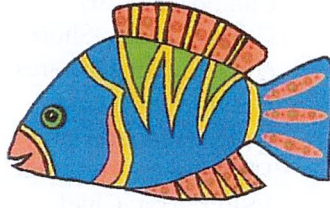


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Barrier Islands Governmental Council

*Belleair Beach
Belleair Shore
Clearwater
Indian Rocks Beach
Indian Shores
Madeira Beach*



*North Redington Beach
Redington Beach
Redington Shores
St. Pete Beach
Treasure Island*

Town of Redington Shores BIG C Meeting
Wednesday, January 26, 2022, 9:00 a.m.
Madeira Beach City Hall, 300 Municipal Drive, Madeira Beach, FL 33708

1. **The BIG C Meeting of January 26, 2022, was called to order by President Mayor Alan Johnson at 9:00 A.M., followed by the Pledge of Allegiance.**

2. **Roll Call**

BIG C Representatives:

Present at Town Hall:

Indian Rocks Beach
Indian Shores
Redington Shores
North Redington Beach
Redington Beach
St. Pete Beach
Madeira Beach
Treasure Island
City of Belleair Beach

Mayor Kennedy (via Zoom)
Mayor Soranno
Mayor Henderson
Mayor Queen
Mayor Will
Mayor Johnson
Mayor Hendricks
Mayor Payne
Mayor Gattis

Also Present:

Joseph Cooper
C.R. Hollands
Sandra Knoebel
Diantha Schear
Larry Schear
Dave Gates
Cinda Krouk
Lisa Hendrickson
Zach Westfall
Rick Wayah
Lauren Wilson
Sam Jenkins
Daniel Collings
Chris Keny
Wille Nastasiak
Rick Finco
Robin Gomez
Nancy Obarski
Tim & Gina Johnson
Clint Belk

IRB Resident
Citizen
Forward Pinellas
Indian Shores, Council
PSFRD, Commissioner
Belleair Beach, Vice Mayor
Redington Shores, Commissioner
Citizen, Redington Shores
Pinellas County Coastal Mgmt.
Citizen
Legislative Aide, Senator Brandes
SPC ISPS, Project Coordinator
Frontier
Waterfront Realty
Frontier
Waterfront Realty
Madeira Beach, City of Madeira Beach
Citizen, IRB
Waterfront Realty
Fire Chief, Madeira Beach

Jessica Morrow
Andrew Butterfield
John Plott
Desiree Wilde
Dawn Peters
Diana Fuller
Hugh Smith
Bob (sp)
Clifford Sam Gibbons
Chiquita Clasbe
John Mortellite
Jeff Rosenfield

TBBCOC
City of St Pete Beach
Frontier
Frontier
Candidate PCSB
Citizen, Indian Shores
Citizen, Indian Shores
Beach Newsletters
Beach Renourishment, Lawyer
Duke Energy, Manager
PSFD, Asst. Chief
TB Newspaper

3. **Changes to the Agenda and Approval** – Mayor Queen moved to approve, seconded by Mayor Soranno. Motion carried unanimously.
4. **Approval of Minutes** – Mayor Kennedy moved to approve, seconded by Mayor Will. Motion carried unanimously.
5. **Approval of the November and December 2021 Treasurer's Report's** – Mayor Kennedy reported opening balance of \$845.34, no disbursements, ending balance as of 12/31/21 \$845.34. Mayor Queen moved to approve, seconded by Mayor Henderson. Motion carried unanimously.
6. **Correspondence** – Digital Eel invoice in the amount of \$9.50.
7. **New Business** – Guest Speaker, William Nastasiak – Director of Network Operations & Construction at Frontier Communications and Dan Collins – Engineering Sr. Manager addressed the members. Mr. Nastasiak thanked the members for the invitation to speak regarding bringing fiber optics to the residential homes from Clearwater to St. Pete Beach. Mr. Nastasiak shared by a power point presentation where they will be working in each city along the beaches and other project information, mentioning this is a five-year project. Mr. Nastasiak also stated all areas will be restored to their original state. Mr. Nastasiak stated there will be no cost to the communities or residents for the install of the fiber cable. They are also asking for help with expediting obtaining permits. If there are municipal projects going on, please let them know, so they can avoid those areas. Mr. Nastasiak asked for help from the cities with getting the word out to their residents about the project. Members of the board asked Frontier to go to each city to present a presentation before they start their work. Some of the Mayor's voiced concern regarding working being started in their areas and no communication to the cities were made, which caused some issues with residents. Members asked Frontier to put signs up, where they are working, as the sub-contractors have no Frontier markings and residents will identify with the signs.
8. **Old Business** – Mayor Queen mentioned SB 620 is still going forward, which is not good. Mayor Queen also reported at the next Mayor's Council meeting they will be discussing ARPA money and what is has opened to spend money on.
9. **Discussion Items** – Zac Westfall addressed the members on behalf of John Bishop, who was not able to make this meeting. They are still pursuing securing easements for the project. The Treasure Island and Long Key projects will move forward. Mr. Westfall spoke briefly on sea turtles and asked the cities to contact Duke Energy asking them to install turtle friendly lighting on the streetlights. Mayor Hendricks spoke of the need for John's Pass area to be dredged.
10. **Legislative Update** – Mayor Kennedy stated a letter was sent out regarding 620 and 280 and Forward Pinellas is also working on issues that affect our communities and Mayor Kennedy will update at the next meeting. Mayor Payne asked if we could invite someone to give a formal legislative update towards the end of session.
11. **Public Comments** – Cliff Gibbons addressed the members addressing beach renourishment and where to obtain the funds needed for renourishment. Nancy Obarsky (sp) addressed the members with concerns on beach renourishment. Another resident from Indian Rocks beach addressed the members regarding beach renourishment.

12. City Events – None stated

13. Adjournment

NEXT MEETING

Wednesday, February 23, 2022, 9:00 A.M.

Hosted by Town of North Redington Beach

Location: Madeira Beach City Hall | 300 Municipal Drive | Madeira Beach, FL 33708

Minutes Prepared by: Mary F. Palmer
Town Clerk, Town of Redington Shores, FL

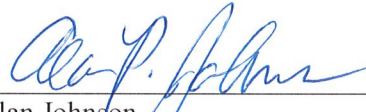
Date Approved: 2/23/2022

ATTEST:



Amber LaRowe, CMC, City Clerk
City of St. Pete Beach

APPROVED:



Alan Johnson
Barrier Islands Governmental Council President
Mayor of the City of St. Pete Beach, FL