Phase one of the Town of Kiawah Island's emergency beach scraping project began this past Tuesday and will continue for the next 2 weeks. Crews will finish up the area near the Ocean Course Clubhouse tomorrow and then shift work to the beach adjacent to Holes 15 and 16 of the Ocean Course. Please keep away from construction equipment and active work areas. The project is intended to help re-establish and preserve areas of the beach that suffered extensive erosion during Tropical Storm Irma. 

[Click here to view the map illustrating the project area and erosion rates.]
Phase One
The Town has emergency authorization from the Office of Ocean and Coastal Resource Management (OCRM) to perform sand scraping in areas where homes or other infrastructure are within 20 feet of the active beach. This situation occurs along three sections of the beach:

- Turtle Point Golf Course in front of Turtle Beach Ln. and Atlantic Beach Ct.
- Ocean Course Golf Course, Holes 15-16
- Ocean Course Clubhouse and Driving Range

Phase one has begun and will last for approximately two weeks. The Town expects to close a 200 yard wide section of beach each day to allow the work to take place.

Phase Two
The Town has applied for an individual permit with OCRM to perform sand scraping in areas that are currently at risk but do not meet the 20-foot requirement of the current Emergency Order. The active beach in these areas is generally between 20-50 feet away from homes or infrastructure. This situation occurs along three sections of the beach:

- Eugenia Avenue to Mariners Watch
- The Sanctuary Hotel
- The Beach Club

Phase two will begin when and if permits are received by OCRM with an anticipated start date in mid-November. This phase would take approximately three weeks to complete.

Q4 Town Notes Published
The Quarter 4 edition of Town Notes has been published. Read it now.

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St. John's Fire District Commission Vacancy
There is a vacancy for a seat representing Kiawah Island on the St. John's Fire District Commission. County Council will be accepting applications from through December 4. The St. John's Fire District Commission Board consists of nine members, appointed by the Governor upon recommendation by Charleston County Council, responsible for the oversight of all administrative and operational aspects of the St. John's Fire District special purpose...
St. John's Fire Station # 6 Pile Driving Begins

Pile driving will begin this week on the construction for the St. John's Fire District Station 6. There could be some noise disturbance throughout the week. Read about the new station in this quarter's edition of Town Notes.

Next Event

Jason D. Williams
Thursday, October 19, 2017 at 7:30 p.m.
Seabrook Island House
SOLD OUT- If you have tickets for this event but cannot attend please call 843-768-9166.

Meeting Notices

Ways and Means Committee  - October 24, 2017 at 2:00 p.m.
Arts & Cultural Events Council - November 2, 2017 at 2:00 p.m.
Town Council Public Hearing - November 7, 2017 at 1:30 p.m.
    Town Council - November 7, 2017 at 2:00 p.m.
Planning Commission  - November 8, 2017 at 3:00 p.m.
Public Works Committee  - November 13, 2017 at 10:00 a.m.
Environmental Committee - November 14, 2017 at 3:00 p.m.
Public Safety Committee  - November 15, 2017 at 2:00 p.m.
Board of Zoning and Appeals - November 20, 2017 at 4:00 p.m.
Communications Workgroup  - November 21, 2017 at 3:00 p.m.
Ways and Means Committee  - November 28, 2017 at 2:00 p.m.

* Meeting are subject to change

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