



North Carolina Department of Environment and Natural Resources
Division of Coastal Management

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Director

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December 9, 2009

Mr. Cliff Ogburn
Town Manager
Town of Nags Head
P.O. Box 99
Nags Head, NC 27959

Dear Mr. Ogburn:

The NC Division of Coastal Management hereby acknowledges receipt of the application for State approval for beach nourishment on the Town's oceanfront beaches located east of South Virginia Dare Trail and Old Oregon Inlet Road in Dare County. It was received complete on November 9, 2009, and appears to be adequate for processing at this time. The projected deadline for making a decision is January 23, 2010. An additional 75-day review period is provided by law when such time is necessary to complete the review. If you have not been notified of a final action by the initial deadline stated above, you should consider the review period extended. Under those circumstances, this letter will serve as your notice of an extended review. However, an additional letter will be provided on or about the 75th day.

If this agency does not render a permit decision within 70 days from November 9, 2009, you may request a meeting with the Director of the Division of Coastal Management and permit staff to discuss the status of your project. Such a meeting will be held within five working days from the receipt of your written request and shall include the property owner, developer, and project designer/consultant.

NCGS 113A-119(b) requires that Notice of an application be posted at the location of the proposed development. Enclosed you will find a "Notice of Permit Filing" postcard which must be posted at the property of your proposed development. You should post this notice at a conspicuous point along the property where it can be observed from a public road. Some examples would be: Nailing the notice card to a telephone pole or tree along the road right-of-way fronting your property, or at a point along the road right-of-way where a private road would lead one into your property. Failure to post this notice could result in an incomplete application.

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An onsite inspection will be made, and if additional information is required, you will be contacted by the appropriate State or Federal agency. Please contact me if you have any questions and notify me in writing if you wish to receive a copy of my field report and/or comments from reviewing agencies.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in black ink that reads "John Cece". The signature is written in a cursive style with a large, prominent "J" and "C".

John Cece, Jr.
Coastal Management Representative

JC/yc

Enclosure

cc: Doug Huggett, Major Permits Coordinator, DCM, Morehead City, NC
Frank A. Jennings, III, District Manager, DCM, Elizabeth City, NC
Jeremy Ganey, Coastal Science & Engineering, Morehead City, NC

NOTICE

CANMA PERMIT APPLIED FOR

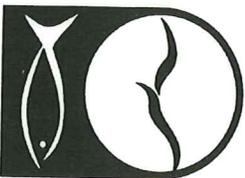
PROJECT: DREDGE UP TO 4.6 MILLION CUBIC YDS.
OF SAND FROM 3 BORROW AREAS LOCATED
2-3 MILES OFFSHORE. PLACE MATERIAL ON
APPROX. 10 MILES OFF OCEANFRONT BEACHES
FROM BACKMON ST. TO SOUTH OF McCALL ST.
(NEAR MILE MARKER 11 TO 21)

COMMENTS ACCEPTED THROUGH

01/02/2010

APPLICANT:

TOWN OF NAGS HEAD
P.O. Box 99
NAGS HEAD NC 27959
ATTN: CLIFF OGBURN
TOWN MANAGER
252-441-5508



FOR MORE DETAILS CONTACT
THE LOCAL PERMIT OFFICER BELOW:

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ELIZABETH CITY, NC 27909
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