WEEKLY UPDATE  
MAY 8 – MAY 12, 2017

PUBLIC MEETINGS
MAY 8 – MAY 12, 2017

MONDAY, MAY 8

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

TUESDAY, MAY 9

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

WEDNESDAY, MAY 10

2:30 p.m.-Horry County Board of Architectural Review, Horry County Government & Justice Center, Multipurpose Rooms, 1301 Second Avenue, Conway.

THURSDAY, MAY 11

3:45 p.m.-Horry County Board of Assessment Appeals, Horry County Government & Justice Center, 1301 Second Avenue, Assessor’s Conference Room, Conway.

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**Special Exceptions**

7. 2017-04-005 – Nancy Kosko, agent for Waterford Plantation HOA Inc.  **DEFERRED**
   Moonbeam Court, Myrtle Beach (Council Member Hardee)

8. 2017-04-006 – Shawn Williams, agent for Beach Capital Partners LLC
   1800 Highway 9, Longs (Council Member Prince)

   11990 Hwy. 17 Bypass, Unit 7, Murrells Inlet (Council Member Loftus)

**VII. Adjourn**

The Horry County Public Safety Committee met on May 9, 2017, in the County Council Conference Room at 10 A.M.

**AGENDA**

I. Call to Order
   Al Allen

II. Invocation
   Bill Howard

III. Public Input

IV. Review and Approval of Agenda Contents

V. Approval of Minutes
   1. April 11, 2017

VI. Discussion Items
   1. Workers Compensation Update Linwood Vereen/
   2. Debra Mumford
   3. Spay/Neuter Program Update Brittney Sherman
   4. Bikefest Task Force Update Randy Webster
   5. HC Sheriff’s Office/Detention Project Updates Phillip Thompson
   6. Police Department Project Updates Joseph Hill
   7. Fire/Rescue Department Project Updates Joey Tanner
   8. Emergency Management Project Updates Randy Webster
   9. E-911 Project Updates Renee Hardwick
   10. Solicitor’s Office Project Updates Jimmy Richardson
   11. Department Reports:
       a. Police
       b. Fire/Rescue
       c. Animal Care Center

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VII. Announcements

VIII. Executive Session

IX. Adjourn

HORRY COUNTY
BOARD OF ARCHITECTURAL REVIEW MEETING

Wednesday, May 10th, 2017 at 2:30 PM
1301 Second Avenue
Conway, SC  29526

MEETING AGENDA

I. Call to Order

II. Invocation & Pledge of Allegiance

III. Approval of Minutes
   A. April 18, 2017

IV. New Business
   A. Special Tax Assessment Application for 701 Laurel Street in Conway

V. Old Business
   A. Historic Preservation Awards

VI. Board Discussion

VII. Historic Preservation Awards Ceremony – May 16th, 2017, 2:30 PM

VIII. Adjourn

AGENDA

FOR
HORRY COUNTY
BOARD OF ASSESSMENT APPEALS HEARINGS
May 11, 2017

TIME                TAXPAYER                        COUNTY APPRAISER
3:45 P.M.           Board Meeting

4:00 P.M.           2016 Exemption Appeal
                    PIN#s 47001010002 & 47001050052
                    Steven Freed
                    Jeannie Jenrette, Coordinator

4:30 P.M.           2013, 2014, & 2015 Audit Appeal
                    PIN# 42111040069
                    John & Audrey Glaszer
                    Vivian Gosnell, SPA Auditor

5:00 P.M.           2014, 2015, & 2016 Audit Appeal
                    PIN# 42013040022
                    Sara Ginsburg
                    Jenn Sperbeck, SPA Auditor

5:30 P.M.           2013, 2014, & 2015 Audit Appeal
                    PIN# 44807020097
                    John and Dalia Nardone
                    Larry Roscoe, Assessor

NEWS RELEASES

SOCASTEE LIBRARY PARKING LOT TO BE REPAVED

Conway, South Carolina – The parking lot of the Socastee branch of the Horry Memorial Library system will be repaved Monday, May 8, 2017, and Tuesday, May 9, 2017. To accomplish this, the parking lot will be closed. Signage will be in place to direct patrons of alternate parking areas. Once parked, patrons will be directed to enter the library via one of the two side entrances as the main entry will be locked.

Patrons with questions are encouraged to call the Socastee Library at 843-915-215-4700.

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HORRY COUNTY HISTORIC PRESERVATION AWARDS

Conway, South Carolina – The Horry County Board of Architectural Review & Historic Preservation will hold their annual Historic Preservation Awards May 16, 2017, at 2:30 p.m. at the McCown Auditorium at the Horry County Museum, 805 Main Street, in Conway.

The awards ceremony will showcase historic preservation efforts throughout Horry County during the last year. In addition, a presentation will be given on the South Carolina Century Farm program. All properties that were designated as historic between May 2016 and April 2017 will receive a certificate acknowledging the honor. Also being recognized:

- O’Neal Smalls with Freewoods Farms for the education and preservation of the activities and practices of African-American farms.
- Surfside Beach Historical Society for telling the story of the Ark Plantation through Surfside Living History Day.
- Hillary Howard for years of historic preservation activities in Conway.
- Tommy Simpson for the renovation of an iconic Conway mural.
- Graham Brothers Farm Supply for the preservation of their historic feed mill.
- Sallie and William Goldfinch for the rehabilitation of their historic home.
- Tammi and Alex Hyman for the rehabilitation of their historic home.
- Students for their participation in the annual High School Historic Sites & Structures Video Contest.
- Businesses that have been honored by the Legacy Business Recognition Program.
- Agritourism businesses that have received approved permits.

For more information, contact Mary Catherine Hyman, Senior Planner, in the Horry County Planning & Zoning Department at 915-5340.

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, May 19, 2017, 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.

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 ANIMAL CARE CENTER TO HOLD PET VACCINATION CLINIC**

*Conway, South Carolina* – The Horry County Animal Care Center (HCACC) will hold a vaccination clinic, 9 May 2017, from 10 a.m. until 2 p.m. at the shelter located at 1923 Industrial Park Road in Conway. The following services will be offered:

- Distemper/Parvo $10--must be at least 8-weeks old (*canine*)
- Bordatella $10--must be at least 8-weeks old (*canine*)
- 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 also holds low cost spay/neuter clinics, which are open to all residents of Horry County. The cost for cats is $50 and dogs are $80 (discounted fees are available for residents receiving government assistance). Contact the HCACC at for more information or to make an appointment.

To help homeless animals find loving homes, the HCACC offers discounted adoptions the first Friday and Saturday of each month. The discounted fee typically includes 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 animals currently available for adoption, stray intakes or for more information on the monthly 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/pubsafety/AdoptAnimals.asp.

ROAD CONSTRUCTION UPDATE

GLENN’S BAY WIDENING & INTERCHANGE PROJECT

Traffic impacts weather permitting:

- The southbound left turn lane from US 17 Bypass onto Glenn’s Bay Road Bypass will be closed, Sunday, May 7, 2017, between 8 p.m. and 6 a.m. for impact attenuator repair.
- The northbound left turn lane from US 17 Bypass onto Holmestown Road will be closed, Sunday, May 7, 2017, between 8 p.m. and 6 a.m. for impact attenuator repair.

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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