

RESTRUCTURED/NEW COMMITTEES WITH CHARGES:

FINANCE COMMITTEE:

- Review budgets and financial reports and make recommendations
- Develop Five Year Financial Plan for Council approval
- Monitor Brunswick County's revaluations of property and advise on appeals
- In coordination with other coastal stakeholders monitor all insurance regulations and programs:
 - Wind and hail
 - Homeowners
 - Golf cart
 - Employee health
 - Flood and COBRA issues
 - Liability
- Evaluate and advise on potential financial impacts of Inlet and Ocean Hazard Area changes
- Aid in pursuit of fair distribution of Brunswick County revenue attributable to BHI, including a blended distribution of sales tax revenue
- Compare BHI budget with budgets of similar communities in order to identify possible cost savings and efficiencies
- Evaluate the Transportation Company's rate case for equitable treatment of all stakeholders

COMMUNICATIONS COMMITTEE:

- Help establish the Village as the principal communicator of Village affairs with all taxpayers
- Advise on website improvements and management
- Advise on optimum use of web-casts
- Advise on proper format and frequency of 'Village News' and e-blasts
- Help establish a working relationship with the BHA's communications efforts (and other Island entities when appropriate)
- Advise on proper communication to stakeholders of sensitive legal issues
- Review, monitor and report on lobbying activities in Washington DC and Raleigh (in conjunction with Shoreline Protection Committee)

- Help establish and monitor professional public relations efforts
- Help establish protocol for updating stakeholders on the NCIT
- Help improve communication with other coastal communities

SHORELINE PROTECTION COMMITTEE:

- Make recommendations to Council on the development of a comprehensive Shoreline Protection Strategy
- Review existing Sand Management Plan and make suggestions to Council on needed revisions
- Review recommendations for “state of the art” modeling of Cape Fear River delta
- Monitor the progress of the WRDA application
- Monitor the 216 Study being performed by the USACE and recommend follow-up actions
- Investigate how to secure Congressional funding of the study required for inclusion in the Brunswick Beaches 50 Year Program
- Study permitting process and make recommendations for development of protocol for periodic dredging of Bald Head Creek; investigate possible State/Federal funding
- Make recommendations on a strategy to achieve legislative approval for terminal groins
- Make recommendations on a process and timeline to repair the four timber groins in the Harbor
- Evaluate possible alterations to the southern jetty of the marina entry and re-armoring the northern jetty
- Investigate and analyze continuing environmental shortfalls from the Wilmington Harbor Project
- Make recommendations to the Council regarding the Village’s position on the NCIT
- Review all shoreline monitoring efforts including those of the Village, the Conservancy and the USACE

PUBLIC WORKS & UTILITIES COMMITTEE:

- Evaluate and monitor the plan for providing water and sewer at Island build-out
- Research bringing effluent to ‘reuse’ quality and possible irrigation use
- Evaluate the need for further stormwater management infrastructure, especially after the probable removal of Lagoon #3 from the infiltration system

- Make recommendations for lagoon maintenance, coordinated with BHA and the BHI Club
- Make recommendations for the development of operation and maintenance protocols for the Public Works and Utilities Departments
- Make recommendations for necessary paving
- Evaluate the optimal program for beach planting and sand fencing to promote beach stabilization, coordinate with the Conservancy and make recommendations for implementation
- Evaluate pedestrian and vehicle beach accesses and recommend improvements
- Make recommendations for improved beach debris removal
- Make recommendations for median maintenance, planting and stabilization
- Make recommendations for invasive vine and plant removal
- Make recommendations for programs to promote potable water conservation, especially as it relates to unnecessary or defective irrigation systems

PUBLIC SAFETY & TRANSPORTATION COMMITTEE:

- Evaluate the future of tram service and on-Island ‘for hire’ transportation
- Evaluate seasonal beach patrol
- Evaluate current weight and size guidelines for electric vehicles, recommend revisions
- Research viability of seasonal on-Island Dr/PA program
- Evaluate Public Safety Dept. merger

PARKS & RECREATION COMMITTEE:

- Assess the Village’s present park and recreational assets
- Assess probable/possible future assets
- Evaluate how the Village may work with Island POA’s and their assets
- Help position this committee to improve the Village’s ability to qualify and receive supporting grants