

E-News from the Town of Perdido Beach, AL

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Dear Members of the Perdido Beach Community,

<u>Council</u>: The 2016-2020 Mayor and Council will take office on November 7th. Installation services will be held at St. Andrews by the Sea Church on Magnolia St. at 6:00PM with the Honorable Tim Russell, BC Probate Judge, administering the Oaths of Office. Public Invited.

<u>Planning Commission</u>: Chair Jim Brewer – The Planning Commission is reviewing town regulations concerning "tiny homes", containers used as residential dwellings, and commercial buildings. The Commission meets the first Wednesday of each month at 6:30PM at Town Hall. Public input is always welcome.

<u>Zoning Board of Adjustment</u>: Chair Andrew Stewart – The ZBA meets quarterly and as needed to hear appeals and requests for special exceptions and variances.

<u>Ad Hoc Property Search and Boat Launch</u>: Chair Patsy Parker – The Ad Hoc Committee meets on the first Thursday of the month at 6:00PM. Public welcome.

<u>Ad Hoc Escambia Avenue</u>: Chair Ralph Hargrove – The Ad Hoc Committee is charged with making recommendations for use guidelines on Escambia Avenue Water Access.

<u>Beautification</u>: Chair Ellen Leslie - The Beautification Committee meets on the 4th Monday of each month at 10:00AM at Town Hall. Public welcome.

<u>Budget & Finance</u>: The 2016/2017 proposed budget is prepared and ready for consideration by the Town Council and the annual financial audit is underway. The Budget and Finance Committee meets on the 4th Tuesday of each month at 4:30PM at Town Hall. Public welcome

<u>Buildings & Grounds</u>: Chair Steve Love - Watch for progress after the first of the year on the storage building to be converted to a town/community meeting facility. Also, the used carpet put down in 2010 at town hall has been replaced with hard surface flooring. Drop-in visits always welcome.

<u>Communication</u>: Chair Steve Foster – All committee recommendations to the Town Council are found in Council minutes. The Communication Committee is discussing a proposed "Committee Volunteer" form to be placed on the town's website and the creation of a database to maintain volunteer information. Citizens are encouraged to sign up for the ENews mailout – a link is found on the home page of the town's website; please help spread the word.

<u>Public Works</u>: Chair Sean Hickey – Recent work includes grading and addition of rock where needed. As funds allow improvements are being made to the roads and infrastructure. Copies of the first draft of the storm water management plan are available at Town Hall, which may be checked out for review. Time spent in review of the draft will be counted toward "in kind" service and will help fund the town's matching share of the grant award.

<u>Public Safety</u>: Chair Ellen Leslie – Most significant is the work done by the committee on the county-wide Hazard Mitigation Plan. Town of Perdidio Beach representatives participated in every county-wide meeting during the year-long process. The draft plan is expected to be approved at the State and Federal levels and will continue the town's eligibility for state and federal assistance in the event of a federally declared disaster, such as the 2014 Flood Event.

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