

**STORMWATER ADVISORY BOARD MEETING  
MINUTES  
MAY 15, 2008  
7:00 P.M.  
HISTORIC COURTHOUSE, CURRITUCK, NC**

The Stormwater Advisory Board held a public meeting Thursday, May 15, 2008 at 7:00 p.m., Historic Courthouse. The following members were present: Harold Capps, Charlie Dozier. Don Cheek, Wade Morgan, Jerry Old were absent. Mike Doxey, Kim Ferrell (Soil & Water Conservation) and Eric Weatherly (County Engineer) were also present. The meeting was called to order by Harold Capps.

**Minutes** – due to lack of quorum, approval of November 15<sup>th</sup> & January 17<sup>th</sup> minutes will be tabled until next scheduled meeting. (July 17, 2008)

**Stormwater Ordinance Budget** – Eric Weatherly stated at the last meeting in January the stormwater advisory board decided to secure PHRA Engineering to develop a drainage ordinance for Currituck County at a cost of \$32,000.00. Mr. Weatherly has recently met with the County Manager and he has stated the money is available for that use, there will be a board of commissioners meeting next week to discuss budget.

**County Ditch Maintenance** – Mike Doxey presented figures showing a budget for stormwater improvements on major creeks within the county. \$30,000.00 per year is what is needed to maintain these drainageways. Mr. Doxey stated he thinks the \$30,000.00 request is adequate to start off with. Mr. Doxey also added that the board may need to look at the landowners/homeowners association or developer paying a percentage of the maintenance, board may need to set up a priority list and vote on which ditches need the maintenance first. \*This item will be brought up at the next scheduled meeting in July.

**After discussion, the board endorsed the \$32,000.00 request for the stormwater ordinance budget and the \$30,000.00 request for the county ditch maintenance.**

**Update on Whalehead Service District** – Eric Weatherly gave a brief update on status of drainage in Whalehead Subdivision, a master plan has been developed should be completed in August 2008. The East/West Streets in Whalehead will be turned over to the county; there will be stormwater basins on each street to handle drainage. This will cost approximately 3.5 million dollars. The tax on the Whalehead Service District will be raised to .04 cents per \$100 valuation.

**Reminder – Next stormwater advisory board meeting will be held July 17, 2008 – 7:00 p.m. (Historic Courthouse, small conference room).**

There being no further business to discuss, meeting adjourned at 8:20 p.m.

Respectfully submitted,

*Jerry Old*

Jerry Old, Chairman

*Kim D. Ferrell*

Kim D. Ferrell, Recording Secretary

\*This was a paid meeting

