

**Town of Sunset Beach  
Special Called Council Meeting  
March 11, 2011  
9:00 am**

**MINUTES**

**Council Members Present:** Mayor Ronald Klein, Mayor Pro-Tem Lou DeVita, Councilman Bob Bobinski, Councilwoman Karen Joseph, Councilwoman Carol Scott and Councilman Wilson Sherrill.

**Members Absent:** None

**Staff Present:** Gary Parker, Town Administrator, Lisa Massey, Police Chief, Dustin Graham, Public Works Director and Lisa Anglin, Town Clerk.

Mayor Klein called the meeting to order and advised that the purpose for this meeting is to review the Streetscape Committee Report and to discuss other areas within the Town limits requiring landscaping.

The Council, Streetscape Committee Member Tim Cate and a representative from Green Up, Inc. discussed the trees, shrubbery and perennials to be incorporated in the landscaping and streetscape areas in order to present a uniformed appearance for the Town. The group discussed converting the sedimentation basins located at particular intersections and within the gazebo lot into rain gardens for a more attractive appearance. The group discussed the areas at each end of the bridge for landscaping possibilities. Dustin Graham, Public Works Director, will contact NC DOT officials to obtain a dimensional & topographical map of the bridge areas. Mr. Cate's offered to draft a landscape plan for the areas immediately adjacent to the bridge to present to NC DOT for consideration when using their budgeted funds to landscape those areas.

The Council discussed meeting with NC DOT and CAMA representatives concerning the continuation of the existing bike/walk path from the bridge to the intersection of Sunset Blvd. & Main Street; currently it ends abruptly a few feet from North Shore Drive.

The Council discussed exchanging the street light fixtures for more decorative fixtures. Dustin Graham will contact BEMC to determine what choices are available, the cost to exchange each fixture and the monthly utility cost per fixture.

Mayor Pro-Tem DeVita updated the Council with information and grant opportunities for the solar operated trash receptacles discussed during the Retreat.

COUNCILMAN SHERRILL MADE A MOTION TO ADJOURN THE MARCH 11, 2011 SPECIAL MEETING. COUNCILWOMAN JOSEPH SECONDED THE MOTION. MAYOR KLEIN CALLED FOR A VOTE AND THE MOTION CARRIED BY UNANIMOUS VOTE.

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**Ron Klein, Mayor**

Submitted by:

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**Lisa Anglin, Town Clerk**