# Newsletter



### UPCOMING EVENTS

**Parks and Recreation Board Meeting** 

• June 7 - 10:00 AM

**Regular Town Board Meeting** 

• June 8 - 6:00 PM

#### **Beach Sweep**

• June 11 - 9:00 AM

Mike Rose Retirement Celebration

• June 14 - 4:00 PM

### **BIS Committee Meeting**

• June 16 - 2:00 PM

**Rocky Mount Stormwater Workshop** 

• June 17 - 10:00 AM

**Planning Board Meeting** 

• June 22 - 10:00 AM

**Topsail Sounds - Concert in the Park** 

• June 28 - 6:30 PM

For more information on all upcoming events (including locations, Agendas, and any supporting documents), visit the Town Website at topsailbeachnc.gov

### **PUBLIC HEARINGS**

There will be **3 Public Hearings** held during the June 8th Regular Town Board Meeting:

- Two continued Public Hearings from the May 11th Board Meeting on proposed text amendment changes - the proposed changes and discussion can be found from the May meeting on the Agendas and Minutes tab on the Town Website.
- A Public Hearing on the FY 22-23 Budget the proposed Budget is available for public inspection in the Deputy Town Clerk's Office at Town Hall, M-F from 8:00 AM - 5:00 PM.

### <u>Summer Trash Pick-Up</u>

Household Trash Pick-Up will be Mondays and Thursdays during the Summer.

Bulk Item Pick-Up will be the first and third Fridays of the month. Please remember, **construction material** will not be picked up in bulk item collection.

Visit the Town Website for more information.

# warm welcome

We want to thank Town Manager Mike Rose for his years of faithful service to the Town of Topsail Beach. Mike will be retiring on June 30th and we hope you'll join us in wishing him a happy retirement!

There will be a floating Retirement Celebration on June 14th at the Assembly Building from 4:00 PM - 6:00 PM.

We are happy to announce Doug Shipley will be the new Town Manager. Doug will be joining our team in July and brings years of experience in local government. He is currently serving as an Assistant Manager for Pender County.

We hope you will join us in welcoming Doug to Topsail Beach!

## **LP KEEP OUR BEACH CLEA**



### **BEeach CLEAN**

A Topsail Island Shoreline Protection Commission Initiative to Leave No Trace, encouraging everyone in the beach communities to:

- Use trash containers
- Not bring glass to the beach
- Fill in holes on the beach

Topsail Beach 2022 Beach Sweeps

Join us at 9:00 AM on **Saturday, June 11th**, July 9th, and September 10th.

Meeting Locations:

- Access #3, Between 915 N Anderson and BLDG F Queens Grant
- Access # 6, Rocky Mount
- Access #10, Crews Ave
- Access # 16, Sea Vista Motel

Bags and gloves will be provided for anyone that volunteers!



### **Hurricane Re-Entry Decals and Agent Authorization Forms**

The 2022 Hurricane Season Re-Entry Decals and Agent Authorization Forms will be mailed by the end of next week. Only two (2) decals will be given for a property. Please note, decals **will not** be issued once the Town declares a State of Emergency.

All Agent Authorization forms must be notarized and submitted to the Police Department by July 1, 2022. Agent Authorization forms will not be accepted once the Town declares a State of Emergency. Those you have designated as your agent must have a copy of the form with them to gain entry onto the island once it is permissible.

IMPORTANT: Previous Agent Authorization forms on file at the Police Department will be discarded and new ones must be submitted for 2022 and annually thereafter.

### What to Do Before the Tropical Storm or Hurricane

It is vital to understand your home's vulnerability to storm surge, flooding, and wind. Here is your checklist of things to do for hurricane season:

- Know your zone: check the <u>evacuation site website</u>.
- Put Together an Emergency Kit: Put together a <u>basic emergency</u> kit. Check emergency equipment, such as flashlights, generators and storm shutters.
- Write or review your Family Emergency Plan: Before an emergency happens, sit down with your family or close friends and decide how you will get in contact with each other, where you will go, and what you will do in an emergency. Keep a copy of this plan in your emergency supplies kit or another safe place where you can access it in the event of a disaster. Start at the Ready.Gov <a href="emergency plan webpage">emergency plan webpage</a>.
- Review Your Insurance Policies: Review your insurance policies to ensure that you have adequate coverage for your home and personal property.
- Understand NWS forecast products, especially the meaning of NWS watches and warnings.
- Preparation tips for your home from the Federal Alliance for Safe Homes
- Preparation Tips for those with Chronic Illnesses

Visit <u>weather.gov/safety/hurricane-plan</u> for helpful tips to help you prepare for this hurricane season.