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# Media Advisory

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**To: Myrtle Beach Media**  
**From: Public Information Department**  
**Date: July 2, 2021**  
**Re: Meeting Schedule and Agendas**

1. Next week's [meeting schedule](#) is attached.
2. **Myrtle Beach city offices and facilities will be closed on Monday, July 5, for the Independence Day holiday.** However, solid waste and recycling services will be on the regular Monday-through-Thursday schedule during the week of July 5-9. Trash and recycling will be collected as usual in Zone 1 on Monday, July 5.
3. **Just a reminder that it's illegal for individuals to shoot fireworks in the City of Myrtle Beach.** City code prohibits the sale, possession or use of fireworks inside the city, with the exception of approved, professional fireworks shows. A violation is a misdemeanor, subject to a fine and/or jail time. Rather than risk a ticket (and making your neighbors unhappy) by shooting fireworks, please enjoy one of the following professional fireworks displays during the July Fourth holiday weekend...
  - After the game, Saturday, July 3 – Myrtle Beach Pelicans' Stadium
  - After the game, Sunday, July 4 – Myrtle Beach Pelicans' Stadium
  - 10:00 p.m., Sunday, July 4, 2021 – Broadway at the Beach
  - 10:00 p.m., Sunday, July 4, 2021 – Second Avenue Pier, Ocean Boulevard
  - 10:00 p.m., Tuesday, July 6, 2021 – Broadway at the Beach
4. **Congratulations to Myrtle Beach Fire Chief Tom Gwyer on being named Fire Chief of the Year in the Southeastern Division of the International Fire Chiefs Association.** The 2021 award was presented to Chief Gwyer during the association's June conference in

Biloxi, Mississippi. Chief Gwyer has risen through the ranks of the Myrtle Beach Fire Department, holding every position along the way.

5. **A comprehensive list of activities and city events is available on our [Events](#) webpage.** This file of city-related festivals, programs and more is updated weekly.
6. **The Myrtle Beach Police Department welcomed six new officers during ceremonies at the Ted C. Collins Law Enforcement Center, and that's the subject of our [Photos of the Week](#).** Police officers Daniel Formato, Brian Hall, Tim Larsen, Patrick Ogden, Anna Olson and Michael Taylor graduated June 25 from the South Carolina Criminal Justice Academy. After taking their oaths of office, family members and friends helped pin on their new badges. Special congratulations go to Officer Formato, who won both the J.P. Strom Award as the top academic student and the Challenge Run Ribbon at the academy.
7. **Did you know...** That the great Charleston earthquake of August 31, 1886, rocked Horry County, too? Estimated at 7.3 on the Richter scale, the quake killed 60 people in Charleston and damaged nearly every building there. Not only was the temblor felt here, but it also was reported in Boston, Milwaukee, Chicago, Bermuda and Cuba, with structural damage as far away as Alabama, Ohio, Kentucky and Virginia.

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**CITY OF MYRTLE BEACH  
MEETING SCHEDULE  
July 5-11, 2021**

**MONDAY, JULY 5**

- **Independence Day Holiday Observed** – City Offices and Facilities Closed; Solid Waste and Recycling will follow the regular weekly schedule

**TUESDAY, JULY 6**

- **6:30 p.m.** – The Golden Mile Neighborhood Watch, First Presbyterian Church, 3810 Grissom Parkway
- **6:30 p.m.** – The Avenues Neighborhood Watch, First Presbyterian Church, 3810 Grissom Parkway
- **6:30 p.m.** – Pine Lakes Neighborhood Watch, First Presbyterian Church, 3810 Grissom Parkway
- **6:30 p.m.** – Old Pine Lakes Neighborhood Watch, First Presbyterian Church, 3810 Grissom Parkway
- **6:30 p.m.** – Pine Lakes Estates Neighborhood Watch, First Presbyterian Church, 3810 Grissom Parkway

**WEDNESDAY, JULY 7**

- **9:00 a.m. to 3:00 p.m.** – Myrtle's Market, 605 Mr. Joe White Avenue
- **3:00 p.m.** – Sandysgate Village Neighborhood Watch, Main Office, 1011 Osceola Street

**THURSDAY, JULY 8**

- **8:30 a.m.** – Bicycle and Pedestrian Committee, Conference Room, City Services Building, 921 North Oak Street
- **1:30 p.m.** – Villas @ Oleander Neighborhood Watch, Second Floor Community Center, 3810 Oleander Drive

**FRIDAY, JULY 9**

- **9:00 a.m. to 3:00 p.m.** – Myrtle's Market, 605 Mr. Joe White Avenue

**SATURDAY, JULY 10**

- **9:00 a.m. to 3:00 p.m.** – Myrtle's Market, 605 Mr. Joe White Avenue

**SUNDAY, JULY 11**

- No Meetings Scheduled

**City of Myrtle Beach  
Bicycle and Pedestrian Advisory Committee  
8:30 a.m., Thursday, July 8, 2021  
Conference Room, City Services Building  
921 North Oak Street, Myrtle Beach, SC 29577**

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**A. Call to Order** – Chairman Mike Snow

**B. Matters of Order**

1. **Approval of Minutes** – June 10, 2021

**C. Old Business**

1. **Accident Reports** – Kelly Mezzapelle
2. **J1 Students Report** – Kathy Winfree and Katie Wunder
3. **Summer Camp Safety Talks** – Pam Stone
4. **Traffic Control Box Wrap Project Update** – Kelly Mezzapelle
5. **Woodland Path Update** – Kelly Mezzapelle
6. **Slow Stroll & Slow Roll Report** – Troy Marron
7. **Fall Cycle Event** – Mike Snow

**D. New Business**

1. **Whit Oliver Memorial** – Mike Snow

**E. Non Agenda Items**

**G. Important Dates**

1. **Next Meeting** – 8:30 a.m., Thursday, August 12, 2021

**H. Adjourn**