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WEEKLY UPDATES SEPTEMBER 22, 2025 – SEPTEMBER 26, 2025

PUBLIC MEETINGS:

September 29, 2025 – October 3, 2025		
Wednesday, October 1 st	6:00PM	Beautification Committee

POLICE DEPARTMENT:

Patrol/Investigations:

- A 58-year-old male reported on September 15th at 1418 Pinfish Lane the Breaking and Entering of a Motor Vehicle. This case is currently active.
- A 72-year-old male reported on September 16th at 1615 S Lake Park BLVD an incident of Larceny. This case is currently active.
- Carolina Beach State Park Reported on September 18th at 1000 State Park Rd Locating a Stolen Motor Vehicle. This case is inactive.
- A 38-year-old female reported on September 19th at 1018 N Lake Park BLVD an incident of Shoplifting. This case is currently active.
- A 26-year-old female reported on September 20th at 415 Carolina Beach Ave N a Hit and Run Incident with Property Damage. This case is currently inactive.
- A 63-year-old male reported on September 21st at 111 Carol Winner Ave an incident of Shoplifting/Larceny. This case is cleared by arrest.
- A 39-year-old male reported on September 21st at 100 Cape Fear BLVD an incident of Simple Assault. This case is currently active.
- A 50-year-old male reported on September 21st at 1401 N Lake Park BLVD the larceny of an E-Bike. This case is currently active.

Arrests:

- A male was arrested on September 18th at 105 Winner Ave for an outstanding warrant (Misdemeanor Offenses)
- A 40-year-old male was arrested on September 19th at 900 N Lake Park BLVD for an outstanding warrant (Misdemeanor)
- A 57-year-old female was cited on September 20th at 100 Cape Fear BLVD for Hit and Run/ Failure to Report Accident (Misdemeanor)
- A 57-year-old male was arrested on September 20th at 712 N Lake Park BLVD for an outstanding warrant (Misdemeanor)
- A 37-year-old male was arrested on September 20th at 1600 S Lake Park BLVD for Driving While Impaired, Consuming Beer/Whine While Driving, and No Operator's License (Misdemeanor Charges)
- A 32-year-old male was arrested on September 20th at 1600 S Lake Park BLVD for Aid & Abet Driving While Impaired (Misdemeanor), and Open Container (Misdemeanor)
- A 37-year-old male was arrested on September 21st at 122 Harper Ave for Larceny (Misdemeanor)

FIRE DEPARTMENT

Fire/Rescue Administration Division

- Attended an NC Fire and Rescue Administrative Professionals board meeting
- Hosted a Fire Department Centennial and Open House
- Celebrated Deputy Chief Thompson's 10 years with the Town
- Attended a town staff meeting

Fire Prevention Division

- 7-inspections
- 1-site visit
- 1-plan review
- 2-complaints

Fire/Rescue Operations Division

- Completed their daily and weekly apparatus checks as well as station duties
- Completed Fire Ground training at CFCC
- Attended the Fire Department's Centennial and Open House





Ocean Rescue Division

- Attended an EMS systems meeting
- Attended the Fire Department's Centennial and Open House
- Staffing will continue to be limited in the off-season

Incidents: 36

Incident Date	Incident Type	Location Street Address	Shift	Personnel Count
9/24/25	Alarm system activation, no fire - unintentional	2200 SURFRIDER Circle	A Shift	4
9/23/25	Building fire	813 RED LIGHTHOUSE Lane	C Shift	3
9/23/25	Building fire	813 RED LIGHTHOUSE Lane	C Shift	3
9/23/25	Building fire	813 RED LIGHTHOUSE Lane	C Shift	7
9/23/25	Building fire	4200 JASMINE COVE Way	C Shift	3
9/23/25	Building fire	4200 JASMINE COVE Way	C Shift	9
9/25/25	Building fire	5725 CAROLINA BEACH Road	B Shift	3
9/19/25	Medical assist, assist EMS crew	407 South CAROLINA BEACH Avenue	B Shift	4
9/19/25	Medical assist, assist EMS crew	5 North SIXTH Street	A Shift	3
9/19/25	Sprinkler activation, no fire - unintentional	1 HARPER Avenue	N/A	1
9/19/25	Sprinkler activation, no fire - unintentional	1 HARPER Avenue	N/A	3
9/19/25	Sprinkler activation, no fire - unintentional	1 HARPER Avenue	N/A	3
9/19/25	Power line down	4 SALT MARSH Lane	A Shift	4
9/20/25	EMS call, excluding vehicle accident with injury	1501 PINFISH Lane	B Shift	3
9/20/25	EMS call, excluding vehicle accident with injury	911 North LAKE PARK Boulevard	B Shift	2
9/20/25	EMS call, excluding vehicle accident with injury	911 North LAKE PARK Boulevard	B Shift	3
9/20/25	EMS call, excluding vehicle accident with injury	108 South LAKE PARK Boulevard	B Shift	3
9/20/25	Lock-out	1000 North LAKE PARK Boulevard	B Shift	3
9/20/25	Service Call, other	315 North CAROLINA BEACH Avenue	B Shift	4
9/20/25	Smoke or odor removal	104 East BRIDGE Court	B Shift	4
9/21/25	Service Call, other	1499 South LAKE PARK Boulevard	B Shift	4
9/21/25	Medical assist, assist EMS crew	501 South LAKE PARK Boulevard	A Shift	3
9/21/25	Medical assist, assist EMS crew	1411 South LAKE PARK Boulevard	A Shift	3
9/21/25	EMS call, excluding vehicle accident with injury	100 CHARLOTTE Avenue	C Shift	2
9/21/25	Lock-out	701 MAGNOLIA Avenue	N/A	3
9/21/25	Power line down	999 North DOW Road	A Shift	4
9/22/25	Power line down	1011 South LAKE PARK Boulevard	A Shift	3
9/22/25	Medical assist, assist EMS crew	999 ALABAMA Avenue	A Shift	1
9/22/25	Medical assist, assist EMS crew	999 ALABAMA Avenue	A Shift	2
9/22/25	Medical assist, assist EMS crew	999 ALABAMA Avenue	A Shift	3
9/22/25	Grass fire	1307 North Bridge Barrier Road	A Shift	1
9/22/25	Grass fire	1307 North Bridge Barrier Road	A Shift	3
9/22/25	Grass fire	1307 North Bridge Barrier Road	A Shift	3
9/23/25	Arcing, shorted electrical equipment	1699 North CAROLINA BEACH Avenue	A Shift	4
9/23/25	Removal of victim(s) from stalled elevator	206 FAYETTEVILLE Avenue	C Shift	3
9/23/25	Animal rescue	418 North CAROLINA BEACH Avenue	C Shift	3
9/23/25	Animal rescue	418 North CAROLINA BEACH Avenue	C Shift	3
9/23/25	Sprinkler activation due to malfunction	1 HARPER Avenue	C Shift	3
9/23/25	Sprinkler activation due to malfunction	1 HARPER Avenue	C Shift	4
9/24/25	Passenger vehicle fire	399 North DOW Road	A Shift	1
9/24/25	Passenger vehicle fire	399 North DOW Road	A Shift	2
9/24/25	Passenger vehicle fire	399 North DOW Road	A Shift	3
9/24/25	Passenger vehicle fire	399 North DOW Road	A Shift	6
9/24/25	Arcing, shorted electrical equipment	7 HARPER Avenue	A Shift	4
9/25/25	Arcing, shorted electrical equipment	1699 BOWFIN Lane	A Shift	4
9/25/25	Medical assist, assist EMS crew	1101 South LAKE PARK Boulevard	A Shift	4
9/25/25	Smoke detector activation, no fire - unintentional	1 HARPER Avenue	B Shift	2
9/25/25	Smoke detector activation, no fire - unintentional	1 HARPER Avenue	B Shift	2
9/25/25	Smoke detector activation, no fire - unintentional	1 HARPER Avenue	B Shift	3
9/25/25	EMS call, excluding vehicle accident with injury	220 ANNIE Drive	B Shift	3
9/25/25	Arcing, shorted electrical equipment	400 South LAKE PARK Boulevard	B Shift	2
9/25/25	Arcing, shorted electrical equipment	400 South LAKE PARK Boulevard	B Shift	3
9/25/25	Arcing, shorted electrical equipment	99 HARPER Avenue	N/A	4
9/25/25	Medical assist, assist EMS crew	1001 South CAROLINA BEACH Avenue	B 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 Youth Basketball League

Our co-ed league is available for everyone ages 6 - 17. The only exception is any registered player who makes Varsity High School Basketball. Those that make varsity teams will receive a full refund. Registration is only \$75.00 for Carolina Beach Residents (must provide proof of residency) and \$100.00 for non-residents. Registration fee includes: weekly team practices, player jersey, regular season games, team awards and learning basketball in a fun environment!

League Schedule	
September 22nd- 28th (In-House Only)	Early Registration Period for Carolina Beach residents and those who played last season.
September 29th - October 13th (or until league is full)	Open and Online Registration
November	Practices will begin
December	Games will begin

Age* Divisions	Division Basketball Used	Division Rim Height
6 - 8	Youth (28.5)	8'
9 - 11	Youth (28.5)	10'
12 - 14	Adult	10'
15 - 17	Adult	10'

League Notes:

- 12-14 year old League plays on Thursdays. 15-17 year old League plays on Fridays and 6-8/9-11 on Saturdays.
- Age as of August 31, 2025
- A Coach's meeting will be held at the end of October/beginning of November. After the meeting, parents/guardians will be contacted by your coach.
- There will be NO special request other than siblings on the same team and Coaches will have their kids on their team.

Online registration will be available on September 29th Visit carolinabeach.recdesk.com/Community/Program for online registration. If you have any questions, please contact the Rec Center at **910-458-2977**.

- The annual Carolina Beach Parks and Recreation Halloween Carnival is scheduled for Friday, October 24th from 6pm to 8pm at Mike Chappell Park. We look forward to seeing you there!
 - If you are interested in volunteering or sponsoring a game, please see the information below:

Join the Carolina Beach Parks and Recreation Department for our

Halloween Carnival

Our costume contest will begin at 7:15 pm

Friday, October 24th 6:00 pm - 8:00 pm

We invite ghouls and goblins ages 12 and under to join us for our Halloween Carnival! Admission is FREE with a recommended donation of 3 canned food items. Our Ghost Host DJ Tommy Gunn will be spinning the tunes! We'll have Carnival Games, Inflatables, Story Telling, and Other Surprises! Children must be accompanied by an adult. Event is weather permitting. Visit the "Carolina Beach Parks and Recreation" Facebook Page for event updates.

Mike Chappell Park 501 Dow Road Carolina Beach

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Town of Carolina Beach Halloween Carnival

Carnival at a Glance


Friday, October 24th
6:00 pm - 8:00 pm
Mike Chappell Park
501 Dow Rd

Why Have a Booth?

To have fun!

Help provide a safe, fun holiday for the local youth!

Meet other volunteers and neighbors in our community!



Sponsor a Game Booth:

You can be part of the fun with the Town of Carolina Beach Parks and Recreation Department's annual Halloween Carnival! Having a booth at the carnival is a great way to participate in a community event while raising awareness for your business or organization.

How it Works:

Local organizations reserve a Game Booth Space with the Parks & Recreation Department. These organizations create a booth offering games, activities, and prizes.

About the Event:

We invite ghouls and goblins ages 12 and under to join us at Mike Chappell Park for our Halloween Carnival! Admission is FREE with a recommended donation of 3 canned food items for the Federal Point Help Center. Ghost Host DJ Tommy Gunn will be spinning the tunes! Children must be accompanied by an adult. Event is weather permitting.

Extra Details:

A successful game will be a booth where the kids have a lot of fun! Something new and different will attract their attention. Have an idea? Great! If you are unsure what to do, we have a limited number of games that your business or organization can manage. Bring your creative booth decorations and great sense of humor — Halloween Carnivals are FUN!

Contact Information:

Any questions regarding the Halloween Carnival or volunteer opportunities, please contact Erin Whitman at erin.whitman@carolinabeach.org or (910) 512 - 8576.

To sign up for a Game Booth, please complete the Registration Form and email to erin.whitman@carolinabeach.org

Carnival Timeline

September 15th
Booth registration opens

October 14th
Booth registration closes

October 24th
Booth setup at Mike Chappell Park from 2:30 pm - 5:30 pm

October 24th
Carnival opens to the public from 6:00 pm - 8:00 pm

- Registration is open for the annual Carolina Beach Christmas Parade on Friday, December 5th at 7:00 PM!



- Six new picnic tables were added to the Lake Park Picnic shelter.
- The notice to proceed was issued to the General Contractor building the new restroom at Lake Park. We expect construction to start in late October.

Events:

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

COMMUNITY DEVELOPMENT

<u>Development Review</u>	
All Permits Received	<u>21</u>
Additions (issued)	1
Driveway/Impervious/Hardscaping (issued)	2
Fence (issued)	2
Fire (issued)	1
Swimming Pool (issued)	1
Reno/Repair Commercial (issued)	1
Townhouse/Condos New Construction (issued)	7
New Construction Finals * CC/CO's	2
Planning and Zoning	
Permanent Signs Approved	1
Zoning Inspection	7
Zoning Plan Review	20
Code Enforcement	
Investigations Researched	10
Received/Reported Complaints	10
Received/Reported Non-Code Enforcement Complaints	2
Resolved Complaints	2

Zoning:

Agenda Items	Date
Conditional Zoning: Hotel – 223, 225, 227, 234, 235, 236 237, 239 Carolina Beach Ave. North	P&Z – October 9 th
Subdivision: Fisher's Reserve Phase II – 1215 St. Joseph St.	P&Z – October 9 th
Project Proposal: Beach clean-up baskets	Town Council – October 14 th
Rezoning: 205 Cape Fear Blvd. - MX to CBD	Town Council – October 14 th

Demolitions:

314 Spartanburg Ave-Single Family Home



HARBOR/MARINA

Harbor Master Report				
Type	# slips/moorings	# of boats	Dates	
Marina Licensee Slips	Marina- 24	24	Yearly Licensee Period	2025/2026
Marina Transient Slips	Transient Slips- 4	3	Current Period	
CB Harbor	Anchorage	11		
Mooring/Transient	Declined Boats	0		
Mooring/Transient	Mooring Pendants-10	15		
Pump-outs	Municipal Marina	2		
CB Marina and Harbor Activity				
Type of Activity	Location	Actions	Date	
Patrol	Outside CB Harbor	Continue to work with NC Wildlife and Coastal Federation to get Infinity removed from "area 159" Vessel has been abandoned for over 9 months and sunk the first week of June. Vessel approved for removal. Waiting on NC Coastal Federation.	9/29/2025	
Policy	Municipal Marina	Adding bait fishing for Licensee's in the Municipal Marina	9/25/2025	
Maintenance	Town Boat	100 hour on outboard, psi wash bottom, quarterly maintenance completed	9/25/2025	
Patrol	Outside CB Harbor	Responded to report of a sinking vessel in the Harbor N. of Marsh Island on Florida Ave side. On arrival found MV Miss Becky which is currently in violation of Town code had sunk. No notable discharge of contaminants at the time- but will be monitored. Buoy placed on vessel to mark position if it sinks to the bottom. USCG, NCWLC, NHCSO were all notified. CBPD assisted with Locating the owner of the vessel. Vessel has now been signed over to the Town of CB to aid in the removal. Steps being taken to have the vessel removed from the Harbor. Vessel has been added to the NC Coastal Federations removal list. Coastal Federation confirms vessel is on the removal list but the delay is in updates to internal and external policy.	9/25/2025	
Administrative	N/A	New Harbor Master Duty Line. This number will put you in contact with the Harbor Master on duty. 910.836.5685	9/29/2025	
Projects				
Project	Municipal Marina	Dredging of the west side of the Municipal Marina getting quotes.	9/29/2025	
Project	Municipal Marina	Architect has completed design work on Marina Office. Design has moved to engineering, working on finishes. Prepping documents for bid process and obtaining permits.	9/29/2025	
Project	CB Harbor	Replacement of bulkhead and redecking of dinghy dock 301 Sandpiper Ln: Bid awarded and in permit process.	9/29/2025	
Violations				
Vessel	Location	Warning/Citation	Date	
Miss Becky	CB Harbor	M/V Miss Becky a 1996 30' Sea Ray was towed in on 6/14/2025. Owner dropped anchor north of Marsh Island on Florida Ave side. Vessel is non running, has no power for bilge pump or anchor light, not attended and listing. Vessel was put in immediate violation and is at risk of dragging anchor, running aground, and or sinking. On 6/17/2025 vessel sunk. See narrative above.	9/29/2025	

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.
- Repair water main.
- Replace water meter and registers.

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 17 permit payments
- 5 accounts setup for Planning
- 3 leak/read Adjustments
- Process payments for 2 parking and 2 golf cart permits

Environmental:

Beach Front

- Repaired broken boards on the Alabama beach access.

Boardwalk

- Started repairing swing on the boardwalk.
- Started rebuilding the south showers on the boardwalk.
- Repaired broken railing on the boardwalk.
- Cleaned trash cans at the boardwalk.

Streets

- Trimmed back sidewalk at 222 Charlotte Ave.
- Took down banners on the bridge.

Special Events

- Setup Mackerel fishing tournament on the boardwalk.
- Started repairing Christmas lights.

Storm water:

- 811 locates: 34
- Site visit with resident: 2
- Site visit with contractor: 2
- Stormwater violation: 0
- CB Trash walkers' litter patrol: 90 pounds of litter diverted from the stormwater system.
- Stormwater crews prep for a tropical storm and Hurricane Humberto. Retention ponds and lake have begun pumping operations.
- Emergency pumps have been ordered for Driftwood Court operations.
- Stormwater crews cleaned the boardwalk BMP's.
- Stormwater crews CCTV Atalanta Ave stormwater system.
- Stormwater crews CCTV Saint Joseph stormwater system.

Island Forest pond pumps.



Town Hall Pumps



Carolina Beach Village Pumps



Work Orders:

of Work Orders

Stormwater

BMP - Clean	1
BMP - Street Sweeper	34 miles swept
811 - Locate	30
IN_OUTFLOW - Inspect	1
Litter Pick-Up	207 lbs.
Operate Fixed Pumps	1
Site Visit - Resident	1
Storm Prep	5
Storm Recovery	1
SWSYSTEM - Clean/Video	1

Water

811 - Locate	49
WMETER - Activate	1
WMETER - Box/Lid Issue	1

WMETER - Inspect	4
WMETER - Pull Meter	2
WMETER - Reconnect	1
WMETER - Repair	3

Facilities

BOARDWALK AREA - Trash Removal	1
FREEMAN PARK - Trash Removal	2 dumpsters
MUNICIPAL BEACH STRAND - Storm Prep	1
MUNICIPAL BEACH STRAND - Trash Removal	7 dumpsters

Water/Sewer for Permitting and 811

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

Sanitation

Public Can Route	4
SANITATION - Bulk Waste Collection	13
SANITATION - ZONE 1 - Yard Waste Collection	5 loads