

DVAC To Discuss Streetscape and BID

The Downtown Vision Advisory Committee (DVAC) will meet on April 22, 2013 at 7 pm at Town Hall to discuss updates on the Business Improvement District (BID) process. There will also be a presentation on the proposed Harding Avenue Streetscape Plan.

Proposed Parking Structure Feasibility

The proposed Surfside Parking Structure Feasibility Study will be discussed twice in April. The first presentation will be on Wednesday, April 3, 2013 at the Planning and Zoning Committee meeting and the second will be during the Town Commission on Tuesday, April 9, 2013. You can view the Executive Summary on the Town's website - www.townofsurfsidefl.gov

Last Third Thursday of the Season

The 2013 season's final Third Thursday free music event and block party will be held on April 18. Don't miss the fun. Come and listen to your favorite pop music.



Newly Surfaced Sidewalks Roll Out the Red Carpet for Visitors and Guests

Take a walk along Collins Avenue or in the Harding Avenue Business District and you will be seeing red – in a good way. The sidewalks and curbs have been treated with a rust-colored penetrating stain to provide a consistent, attractive appearance for the areas of Town frequented by tourists and guests. The Town staff assisted in the effort by pressure cleaning the sidewalks in advance of the application of the stain, which was brushed or rolled. “We are still doing touch-ups around some of the driveways, but the project is now complete,” said John DiCenso, acting Public Works Director. Future sidewalks in the area that are completed as part of construction or replacement will receive the same “red carpet” treatment.

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Sixth, we are becoming more and more technically savvy and this expands the opportunity for transparency and citizen involvement. Just take a look at our new website at www.townofsurfsidefl.gov.

Seventh, we are accomplishing all this in a fiscally responsible manner with all the individual budgetary

Town Meets Renown Surf Club Architect



The developers of The Surf Club project hosted a meet and greet for world-renown architect Richard Meier and Surfside Town officials. Mr. Meier, in conjunction with Kobi Karp, will be the architect who will design the new Surf Club development.

Art Teacher Who Led School Turtle Project Named to Japan Exchange Program

Maggie Vidal-Santos, an art teacher at Ruth K. Broad Bay Harbor K-8 Center, has been named a participant in the Fulbright Japan-U.S. Teacher Exchange Program, a program funded by the government of Japan's Ministry of Education and the U.S. Department of State. Ms. Vidal Santos coordinated the students who created “Ruth” the turtle sculpture and played a role in the turtle's donation to Newtown, CT. She accompanied Surfside officials to present the sculpture at the dedication of Newtown's Art Center.



funds being in surplus and with ad valorem tax millage reductions.

So as Beth and I ride off into the North Carolina mountain sunset, we wish to thank all of you for the opportunity to manage this wonderful community and to wish my successor the best as he accepts responsibility for keeping the ball rolling.

Roger M. Carlton