**Town of Slaughter Beach**

**Public Notice**

**Regular Town Council Meeting – September 13, 2021, 7:00 PM**

**The Town Meeting will be held via Zoom and in person at the Slaughter Beach fire hall.**

**359 Bay Avenue, Slaughter Beach**

All Slaughter Beach residents are invited to attend; the public is also welcome. (Please be advised that this agenda is subject to amendments including additional or deleted items, including Executive Sessions but only additional items of an emergency nature (29 Del. C @ 10004 (e)(1) or with notice at least 6 hours in advance of the meeting and only for items that may not be reasonably deferred to a later meeting). Agenda items may be considered out of sequence.

Join Zoom Meeting

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**ORDER OF BUSINESS**

1. Call meeting to order.
2. Welcome and announcements.
3. Approval of the August 9, 2021, Town Meeting Minutes.
4. Approval of the September 13, 2021, Town Meeting Agenda.
5. Presentation on the Waterways Infrastructure and Investment Network (WIIN) project, funded by grants from National Fish and Wildlife Federation, “NFWF”, Pew Charitable Trusts and NOAA – presented by Danielle Swallow, University of Delaware SeaGrant Program, and Jennifer Eagan, Ph.D., University of Maryland, Environmental Finance Center.
6. Reports
   1. Treasurer report and vote – Joanne Plescia.
   2. Building Enforcement Officer/Floodplain Administrator, Ivan Lanier.
   3. Tax Collector Report – Joanne Plescia.
   4. Town Street Committee Report – Jimmy Dalton.
   5. Mayoral and Council updates
      1. Resilient and Sustainable Communities League “RASCL”, Sussex County Association of Towns “SCAT”, Alliance of Coastal Towns (“ACT”), Bob Wood.
7. Old Business:
   1. Grants
      1. University of Delaware: hydrology study funded by DEMA has been delayed. We expect the final report will be completed in late September 2021 .
      2. Update on University of Delaware SeaGrant oyster larvae nursery – Kathy Lock.
      3. Update on Anchor Engineering study on the cause and removal options for detritus buildup on northern beaches, funded by a grant from the Delaware Bayshore Initiative program – Kathy Lock.
   2. Sand on the beach – Update on Delaware Bay Beach working group meeting - Bob Wood.
   3. Update on demolition of 458 Bay Avenue, delayed until further court action scheduled for November 8, 2021.
   4. 5G wireless ordinance – on hold until further notice.
   5. Update on Phragmites control - Julia Geha.
   6. Update on 5k Run from the Greenheads scheduled for September 19, 2021 - Julia Geha.
   7. Discussion of American Recovery Act funding - Ivan Lanier.
   8. Update on the formation of a Sussex County / Slaughter Beach sewer district – Kathy Lock
8. New Business:
   1. Discussion and possible vote on a revised FY 2022 budget – Joanne Plescia.
   2. Discussion on updating the Town’s Emergency Operations Plan – Kathy Lock.
   3. Discussion on drainage problems in the 500 / 600 blocks of Bay Avenue and update on meeting with DelDOT – Larry Meinert.
9. Upcoming events
   1. Town Council meeting – October 11, 2021, 7:00 PM (via Zoom and in person).
   2. 5K Run from the Greenhead race – September 19, 2021, 9:00 AM.
10. Open Forum discussion.
11. Adjournment.

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