

# **News From Southern Shores Town Hall**

## **Friday, June 12, 2009**

### **PLANNING ADVISORY GROUP UPDATE**

Mayor Don Smith, Town Council, and Town Manager Charlie Read extend their profound appreciation to the Planning Advisory Group (PAG) for their extraordinary service to the Town of Southern Shores. On Thursday June 11<sup>th</sup> PAG members Nancy Wendt, Sam Williams, Mike Florez, Larry Lawhon and Bill Gleason presented Council with their findings and recommendations on the following topics: the CAMA land use plan, transportation, cut-through traffic, stormwater, wireless infrastructure and financial planning. To see the PAG presentations go to [Report](#). Thanks to all who have given their input and to those who haven't, Council would like to hear from you. Please email your comments to [INFO](#) and they will be directed to all members of the Town Council, the Town Manager, and the Planning Board. Over the next three council meetings, Council will be discussing what actions they will take on all of the recommendations. Please follow future Broadcast messages for meeting agendas and the topics to be discussed.

### **WEEKLY UPDATE - CANALS MAINTNENCE DREDGING PROJECT**

- **(NEW)** Negotiations with property owners and our attorneys continued throughout the week. We are optimistic that we will reach an agreement soon. Once an agreement is in-place additional permitting will be required and the project will be put out to bid.
- **(NEW)** We previously reported that the Town expressed interest in purchasing a property and that the owner was unresponsive. Late Friday June 12<sup>th</sup> the Town received a communication which will be reviewed by Town Council, the Town Manager, and the Town Attorney on Monday June 15<sup>th</sup>.
- **(NEW)** Town Council approved the engagement of a Project Manager to oversee the Canal Project a process that is being finalized and appointment is pending confirmation of the issuance of the state permit(s).

### **HICKORY TRAIL UPDATE**

The Town Engineer and Town Manager conducted a final inspection and generated a punch list of items for the contractor to address. The contractor has indicated that these items have been completed. We have confirmed that there are grading errors on the roadway and we are working with the contractor to resolve these issues. The Town Engineer will not certify the roadway or release final payment until all issues have been resolved.

### **E. HOLLY TRAIL UPDATE**

Construction of this cul-de-sac is proceeding on schedule. Rough grading was completed last week. Some extra utility work was performed at the beginning of this

week and the stone sub base has been installed. Paving will commence in the near future.

## **NO CHIPPING – JUNE, JULY or AUGUST**

### **OLD T-SHIRTS NEEDED**

Recycle your old t-shirts, please go through your drawers and drop all your old t-shirts off at Town Hall. The Dunes of Dare Conservation Committee are collecting old t-shirts to make them into re-useable grocery bags to be given out free at community events.

### **RECYCLE YOUR OLD GLASSES AND HEAIRNG AIDS**

The Lions Club has a drop off box at Town Hall to donate old glasses and hearing aids.

### **Dates To Remember:**

- **Recycling Pickup, Monday, June 15**
- Planning Board Meeting, Monday, June 15, 7 PM, Pitts Center [Agenda](#)

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