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WEEKLY UPDATES MAY 26, 2025 – MAY 30, 2025

PUBLIC MEETINGS:

June 2, 2025 – June 6, 2025		
Monday, 06/02	CANCELLED	Police Advocacy Committee-CANCELLED
	7:00PM	Parks & Recreation Committee
Tuesday, 06/03	2:30PM	Marketing Advisory Committee
Wednesday, 06/04	6:00PM	Beautification Committee

POLICE DEPARTMENT:

Patrol/Investigations:

- Scotchman Store reported on May 23rd they were the victim of Embezzlement at 354 Canal Drive, CB. The case is closed by arrest.
- A 51-year-old male reported on May 23rd he was the victim of Trespass of Real Property in the 200 block of Lumberton Avenue, CB. The case is closed by arrest.
- A 30-year-old male reported on May 20th he was the victim of Hit & Run in the 100 block of Cape Fear Blvd, CB. The case is under further investigation.
- A 27-year-old male reported on May 24th he was the victim of Motor Vehicle Theft in the 200 block of North Lake Park Blvd, CB. The case is closed by arrest.
- A 22-year-old male reported on May 24th he was the victim of Motor Vehicle Theft in the 200 block of North Lake Park Blvd, CB. The case is closed by arrest.
- Islander Quik Mart reported on May 22nd they were the victim of Larceny & Liquor Law Violations at 111 Carl Winner Avenue, CB. The case is closed by arrest.
- Dollar General reported on May 19th they were the victim of Larceny at 1136 North Lake Park Blvd, CB. The case is closed by arrest.
- A 50-year-old male reported on May 23rd he was the victim of Larceny in the 100 block of Cape Fear Blvd, CB. The case is under further investigation.
- A 55-year-old male reported on May 25th he was the victim of Burglary/Breaking & Entering in the 400 block of Columbia Avenue, CB. The case is closed by arrest.

Arrests:

- A 20 year-old male was arrested on May 20th in the 1400 block of North Lake Park Blvd, CB for Driving After Consuming Alcohol Under 21 – Misdemeanor.
- A 19 year-old male was arrested on May 20th in the 900 block of South Fourth Street, CB for Fail to Appear – Misdemeanor.
- A 44 year-old male was arrested on May 21st in the 1100 block of North Lake Park Blvd, CB for Warrant for Arrest – Felony.
- A 20 year-old female was arrested on May 23rd in the 300 block of Canal Drive, CB for Larceny by Employee – Felony.

- A 27 year-old male was arrested on May 24th in the 9900 block of Carolina Beach Road, CB for Driving While Impaired – Misdemeanor.
- A 25 year-old female was arrested on May 24th in the 9900 block of Carolina Beach Road, CB for Aid and Abet Driving While Impaired – Misdemeanor.
- A male was arrested on May 24th in the 200 block of North Lake Park Blvd, CB for Attempted Break/Enter Motor Vehicle and False Imprisonment – Misdemeanors.
- A 47 year-old female was arrested on May 25th in the 100 block of Cape Fear Blvd, CB for Breaking & Entering and Fleeing to Elude Arrest – Felonies.

FIRE DEPARTMENT

Fire/Rescue Administration Division

- Attended the Town Council Workshop
- Attended the Fire Inspector Open Mic

Fire/Rescue Fire Prevention Division

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

Fire/Rescue Operations Division

- Completed their daily and weekly apparatus checks as well as station duties
- Completed EMT continuing education
- Worked the weekly fireworks show
- Completed station maintenance and projects

Ocean Rescue Division

- Lifeguards started off the season with Memorial Day Weekend

Response: 33 incidents

Incident Date	Incident Type	Location Street Address	Shift	Personnel Count
5/29/25	System malfunction, other	2200 SURFRIDER Circle	C Shift	3
5/23/25	Water problem, other	1599 BONITO Lane	B Shift	4
5/23/25	Smoke detector activation, no fire - unintentional	1000 North LAKE PARK Boulevard	A Shift	1
5/23/25	Smoke detector activation, no fire - unintentional	1000 North LAKE PARK Boulevard	A Shift	1
5/23/25	Smoke detector activation, no fire - unintentional	1000 North LAKE PARK Boulevard	A Shift	3
5/23/25	Power line down	811 HARPER Avenue	A Shift	3
5/23/25	Medical assist, assist EMS crew	501 CAROLINA SANDS Drive	A Shift	3
5/23/25	Power line down	399 CAPE FEAR Boulevard	A Shift	2
5/23/25	Medical assist, assist EMS crew	220 ANNIE Drive	A Shift	3
5/23/25	Medical assist, assist EMS crew	100 CAPE FEAR Boulevard	A Shift	3
5/23/25	Medical assist, assist EMS crew	100 CAPE FEAR Boulevard	A Shift	3
5/23/25	Medical assist, assist EMS crew	914 SEARIDGE Lane	A Shift	3
5/24/25	Water problem, other	899 North CAROLINA BEACH Avenue	A Shift	3
5/24/25	Medical assist, assist EMS crew	1313 BONITO Lane	B Shift	3
5/25/25	Medical assist, assist EMS crew	100 CHARLOTTE Avenue	C Shift	4
5/25/25	Electrical wiring/equipment problem, other	1717 North CAROLINA BEACH Avenue	C Shift	4
5/25/25	Alarm system sounded due to malfunction	715 CAPE FEAR Boulevard	C Shift	2
5/25/25	Alarm system sounded due to malfunction	715 CAPE FEAR Boulevard	C Shift	4
5/25/25	Motor vehicle/pedestrian accident (MV Ped)	1003 CANAL Drive	C Shift	1

5/25/25	Medical assist, assist EMS crew	501 South DOW Road	C Shift	4
5/25/25	Detector activation, no fire - unintentional	100 CHARLOTTE Avenue	C Shift	2
5/25/25	Detector activation, no fire - unintentional	100 CHARLOTTE Avenue	C Shift	3
5/26/25	Water problem, other	599 TEXAS Avenue	C Shift	3
5/26/25	Medical assist, assist EMS crew	227 North CAROLINA BEACH Avenue	C Shift	3
5/26/25	Medical assist, assist EMS crew	316 SUMTER Avenue	B Shift	3
5/26/25	Lock-out	254 North LAKE PARK Boulevard	B Shift	4
5/26/25	Animal rescue	719 GLENN Avenue	B Shift	4
5/27/25	Alarm system activation, no fire - unintentional	906 North LAKE PARK Boulevard	B Shift	4
5/27/25	Power line down	1309 North CAROLINA BEACH Avenue	C Shift	3
5/27/25	Unintentional transmission of alarm, other	801 South THIRD Street	C Shift	1
5/27/25	Unintentional transmission of alarm, other	801 South THIRD Street	C Shift	2
5/27/25	Unintentional transmission of alarm, other	801 South THIRD Street	C Shift	3
5/28/25	Medical assist, assist EMS crew	300 HARPER Avenue	A Shift	3
5/28/25	Detector activation, no fire - unintentional	106 TEAKWOOD Drive	A Shift	2
5/28/25	Detector activation, no fire - unintentional	106 TEAKWOOD Drive	A Shift	3
5/28/25	Detector activation, no fire - unintentional	106 TEAKWOOD Drive	A Shift	4
5/28/25	Passenger vehicle fire	354 CANAL Drive	A Shift	1
5/28/25	Passenger vehicle fire	354 CANAL Drive	A Shift	3
5/28/25	Passenger vehicle fire	354 CANAL Drive	A Shift	4
5/28/25	Medical assist, assist EMS crew	1010 South LAKE PARK Boulevard	A Shift	3
5/29/25	Medical assist, assist EMS crew	501 TENNESSEE Avenue	C Shift	3
5/29/25	Detector activation, no fire - unintentional	1203 South LAKE PARK Boulevard	C Shift	2
5/29/25	Detector activation, no fire - unintentional	1203 South LAKE PARK Boulevard	C Shift	3
5/29/25	Cooking fire, confined to container	720 North LAKE PARK Boulevard	C Shift	1
5/29/25	Cooking fire, confined to container	720 North LAKE PARK Boulevard	C Shift	1
5/29/25	Cooking fire, confined to container	720 North LAKE PARK Boulevard	C Shift	3
5/29/25	Cooking fire, confined to container	720 North LAKE PARK Boulevard	C Shift	4

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 ADULT SOFTBALL

The Adult Softball League will feature 10 teams. To reserve a spot, each team must submit a completed roster, registration form, and full payment. We are only accepting team registrations. Payment can be made by cash, check, or credit/debit card. The league fee includes 9 regular-season games, followed by a double-elimination tournament. League champions will receive championship shirts.

Cost is \$650 per team

League Notes:

League Schedule	
Wednesday, May 14th	Registration Begins. (In-House Only)
Mid-June	Games Begin.
July/August	Double Elimination Tournament.

- Must be 18 years or older **BEFORE** the first scheduled game.
- Games will be on weekday evenings (Monday, Tuesday, Wednesday, Thursday).
- All games will be held on Field 2 at Mike Chappell Park.
- Schedule is subject to change depending on weather.
- There will be an individual sign up option for teams to pick off of.

Stop by the Recreation Center to reserve a spot today. If paying with a check please make it out to "Town of Carolina Beach". If you have any questions, please contact the Recreation Center 910-458-2977.

- The beautification of the west entrance of Lake Park has been completed. Thank you to the Beautification Committee and Friends of Carolina Beach Parks and Greenways for your help in completing this project!



- The Town of Carolina Beach Parks & Recreation Department is excited to announce this week's agenda of activities to enhance your week at the Beach: **June 4th – June 8th**



- **Wednesday, June 4th - 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! This a fun way to spend time with friends and family of all ages and be a part of donating \$500 each week to a local nonprofit organization. Cost to play is \$15 per person (cash only), which includes 16 games and 16 chances to win cash prizes. We will have daubers and tape available for purchase.
 - Sales begin at 6:30pm, and the first ball is drawn at 7pm sharp. The season runs for 15 weeks until August 28th . Bring snacks or grab some great goodies from our boardwalk local businesses.

- **Thursday, June 5th - BOARDWALK BLAST presents SPARE CHANGE:** One of the Southeast's most well-known and respected party bands. Their diverse playlist makes them an instant crowd sensation. From rock, country, beach, funk, rap, current Top 40 hits, and classic rock, Spare Change is sure to play a favorite of all persons attending.
 - Carolina Beach Boardwalk Gazebo Stage (Intersection of Canal Drive/Cape Fear Blvd.)
 - 6:30 – 9:30 pm
- **Thursday, June 5th - FIREWORKS BY THE SEA -** If its summertime, its Fireworks time at the Beach! Carolina Beach is widely known for weekly fireworks and once again, the Town of Carolina Beach is proud to bring you a first-class display of the latest and greatest pyrotechnics available today. We have contracted with the leader in Pyrotechnic Displays - the widely acclaimed Zambelli International known throughout the World for their quality presentations.
 - Carolina Beach Municipal Strand (Between Harper Avenue and Hamlet Avenue)
 - Fireworks begin promptly at 9:00 pm
- **Saturday, 7th - 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, June 8th - Movies at the Lake – IF:** A girl discovers that she can see everyone's imaginary friends, and with this unique gift, she embarks on a magical journey to reconnect forgotten IFs with their kids. An adventure you'll need to believe to see, IF is perfect for the whole family.
 - Once again, we will be presenting the latest Family-friendly movies on the Giant inflatable screen as the sun sets in the west. Bring your chairs and blankets and your appetite-concessions will be available on site for purchase.
- **Coming Soon FAMILY NIGHT:** Beginning on Tuesday, June 17th, Family Night will be running every Tuesday typically from 6:00 – 8:00 pm (verify times) at the Carolina Beach Lake Area. Family-friendly activities are presented FREE for kids of all ages including interactive performers, games, face-painting, etc.

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>Development Review</u>	
All Permits Received	<u>13</u>
Accessory Structures - Res & Comm (paid)	1
Business Registration (paid)	1
Driveway/Impervious/Hardscape (paid)	1
Fence (paid)	4
Reno/Repair COMMERCIAL (paid)	1
Reno/Repair RESIDENTIAL (paid)	1
Single Family New Construction (paid)	2
Planning and Zoning	
CAMA permits/exemptions	1
Foundation/Piling Survey	1
Zoning Inspection	1
Zoning Plan Review	10
Code Enforcement	
Investigations Researched	1
Received/Reported Complaints	1
Received/Reported Non-Code Enforcement Complaints	1
Resolved Complaints	1

Zoning:

Agenda Items	Date
Text Amendment: Accessory Structures	TRC – June 3 rd
Text Amendment: Beach Carts	TRC – June 3 rd
Rezoning: 204 Harper Ave.	Town Council – June 10 th
Text Amendment: Fences	Planning & Zoning – June 12 th
Text Amendment: Water Oriented Uses	Planning & Zoning – June 12 th
Minor Modification of SUP: 401 Marina St.-additional wet boat storage spaces	Town Council – June 17 th
Oceana HOA Appeal	BOA - Tabled



The BeBot will be performing a beach sweep on 6/1 at 7:00a after the Memorial Day Holiday, 6/10 at 7:00a, and tentatively on 6/11 at 7:00a after the Beach Music Festival

HARBOR/MARINA

Harbor Master Report				
Type	# slips/moorings	# of boats	Dates	
Marina Licensee Slips	Marina- 24	24	Yearly License Period	7/1/24-6/30/25
Marina Transient Slips	Transient Slips- 4	11	Current Period	
CB Harbor	Anchorage	20		
Mooring/Transient	Declined Boats	8		
Mooring/Transient	Mooring Pendants-10	40		
CB Marina and Harbor Activity				
Type of Activity	Location		Actions	Date
Patrol	Outside CB Harbor		Responded to report of sinking vessel. On arrival found ADV Infinity in "area 151" sunk Saturday night. Continue to work with NC Wildlife and Coastal Federation to get the vessel removed.	6/1/2025
Administrative	Municipal Marina		Reaching out to potential architects to design Marina Office	6/2/2025
Maintenance	Municipal Marina		Fish freezer compressor bad waiting on parts.	6/2/2025
Patrol	CB Harbor		Responded to report of padel board adrift. Checked the area to confirm that no one was in the water. Paddle board was not located.	6/1/2025
Patrol	Day Dock		Day Dock is for vessels 25' and less with a 3 hour maximum, with no overnight. Please contact the Harbor Master if your have a vessel larger or need additional time. \$100 Citations are given to vessels in violation.	6/2/2025
Maintenance	Municipal Marina		Rescue ladders and life rings to be installed in marina	6/2/2025
Vessel	Location		Warning/Citation	Date

Abandoned Derelict Vessel Infinity sunk in the area of day marker 151.
No one was on the vessel, USCG has mitigated any hazardous materials,
CB Harbor Masters are working with NC Coastal Federation to have the vessel removed.



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.
- Replaced damaged water meter boxes.
- Repaired water meters.
- Raised water meter boxes and sewer clean outs.
- Respond to sewer backups.

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
- 1 account set up for Planning
- 1 FMS accounts setup/closed
- 1 leak/read adjustment
- 35 Parking permits, 18 RE, 12 Golf Carts, LSV permits.

Environmental:***Beach Front***

- Repaired ocean beach access.
- Put sand on the end of the Hatteras ramps at Hamlett & Ocean.
- Removed the extra trash cans from the beach access from the holiday.

Boardwalk

- Pressure washed the sidewalk at the Boardwalk near the Fudge boat.

Signage

- Repaired speed limit sign at North Carolina & Bonito.
- Installed one way sign exiting the parking lot onto CBAS.
- Repaired one way sign at Swordfish & Texas.
- ***Facilities***
- Started prepping the rainbow bridge at the lake for new deck boards.
- Trimmed brush back on greenway trail.

Streets

- Put rock in the radiuses along Dow RD.
- Cleaned up the dirt & rock on the sidewalk on Cape fear from Duke Energy replacing poles.

Special Events

- Set up Fireworks.

Storm water:

- 811 locates: 19
- Site visit with resident: 1
- Site Visit with contractor: 2
- CB Trash Walkers Litter Patrol: 238 pounds of litter diverted from the stormwater system and waterways.
- Stormwater crews cleaned out the ditch on Summer Salt Lane.
- Stormwater crews Vactored out the pipes on the 400 block of Columbia Ave.

Stormwater crews clean the bollards in Hennicker's Ditch.



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

FMVALVE - Exercise	1
SSCLEANOUT - Inspect	1
SSSERVICE - Backup Response	1

Stormwater

811 Locates	1
Administrative	1
BMP - Clean	1
BMP - Street Sweeper	48 miles swept
811 - Locate	16
Operate Fixed Pumps	2
Other Stormwater - Violation Investigation	2
Site Visit - Resident	1
SWPS - Clean	1
SWPS WETWELL - Clean	1
SWSYSTEM - Bollard Maintenance	1
Vehicle/Equipment Maintenance	1

Water

811 - Locate	42
WMETER - Box/Lid Issue	1
WMETER - Inspect	2
WMETER - Install	4
WMETER - Repair	12
WSERVICE - Volume/Pressure Inspection	1

Facilities

BEACH ACCESS - General Maintenance	2
BOARDWALK AREA - Trash Removal	1
RESTROOM - Clean	2
TOWN PROPERTY - Landscape Maintenance	1

Water/Sewer for Permitting and 811

Tap Verification	7
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Sanitation

Public Can Route	2
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Streets

SIGN - Inspect	2
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