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WEEKLY UPDATE APRIL 11, 2016 – APRIL 15, 2016

PUBLIC MEETINGS

APRIL 11 – APRIL 15, 2016

MONDAY, APRIL 11

10 a.m.-Horry County Public Safety Committee, Horry County Government & Justice Center, Council Conference Room, 1301 Second Avenue, Conway.

5:30 p.m.-Horry County Zoning Board of Appeals, Horry County Government & Justice Center, Multipurpose Rooms, 1301 Second Avenue, Conway.

TUESDAY, APRIL 12

4 p.m.-Horry County Administration Committee, Horry County Government & Justice Center, Council Conference Room, Conway.

WEDNESDAY, APRIL 13

4 p.m.-RIDE 3 Sales Tax Commission, Horry County Government & Justice Center, Council Conference Room, Conway.

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AGENDAS

Public Safety Committee

April 11, 2016

10:00 am

AGENDA

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| I. | Call to Order | Al Allen |
| II. | Invocation | Paul Prince |
| III. | Public Input | |
| IV. | Review and Approval of Agenda Contents | |
| V. | Approval of Minutes | |
| | 1. March 21, 2016 | |
| VI. | Resolutions | |
| | 1. Surplus Property- Service Weapon
Capt. Steve Parker | Phillip Thompson |

Discussion Items

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| 1. | Community Violence Sub-Committee | Al Allen |
| 2. | Business Operating Hours for Businesses
Offering On-Premise Consumption of
Alcoholic Beverages | Wes Covington |
| 3. | Bike Week Update | Randy Webster |
| 4. | Hurricane Joaquin AAR | Randy Webster |
| 5. | Brief on Earthquake Exercise | Randy Webster |
| 6. | Brief on National Hurricane
Conference | Randy Webster |
| 7. | ESGR Award | Sandra Rhodes |
| 8. | Police Department Project Updates | Sandra Rhodes |
| 9. | Fire/Rescue Department Project
Updates | Joey Tanner |
| 10. | HC Sheriff's Office/Detention
Project Updates | Phillip Thompson |
| 11. | Department Reports: | |

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- a. Police
- b. Fire/Rescue
- c. Animal Care Center
- d. Emergency Management
- e. E911
- f. Detention Center

VII. Announcements

VIII. Executive Session

Discussion of negotiations incident to proposed contractual arrangements

IX. Adjourn

HORRY COUNTY ZONING BOARD OF APPEALS
AGENDA
April 11, 2016

I. Call to Order – 5:30 PM

II. Invocation/Pledge of Allegiance

III. Communications

IV. Minutes

A. March 14, 2016 – Regular Meeting Minutes

V. New Business

A. Public Hearings

Variances

1. 2016-03-001 – Chris Raper, agent for Brenda Parks
4107 Teakettle Court, Little River (Council Member Worley)

2. 2016-03-002 – Cheryl S. Wingard, agent for GCL & B LLC
200 Offshore Drive, Garden City (Council Member Servant)

Special Exceptions

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1. 2016-03-003 –Richard Ware, 4 Guys Management, LLC, agent for TRI-C Douglass SC, LLC

614 Atlantic Avenue, Garden City (Council Member Servant)

VI. Adjourn

ADMINISTRATION COMMITTEE AGENDA

Tuesday, April 12, 2016 – 4:00 P.M.

County Council Conference Room

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| I. | Call to Order | Harold Worley |
| II. | Invocation | |
| III. | Public Input | |
| IV. | Review and Approval of Agenda Contents | |
| V. | Approval of Minutes – March 22, 2016 | |
| A. | MBREDC Update | Josh Kay |
| B. | Resolution Authorizing Participation in the GEAR Program | Wes Covington |
| C. | FY 2016-17 Budget Reviews | |
| | 1) Administrator | Justin Powell |
| | 2) Assessor | Larry Roscoe |
| | 3) Delegation | Connie Turner |
| | 4) Finance and Overhead | Barry Spivey |
| | 5) Grants and MIAP | Christine Sullivan |
| | 6) Human Resources and Risk Management | Patrick Owens |
| | 7) Information Technology | Tim Oliver |
| | 8) Legal | Arrigo Carotti |
| | 9) Library | Clif Boyer |
| | 10) Museum | Walter Hill |
| | 11) Procurement | Kim Massie |
| | 12) Public Defender | Orrie West |
| | 13) Public Information | Lisa Bourcier |
| | 14) Voter Registration and Elections | Sandy Martin |
| D. | Resolution Approving and Authorizing Accommodations Tax Funding | Barry Spivey |
| E. | February Interim Financial Update | Barry Spivey |
| VI. | Old Business | |
| VII. | Committee Discussion | |

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- VIII. Announcements
- IX. Executive Session – if necessary
- X. ADJOURN

Agenda
RIDE III SALES TAX COMMISSION MEETING
Thursday, April 13, 2016 @ 4 p.m.
Horry County Council Conference Room

1. Call to order – *Chairman Dyer*
2. Public Input (*First three to sign in. Limit of five minutes per person.*)
 - Dave Downey email
 - George Debusk email
 - Michael Stefans email
 - Angela Jenkins email
 - Janet Axel email
 - Eileen & Joseph Derian email
 - Letitia Pearson email
 - Dr. John Reilly email
 - Danny Sullivan email
- Bill Rose email
- June & bob canter email
3. Approval of Minutes – March 10, 2016
4. Dirt Road Update – *Steve Gosnell*
5. SC 31 ext. Update from meeting April 11, 2016 in Southport, NC – *Donnie Ray*
6. Recap of public input meetings & comments– *Lisa Bourcier*
7. Approve RIDE III Referendum to forward to County Council – *Chairman Dyer*
8. Adjourn

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NEWS RELEASES

HORRY COUNTY WINS BUDGET AWARD

Conway, South Carolina – The Horry County Finance Department received the Distinguished Budget Presentation Award by the Government Finance Officers Association of the United States and Canada. The award represents a significant achievement by the Horry County Finance Department's Budget Manager and reflects the commitment of the governing body and staff to meeting the highest principles of governmental budgeting. This is Horry County's 27th consecutive award.

In order to receive the budget award, Horry County had to satisfy nationally recognized guidelines for effective budget presentation. These guidelines are designed to assess how well an entity's budget serves as a policy document, a financial plan, an operations guide and a communications device.

Horry County's budget can be viewed online by logging onto <http://www.horrycounty.org/Departments/BudgetOffice.aspx>.

HORRY COUNTY SHERIFF'S OFFICE TO CO-HOST SHRED EVENT TO PROTECT AGAINST IDENTITY THEFT

Conway, South Carolina – The Horry County Sheriff's Office, along with AARP South Carolina and Shred Alert, is hosting a shred event on Friday, April 29, 2016, from 9 a.m. until 12 p.m. The event is free and open to the public. To help fight back against identity theft, the public is encouraged to bring up to three bags or boxes of your old personal information (staples & paperclips do not have to be removed) to a mobile shredding truck that will be located at the Horry County Government & Justice Center, 1301 2nd Avenue in Conway and at the Shred Alert office located at 4727 Northgate Boulevard in Myrtle Beach. The goal this year is to shred 18,000 lbs. of paper!

Identity theft and identity fraud are terms used to refer to all types of crime in which someone wrongfully obtains and uses another person's personal data in some way that involves fraud or deception, typically for economic gain. Identity theft has become one of the fastest growing crimes in the United States.

One of the biggest ways to protect you against identity theft is to shred personal information. You can also adopt a "need to know" approach to your personal data. For example, the more information you put on your checks like social security number and home phone number, the more chances that information could land in the hands of a criminal.

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If you are traveling, have your mail held at your local post office or ask a trusting neighbor to collect your mail while you are away. Also, check your financial information regularly, and look for what should be there and what shouldn't.

For more information about identity theft and how to protect yourself, go to the United States Department of Justice website at <http://www.justice.gov/criminal>. For more information on the upcoming shred event, contact AARP South Carolina at 866.389.5655.

HORRY COUNTY TO HOST PUBLIC MEETINGS REGARDING MEMORIAL DAY BIKEFEST

Conway, South Carolina – Horry County will host two Memorial Day Bikefest Business/Community Meetings. The meeting dates are as follows:

Tues., April 19, at 9 a.m.

Beach Church
557 George Bishop Parkway, Myrtle Beach

Tues., April 26, at 9 a.m.

Original Benjamin's Calabash Restaurant
9593 North Kings Highway, Myrtle Beach

The meetings are intended for those community members that may live or have businesses near the 23-mile extended traffic loop, which will be in effect from 10 p.m. to 2 a.m., Friday, Saturday and Sunday, May 27-29. Local government agencies will give a briefing on local plans to include traffic management, increased police presence and enforcement of laws, business responsibility, and location of information. The meetings are open to the public.

For more information, please call the Horry County Public Information Office at 915-5390.

HORRY COUNTY ANIMAL CARE CENTER TO HOLD PET VACCINATION CLINIC

Conway, South Carolina – The Horry County Animal Care Center will hold a vaccination clinic, 12 April 2016, from 10 a.m. until 2 p.m. at the animal shelter located at 1923 Industrial Park Road in Conway. The Clinic will offer the following services:

- Distemper/Parvo \$10--must be at least 8-weeks old (*canine*)
- Bordatella \$10--must be at least 8-weeks old (*canine*)

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- Rabies \$10--must be at least 4-months old (*canine & feline*)
- Microchip \$15--must be at least 8-weeks old (*canine & feline*)
- Rhinotracheitis/Calici \$10--must be at least 8-weeks old (*feline*)

Dogs and cats are both welcome; dogs must be on a hand-held leash and cats must be in a pet carrier.

The Animal Care Center holds these clinics monthly.

To help homeless animals in Horry County find loving homes, the Animal Care Center will offer discounted adoptions the first Friday and Saturday of each month. Potential adopters are encouraged to visit and spend time with the animal they are interested in. All of the animals are already spayed or neutered and have their shots up to date, however younger animals may need to be returned later to have shots and/or spay/neutering done. The paperwork is easy and only takes a few minutes to fill out. Adoption fees are discounted and typically include spaying/neutering, vaccines, heartworm or leukemia testing, heartworm and flea preventative, intestinal parasite treatment and microchipping. Qualifying new pet parents also get 30-days free pet health insurance and coupons from local pet businesses.

To view the animals currently available for adoption or for more information on the monthly vaccination clinics, contact the Horry County Animal Care Center at 843-915-5172, follow us on Facebook, or visit our website at <http://www.horrycounty.org/depts/pubssafety/AdoptAnimals.asp>.

KEEP HORRY COUNTY BEAUTIFUL APRIL EVENTS

Conway, South Carolina – The Keep Horry County Beautiful Committee announces a volunteer opportunity for people or organizations interested in participating with upcoming litter cleanups and celebrations in our community. Trash bags, gloves, safety vests, and trash grabbers will be provided.

Friday, Saturday & Sunday, April 8-10, 2016 –Carolina Forest Blvd, River Oaks Drive & International Drive – Join the Beautify Carolina Forest group at 8 a.m. at the Carolina Forest Recreation Center located at 2254 Carolina Forest Blvd in Myrtle Beach. Contact Richard Skrip for more information: skripr@live.com .

Saturday, April 16, 2016 – Intracoastal Waterway Riversweep – 8 a.m. to 1 p.m. Join area residents at the Johnny Causey Landing located at 2111 Little River Neck Road in Little River. Contact Patrick Kelley for more information: captain-smiley@sc.rr.com .

Saturday, April 16, 2016 – Market Common Great American Cleanup – 9 a.m. – 12 p.m. Keep Horry County Beautiful will join the City of Myrtle Beach Planning Department at The Market Common

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Community Garden located at the corner of Pampas Drive & Myers Avenue to clean up the Market Common District. Contact Diane Moskow-McKenzie for more information: DMcKenzie@cityofmyrtlebeach.com .

Saturday, April 16, 2016 – Earth Day @ The Bay – 11 a.m. – 2 p.m. – Keep Horry County Beautiful will participate in Ocean Bay Middle School’s annual Earth Day at The Bay event. This event is geared toward youth and helping them learn more about how to protect the environment. Come out to Ocean Bay Middle School for a fun day!

Saturday, April 16, 2016 – Ronald McNair Boulevard, Dick Scobee Road & Christa McAuliffe Street – 9 a.m. – 11 a.m. – Keep Horry County Beautiful will join area residents to cleanup roadside litter. Contact Janice Dowe at 843-236-4115 for more information. A meeting location has not yet been determined, visit us on Facebook <https://www.facebook.com/KeepHorryCountyBeautiful/?fref=ts> for more information.

Sunday, April 17, 2016 – West Cox Ferry Road – 11 a.m. – until... - The Hammock Club of Coastal Carolina University in partnership with Keep Horry County Beautiful will cleanup West Cox Ferry Road. The group will meet behind the Huddle House located at 3503 Hwy 544. Contact Cyler Chiang for more information: (843) 521-0676.

Friday, April 22, 2016 – Palmetto Pointe Blvd - 2 p.m. – 4 p.m.- Keep Horry County Beautiful will assist with a cleanup of Palmetto Pointe Boulevard. Volunteers will meet at Palmetto Pointe Apartments on Carnegie Avenue in Myrtle Beach. Safety vests, gloves, garbage bags, and trash grabbers will be available for the cleanup. For further information, please contact Amanda Warren at palmettopointeleasing@jmgrealty.com .

Saturday, April 23, 2016 – Enterprise Boat Landing Cleanup - 1 p.m. The Winyah Sierra Club will be hosting a cleanup of the boat landing located at the end of Bay Road and Enterprise Road in Socastee. Contact Jane Oschenbein for more information: jcducati@msn.com .

Saturday, April 23, 2016 – Boat Landing Cleanup - For information about cleanups at other area boat landings, contact April O’Leary at admin@winyahrivers.org.

The next meeting of the Keep Horry County Beautiful Committee is April 26, 2016, at 11:30 a.m. in Multipurpose Room B of the Government and Justice Center located 1301 2nd Avenue in Conway. If you would like to get involved in keeping our boat landings, waterways, parks, and roadsides beautiful and litter free throughout the year, please contact Keep Horry County Beautiful (tindalln@horrycounty.org or 915-5340).

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ROSEWOOD BOAT LANDING TO TEMPORARILY CLOSE FOR RAMP REPLACEMENT

Conway, South Carolina – The Rosewood Boat Landing, located at 4698 Peachwood Court, will be closed on Monday, April 4, for 90 days to replace the existing ramp. Boaters are encourage to use other boat landings in the area to include the Socastee Yacht Basin, Peachtree Landing or Enterprise Landing. The cost of the ramp replacement is \$102,420.

ROAD CONSTRUCTION UPDATE

GLENN'S BAY ROAD WIDENING & INTERCHANGE PROJECT

Traffic impacts are as follows:

- The westbound lane on Glenn's Bay Road from Caropines Drive to Garden Drive will be closed for storm drain installation Sunday, April 10, 2016, through Thursday, April 14, 2016, between 7 p.m. and 6 a.m.
- The outside eastbound lane on Holmestown Road from Blue Jay Drive to US 17 Bypass will be closed for curb and gutter repair Wednesday, April 13, 2016, through Thursday, April 14, 2016, between 7 a.m. and 5 p.m.
- The east and westbound shoulder on Glenn's Bay Road from Chandler Drive to Volunteer Drive will be closed for utility relocation work. Due to the tight right-of-way and the amount of equipment, this shoulder closure will need to stay in place around the clock 24-hours a day. This will be in place starting today, Friday April 8, 2016, through Friday, April 15, 2016. The shoulder closure is staying in place around the clock for the safety of the public and no traffic will be inconvenienced, only the shoulder will not be accessible.

To get updates on all SCDOT projects in Horry County, visit SCDOT's website at <http://www.scdot.org> choose Quick Links. From the drop down menu select SC Road Conditions. Just click on Horry County on the map for the current listing.

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