

## Minutes for the June 14, 2010 Cape Story by the Sea (CSBTS) General Meeting at the Resort Conference Hotel submitted by Todd Solomon

Meeting Start: Called to order at 7:30pm by President Empsy Munden. 17 attendees were present.

Special Guest / Program– Tonya Bullock, Princess Anne district City Council candidate. Tonya is a VB lawyer and wants to bring energy and new ideas to VB Council.

### Officer Reports:

Secretary Report: May 10, 2010 minutes were reviewed. **A motion to approve the minutes without change was made by David Albis and 2<sup>nd</sup> by Tom Kean. Motion passed unanimously.**

Treasurer's Report: Report submitted by Dave Albis. \$14,739.50 total funds in Cape Story Accounts. \$7,862.08 in the Fireworks account.

President: Empsy reported the following:

- Storm Water draft report on [www.capestory.org](http://www.capestory.org)
- Mt. Trashmore Family Fun Days are starting – see [www.vbgov.com](http://www.vbgov.com)
- Beach rules for dogs/cats. 10am – 6pm prohibited from Memorial Day to Labor Day. Call non-emergency number if you see a violation.
- Light Rail DEIS meeting on June 30<sup>th</sup>.
- Cape Henry Shores Beach Bumz Drill Team is soliciting members for the 4<sup>th</sup> of July parade. Contact Empsy if interested.

1<sup>st</sup> VP : No report.

2<sup>nd</sup> VP: Diana informed us that the VBCCO 's next meeting will be Wednesday July 14th at 7pm in the Central Library.

### Committee Report Highlights:

- Neighborhood Watch (NW) – Regina Wallace reported that there was a house break-in and a home invasion. Kids went into a house and took beer while home owners were there. The electric meter was cut and removed in the home invasion. Phone lines were also cut. The home owner was in the house, woke up and called the police. July 17<sup>th</sup> Adopt-a-muster event. If willing to donate or help, contact Regina at [neighborhoodwatch1@cox.net](mailto:neighborhoodwatch1@cox.net) FEMA dog died while training in VB. Dog from NC, should Cape Story donate money to help replace dog? Discussion resulted in no money from Cape Story.
- Neighborhood Beautification – Next clean-up will be Wednesday morning June 23rd. Time is TBD and emails will be sent out. Next clean-up after the 4<sup>th</sup> of July parade will be Sat. August 14<sup>th</sup>.
- Military Liason – Andy Baan is working on contacts. Jason Eversole and Scott Mohr.
- SkipJack – Summer 2010 should be on the street.
- Fireworks - \$6500 collected so far. Bob Linsly will be the entertainment. Mayor Sessoms will be the Grand Marhall. Volunteers are still needed, contact Todd Solomon at [todd@sdcc.info](mailto:todd@sdcc.info) to help.

### Old Business Highlights

- Sand Replenishment – Is the cleanliness issue dead, or is there something that can still be done? The Oak St. access still needs fixed up from impact. Empsy will follow up with Phill Roehrs.
- Storm Water Problems – Empsy to send out City's draft report so the neighborhood can provide comments. Draft recommends a \$15million central pump station similar to the north end improvement. No simple fixes were recommended by the City's study.
- Shore Drive Safety – Shore Drive speed limit will be reduced from 45mph to 35mph starting June 15<sup>th</sup>. The speed limit reduction will start at Pleasure House Rd and run to North Great Neck Rd. Safety events will be taking place at Kokomos and Shuckers to help raise awareness and funds for Shore Drive safety. Check [www.sdcc.info](http://www.sdcc.info) for details.

### New Business Highlights

- Virginia Beach Council of Civic Organization (VBCCO) – Bikes and Pedestrian safety was topic at last meeting. Next meeting will be Wed. July 14th. Meeting will be a party in the park held at Mt. Trashmore. Check out [www.vbcco.org](http://www.vbcco.org) for times and details.
- Next SDCC meeting – Monday July 28<sup>th</sup> at 7:30pm in Ocean Park Rescue Hall. Lynnhaven River NOW will discuss state of river. SDCC will also be holding a City Council Candidate forum on Monday Oct. 25<sup>th</sup> at 7pm in the Cape Henry Collegiate auditorium.

Meeting Adjourned – 8:35pm **Motion to adjourn was made by Regina Wallace, 2<sup>nd</sup> by Tom Kean and approved unanimously.**