

## **Public Hearing**

There will be a Public Hearing on August 14, at 2:00 p.m. to consider a six-month moratorium on freestanding telecommunication towers.

## **Repaving of Cedar & Holly Roads**

The Town has received bid proposals for the repaving of Cedar and Holly Roads. Work will be proceeding in the early fall.

## **ABC Funds**

Representative Ronnie Smith is proposing a bill to the N.C. Legislature to change the process of distributing the ABC funds in Carteret County. Now, only the Towns having ABC stores receive a portion of the funds. The proposed bill would distribute the ABC funds much the same way as the occupancy tax. Each town gets an appropriation from this tax. Please notify your State Officials that you approve of a distribution of the ABC funds to each Municipality in Carteret County.

## **Drainage Improvement Willow Rd to Laurel Court**

The Board is continuing its efforts to find a solution to the flooding area in the eastern section of Town. Engineers have visited the site and given cost estimates. The procurement of a grant is also being pursued.

## **Certificate of Achievement**

For the ninth consecutive year, the Government Finance Officers Association of the United States and Canada has awarded the Town of Pine Knoll Shores the Certificate of Achievement for Excellence in Financial Reporting. The Certificate of Achievement is the highest form of recognition in the area of Government Accounting and Finance Reporting. Its attainment represents a significant accomplishment by Government and its Management.



## **PKS Squad #65**

At our July monthly meeting, Mike Adderton, Director of Carteret County Emergency Medical Services discussed the proposal before the County Commissioners regarding a new County Paramedic System. This system would provide highly trained, salaried specialists who would serve in the 3 to 6 proposed zones of Carteret County, and deliver comprehensive pre-hospital medical services. The paramedics would be called in by the squads "on-a-needs-basis" and would be in addition to the volunteer services available in each community.

For all citizens who may need assistance during emergency evacuation situations, please call the Town Hall to alert our members of your circumstances. We are here to help you plan for your safest and most efficient evacuation.

A word of caution: Due to stormy weather we seem to be having an increase of ocean rip currents. Please be cautious about venturing alone and/or too