

**Minutes for the November 8, 2021 Cape Story by the Sea (CSBTS) General Meeting
at Lynnhaven Colony Congregational Church submitted by Todd Solomon**

Meeting Start: Called to order at 7:35 pm by President Diana Albis. 14 attendees were present.

Special Presentation: No presentation or special guest speakers.

Officer Reports:

Secretary Report: October 11, 2021 minutes were distributed for approval. **A motion to approve with no changes was made by Empsy Munden and 2nd by David Albis. The motion passed unanimously.**

Treasurer's Report: The report was presented and accepted. \$16,710.38 total funds in Cape Story Accounts \$(16,162.05 Savings, \$548.33 Checking).

1st V.P. Report: BAC did not meet in Oct, didn't have a quorum. VB Flood Referendum passed. Real Estate taxes will be raised and lock boxed to pay for the \$570mil bond. It was reported at the CAC that radar speed checks will increase along Shore Drive during the holiday months.

2nd V.P. Report: No Report

President's Report: Report as part of meeting.

SDCC Report: Todd updated that the proposed apartment development at Marlin Bay was withdrawn by the developers. Any new project will have to go before the Planning Commission again.

Committees:

Beautification – The Nov. 6th event was cancelled, the City did a lot of work in the park and it didn't need cleaning. Next Clean-up will take place on Sat Nov. 20th at 9am. Meet in park. Email notice will be sent.

Military Partnership – Teri Dobby informed us that the base doesn't currently have any families in need for our Holiday Family Donations.

Oyster Roast – Oyster Roast was held on Sun Nov. 7th. Seemed like everyone had a good time. Tickets sold out.

Holiday Family Donations – No families in need have been identified. Some attendees said they would check around.

Upcoming Meetings:

Citizens Advisory Committee (CAC) – 2nd Wednesday of the month.

Bayfront Advisory Commission (BAC) – Third Thursday of the month at 3:30pm at Ocean Park Volunteer Rescue.

Shore Drive Community Coalition (SDCC) – Next meeting Jan 31, 2022 at 7:30pm at Ocean Park Volunteer Rescue.

Old Business:

CSBTS Officers Needed – We still need CSBTS officers for 2022 term. Please ask around. Anyone interested should contact Diana Albis.

Skipjack Newsletter – Consensus was we need to bring the newsletter back. Suggestions were to make it an online version only to save money. We will need an editor to make this happen.

New Business:

Cape Santa in the Park – There will be a planning meeting on Wed Nov. 10th to determine details. A motion to approve \$500 for the Cape Santa event was made by Ginnie Stover and 2nd by Kim LaCroix. The motion passed unanimously.

Dec 13th CSBTS Membership Meeting – This meeting will be a short meeting with a social to follow. It will be held at Ballyhoos at 6:30pm

Holiday Lights Judging – Neighborhood judging will take place the evening of Sat. Dec 18th

City Flood Protection Projects – Planning has begun on the 21 projects that will be funded by the \$570mil bond recently approved by voters. Several of the projects are in the Shore Drive area. Information can be found at www.vbgov.com/rippleeffect

City Emergency Notification Service – VB Alert notifies residents of bad weather and safety situations. It's a free service. To register, text VBALERT to 67283 or visit www.vbgov.com/vbalert

Meeting Adjourned – 8:24pm **A motion to adjourn was made by David Albis and 2nd by Ginnie Stover. Motion passed unanimously.**