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WEEKLY UPDATES MARCH 17, 2025 – MARCH 21, 2025

POLICE DEPARTMENT:

Patrol/Investigations:

- An 18 year-old male reported on March 14th he was the victim of Larceny in the 100 block of Cape Fear Blvd, CB. The case is under further investigation.
- A 25 year-old male reported on March 15th he was the victim of Larceny in the 300 block of Canal Drive, CB. The case is closed by arrest.

Arrests:

- A 28 year-old female was arrested on March 13th in the 1100 block of North Lake Park Blvd, CB for Order for Arrest – Misdemeanor.
- A 19 year-old female was arrested on March 15th in the 9900 block of Carolina Beach Road, Wilmington for Driving Under the Influence – Misdemeanor.
- An 18 year-old male was arrested on March 15th in the 9900 block of Carolina Beach Road, Wilmington for Drive After Consuming Under 21 – Misdemeanor.
- A 26 year-old male was arrested on March 15th in the 300 block of Canal Drive, CB for Larceny of a Firearm – Felony.
- A 34 year-old female was arrested on March 16th in the 1400 block of North Lake Park Blvd, CB for Driving While Impaired – Misdemeanor.

FIRE DEPARTMENT

Fire/Rescue Administration Division

- Held a budget meeting for the current fiscal year
- Hosted the 2025 Fire Prevention School
- Attended the virtual Safe Kids New Hanover Coalition meeting
- Met to discuss ISO and prepare for the upcoming inspection

Fire/Rescue Fire Prevention Division

- 4-inspections
- 20-plan reviews/consultations
- 3-site visits

Fire/Rescue Operations Division

- Completed their daily and weekly apparatus checks as well as station duties
- Trained on technical rescue horizontal systems, technical rescue victim management, and hose deployment and advancement
- Volunteers attended their second Monday night drill of the month
- Completed driver training on Truck 21, and driver training and area familiarization on Engine 22

Ocean Rescue Division

- Staffing is limited until the start of the next season
- Completed maintenance on jet ski and installed new sled
- Completed weekly medical training with the CBPD

Response: 18 incidents

Incident Details

Incident Number	Incident Date	Incident Type Code	Incident Type	Location Street Address	Location ZIP	Shift	Personnel Count	ApparatusID
2503140001	3/14/25	311	Medical assist, assist EMS crew	400 South LAKE PARK Boulevard	28428	B Shift	3	E22
2503140002	3/14/25	311	Medical assist, assist EMS crew	205 FAYETTEVILLE Avenue	28428	C Shift	3	E22
2503140003	3/14/25	550	Public service assistance, other	101 LIGHTHOUSE Drive	28428	C Shift	3	E22
2503140004	3/14/25	311	Medical assist, assist EMS crew	800 SAINT JOSEPH Street	28428	C Shift	3	E22
2503140005	3/14/25	311	Medical assist, assist EMS crew	803 South SIXTH Street	28428	C Shift	3	E22
2503150001	3/15/25	743	Smoke detector activation, no fire - unintentional	418 North CAROLINA BEACH Avenue	28428	A Shift	2	NVA
							3	E22
2503160001	3/16/25	111	Building fire	710 BURROUGHS Drive	28401	B Shift	2	T21
2503160002	3/16/25	733	Smoke detector activation due to malfunction	1004 North LAKE PARK Boulevard	28428	C Shift	2	T21
							4	E22
2503160003	3/16/25	311	Medical assist, assist EMS crew	1305 CANAL Drive	28428	C Shift	3	E22
2503160004	3/16/25	814	Lightning strike (no fire)	998 DOW Road	28428	C Shift	3	E22
2503160005	3/16/25	651	Smoke scare, odor of smoke	1815 NEWKIRK Road	28409	C Shift	2	T21
							3	E22
2503170001	3/17/25	311	Medical assist, assist EMS crew	402 MAINSHIP Court	28428	A Shift	3	E22
2503170002	3/17/25	611	Dispatched & canceled en route	1524 SAPPHIRE RIDGE Road	28428	A Shift	3	E22
2503170003	3/17/25	311	Medical assist, assist EMS crew	407 BEECH Court	28428	A Shift	3	E22
2503180001	3/18/25	744	Detector activation, no fire - unintentional	1080 SAINT JOSEPH Street	28428	C Shift	1	NVA
							2	T21
							3	E22
2503180002	3/18/25	311	Medical assist, assist EMS crew	411 South FOURTH Street	28428	C Shift	3	E22
2503180003	3/18/25	311	Medical assist, assist EMS crew	199 RALEIGH Avenue	28428	C Shift	3	E22
2503190001	3/19/25	554	Assist invalid	503 North CAROLINA BEACH Avenue	28428	A Shift	3	E22

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>
- Registration is open for the Centennial Sand Sculpture Contest. Please see the flyer below for additional information.



- Staff are continuing to work on the summer music, fireworks, and family programs. The music lineup will be completed in the coming weeks. We will post the lineup on our Facebook page when completed. We anticipate lineup for movies, music, and Family Night will be posted by the end of the month.
- Please join us on Friday, April 11th for our annual Easter Jamboree!

**Hop over to Mike Chappell Park for our
Easter Jamboree**

**Our FREE Easter Egg Hunt will start
promptly at 6:15 pm!**

**Friday, April 11th
6:00 pm until 8:00 pm**

Additional fun and free activities include:

**Inflatable Bounce Houses
Hotdogs Balloon Artist
Storytelling Characters
Photo Booth DJ Tommy Gunn**

Our Easter Egg Hunt is designed for ages 12 and under. Guardians must stay with their child(ren) during the Easter Jamboree. In the event of inclement weather, some activities will move indoors to the Carolina Beach Recreation Center and please view our Facebook Page (*Carolina Beach Parks and Recreation*) for updates. Don't forget your Easter basket or bag to collect eggs! Please call (910) 458 – 2977 with any questions.

Mike Chappell Park 501 Dow Rd Carolina Beach



- Summer Camp Program Information! Online registration will begin on Tuesday, March 11th at 12PM.



CB Parks & Recreation Summer Camp 2025

Online registration will begin at **Noon on Tuesday, March 11th, 2025.**

Registrants will only be allowed to register each camper for 2 weeks. We are initially limiting the number of weeks per camper.

This will allow more community children the opportunity to experience an adventurous Carolina Beach Parks and Recreation Summer Camp!

Payment is due in full upon registration. Staff will follow-up with each participant to ensure you only register for 2 weeks. If you register for more than 2 weeks, staff will void all your Summer Camp Registrations.

Starting at Noon on Monday, April 7th, all remaining available camp weeks will be open to all participants. At this point, you can register for any remaining weeks. After camp weeks are full, please add your camper to our Wait List — we always have cancellations.

Please familiarize yourself with our Summer Camp Handbook for valuable camp information. The Summer Camp Handbook is available on our Town website and the "Carolina Beach Parks and Recreation" Facebook page.

We look forward to a fun summer with your camper!

Week #1:	June 9th - 13th	Jungle Rapids
Week #2:	June 16th - 20th	Flip N Fly
Week #3:	June 23rd - 27th	Jungle Rapids
Week #4:	July 14th - 18th	Jungle Rapids
Week #5:	July 21st - 25th	Flip N Fly
Week #6:	July 28th - Aug 1st	Jungle Rapids

Please call the Parks & Recreation Department (910) 458 - 2977 or email erin.whitman@carolinabeach.org with any questions.

Ages 6 - 12

Carolina Beach Residents
\$225 per week

Non-Residents
\$250 per week

Junior Counselors
Ages 13 - 15

We will accept applications from April 1st until May 1st. Interviews will be in mid-May. Limited spots available.

Camp hours are from 9:00 am until 4:00 pm. All trips and weekly themes are subject to change.

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

	<u>Mar-25</u>
<u>Development Review</u>	
All Permits Received	<u>15</u>
Accessory Structures - Res & Comm (paid)	4
Additions (paid)	1
Business Registration (paid)	1
Demo (paid)	1
Driveway/Impervious/Hardscape (paid)	1
Fence (paid)	3
Fill/Grade/Clear (paid)	2
Swim Pool (paid)	1
Reno/Repair COMMERCIAL (paid)	1
Reno/Repair RESIDENTIAL (paid)	2
Single Family New Construction (paid)	1
Townhouse/Condos New Construction (paid)	4
New Construction Finals	7
Planning and Zoning	
CAMA permits/exemptions	
Foundation/Piling Survey	
Home Occupation	
Permanent Signs Approved	
Temporary Signs Approved	
Zoning Inspection	
Zoning Plan Review	
Code Enforcement	
Investigations Researched	1
Received/Reported Complaints	1
Resolved Complaints	1

Zoning:

Agenda Items/Meeting Dates	Status
Text Amendment: Parking-Carolina Beach Inn	Town Council – April 8 th
Conditional Zoning: 1360 Bridge Barrier Road-Bar/Tavern	Planning & Zoning – April 10 th
Text Amendment: Water Oriented Uses	Planning & Zoning – April 10 th
Appeal: Oceana HOA	BOA – April 22 nd
Rezoning: 204 Harper Ave.	Planning & Zoning – May 8 th

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	3		
CB Harbor	Anchorage	12		
Mooring/Transient	Declined Boats	0		
Mooring/Transient	Mooring Pendants-10	5	Current Period	
CB Marina and Harbor Activity				
Type of Activity	Location	Actions		Date
Administrative	n/a	Work on 25/26 budget.		3/24/2025
Patrol	Outside CB Harbor	After bouncing around the CB Harbor and the area just north of CB the Sailing Vessel Florence was removed and destroyed. The Florence drug anchor and did damage to public and private property through several storms.		3/19/2025
Patrol	Municipal Marina	The Town of Carolina Beach has established a Coastal Warning Display/Storm Flag program at the Municipal Marina to warn the public of approaching storm conditions. These nautical flags indicate changing weather from gale to storm to hurricane conditions, and Carolina Beach residents and visitors are urged to tune to National Weather Service radio broadcasts for the latest information when they observe one of these flags hoisted at the marina. If you have questions or need additional information, please contact CB Harbor Masters		3/10/2025
Violations				
Vessel	Location	Warning/Citation		Date
SV Nirvana	CB Harbor	SV Nirvana is on anchor north of the marsh island, Florida Ave, derelict violation- unattended for greater than 24 hours, no anchor light, drug anchor during gale wind event. Warning period, violation starts 3/18/2025. Vessel removed prior to violation period.		3/18/2025

With keel and rutter removed, sailboat Florence is put on trailer.



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 Port a Potty.
- Replace broken water meters.
- Repair water leak.
- Clear sewer backup.
- Meter reads.

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 27 permit payments
- 10 leak/read adjustments made
- 14 meter change out/installs
- Process payments for 173 parking, re-entry, and 28 LSV/golf cart permits

Environmental:

Beach Front

- Repaired loose boards on the Sandpiper beach access.

Boardwalk

- Blew off the wooden walkway & the beach access on the Boardwalk.

Freeman

- Rebuilt step and railings on the port-a-johns on Freeman Park.
- Installed new poles & rope along the dunes on Freeman Park.

Signage

- Repaired a banner on the bridge.

Facilities

- Repaired door at the Sandpaper restrooms.

Streets

- Cleaned up sand dumped on Lake Park Blvd near the lake.
- Filled potholes on Canal Dr.
- Filled in dirt along the sidewalks at the corner of Cape Fear Blvd & Canal Dr.

Special Events

- Broke down the Lo Tide Run and after party.

Storm water:

- 811 locates: 17
- Site visit with resident: 5
- Site visit with contractor: 5
- CB Trash Walkers Litter Patrol: 410 pounds of litter.
- The BRIC 2024 Grant for pipe surveying has been submitted.
- Stormwater Crews addressed various resident complaints throughout the town.
- Stormwater department Demo for a new street sweeper.
- Stormwater crews cleaned the bollards at Henniker's ditch and Ocean Blvd.
- Stormwater crews clear the intake of the Greenville Ave pump station

Stormwater crews clear ditch in the 100 block of Fifth Street



Work Orders:**# of Work Orders****Stormwater**

BMP - Clean	4
BMP - Street Sweeper	
BMP - Trash Rack Maintenance	1
811 - Locate	33
IN_OUTFLOW - Clean	1
Litter Pick-Up	410 lbs.
Operate Fixed Pumps	7
Other Stormwater - Investigate	1
Public Education & Outreach	1
Site Visit - Resident	4
SWPS - Fuel Emergency Pumps	2
SWPS - Landscaping	1
SWPS GENERATOR - Clean	1
SWSYSTEM - Bollard Maintenance	1
SWSYSTEM - Clean	1

Water

811 - Locate	33
WHYDRANT - Repair	1
WHYDRANT - Replace	1
WMETER - Inspect	1
WMETER - Install	6
WMETER - Pull Meter	1
WMETER - Repair	56

Facilities

BEACH ACCESS - General Maintenance	2
BOARDWALK AREA - General Maintenance	1
BOARDWALK AREA - Trash Removal	1
FREEMAN PARK - General Maintenance	1
FREEMAN PARK - Trash Removal	
MARINA - General Maintenance	1
MUNICIPAL BEACH STRAND - Trash Removal	2 dumpsters
RESTROOM - Clean	1

Water/Sewer for Permitting and 811

Tap Verification	3
W/S Locate Services - Demo Permit	2

Sanitation

SANITATION - Bulk Waste Collection	9
SANITATION - ZONE 2 - Yard Waste Collection	11 loads

Streets

SIDEWALK - Repair	1
STREETS - Repair - Pothole	1