWALK AREA - General Maintenance	2
BOARDWALK AREA - Trash Removal	1
LAKE - Holiday Decorations Install/Remove	1
MUNICIPAL BEACH STRAND - Trash Removal	1 dumpster
RESTROOM - Clean	3
RESTROOM - Maintenance	3
TOWN PROPERTY - General Maintenance	1

**Water/Sewer for Permitting and 811**

Tap Verification	7
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**Streets**

STREETS - Litter Pickup	1
STREETS - Repair - Pothole	3