

## **News From Southern Shores Town Hall**

### **Tuesday, April 14, 2009**

#### **More on the 30<sup>th</sup> Anniversary**

- [Town Cleanup](#) – Friday, April 17<sup>th</sup>, help clean up the town before the celebration and join us for a beach picnic, kite flying and beach volley ball at Hillcrest Beach.
- **Shred X** will be at Hillcrest Beach parking lot from 11 am - 1 pm on Friday, April 17<sup>th</sup>. There will be no charge for the service. Bring all your documents that need to be shredded.
- [Anniversary Saturday](#) – April 18<sup>th</sup> - Still need old cars and/or convertibles to be in the motorcade contact [Jim](#) 261-0643 to volunteer or more information.
- Bring any old glasses and hearing aids to drop off at the Lion's Club Table. If you have any unused handicap assistance equipment such as canes, portable toilets, wheel chairs, or shower chairs notify the person at the Lion's Club Table. Arrangements will be made to collect them (Lion's Club gives these items free to whoever may need them).
- Reminder: Be at Trinitie Park by 10:15 AM, Saturday morning with your best decorated bike to join the motorcade in route to the Market Place. There will be bike parking at Town Hall.

#### **Special Meeting**

The Southern Shores Town Council will hold a Special Meeting on Tuesday, April 14, 2009, at 7:00 p.m. in the Pitts Center. The purpose of the meeting is to discuss with the Southern Shores Civic Association Board (SSCA) a proposed canal dredging project spoil site.

#### **CAMA Land Use Plan**

The next meeting of the CAMA Land Use Plan (LUP) Steering Committee is scheduled for Tuesday April 21, 2009 from 1:00 – 4:00 at the Pitts Center. The focus of this working session will be a review of the "Land Use and Development Policies" section of the LUP.

#### **Southern Shores Transportation Plan**

Are you interested in?

- Reducing the volume of cut through traffic on town roads?
- Providing safe shoulders and paths for pedestrians to step off the roadway when vehicles pass on narrow roads?
- The width of the town's right-of-way for town roads and planning for how the town will use this right-of-way?

A project team chartered under the Planning Board's Planning Advisory Group is working on a comprehensive long range Transportation Plan for the Town of Southern Shores. This project will make specific recommendations to the Town Council to address cut through traffic, pedestrian safety and capital project priorities for road, bridge and stormwater management improvements throughout Southern Shores.

On April 6<sup>th</sup> the project team sponsored a public workshop at which they presented their interim findings and preliminary recommendations. (To view the presentation materials from the April 6<sup>th</sup> Workshop go to [Traffic Study](#) & [Chicahauk Stormwater Proposed Improvements](#).

If you want to have a voice in this process, the project team wants your input! Please review the presentation materials, reply to the following questions and send your responses in an email addressed to Merrie Smith at [msmith@southernshores-nc.gov](mailto:msmith@southernshores-nc.gov) no later than April 30, 2009.

1. What additional planning goals, if any, should be considered?
2. Are there any principles missing? If so, what are they?
3. What additional factors should be considered by road class?
4. Are there any current issues missing? If so, what are they?
5. Is there anything else that needs to be included in the Transportation Plan?
6. What additional projects and/or priorities should be considered?

Remember, transportation issues directly impact EVERY Southern Shores resident/property owner. Make your voice heard so that your priorities will be reflected in the transportation recommendations to the Town Council. We look forward to hearing from you soon.

## **Planning Board and Planning Advisory Group Meeting**

The Southern Shores Town Planning Board, April 20<sup>th</sup> monthly meeting has been cancelled, next meeting Monday, May 18. The Planning Advisory Group, Transportation Study will meet, Monday, April 20<sup>th</sup> at 9 AM in the Pitts Center.

### **Dates To Remember:**

- [Large Item Pickup](#), Thursday, April 16
- [Town Cleanup](#) and Picnic, Friday, April 17, Hillcrest Beach Parking Lot
- [30<sup>th</sup> Anniversary Celebration](#), Saturday, April 18<sup>th</sup>
- Planning Board Meeting for April 20 has been cancelled
- Planning Advisory Group, Transportation Study, Monday, April 20<sup>th</sup>, 9 AM, Pitts Center

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