



# Town of Southern Shores

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Council Meeting

October 2, 2001

7:30 p.m.-Pitts Center

1. Mayor Sutherland called the meeting to order at 7:30 p.m.
2. Mayor Sutherland led the Pledge of Allegiance
3. Moment of Silence

Mayor Sutherland asked that a moment of silence be held for Jim and Louise Pfizenmayer in the loss of their granddaughter and to the family of Lewis Sinn, resident. He also asked that everyone remember deeply all those many thousands who lost their lives in New York City, Pennsylvania, and Washington DC at the hands of terrorists, particularly remember those in public safety, including EMS, firefighters, and the police.

4. Consent Agenda-Minutes of September 4 and 12, 2001, monthly Building Inspections report and monthly Tax Department report, set the date for public hearing November 5 for the consideration of the draft ordinance Animals Running At Large.

Mayor Sutherland read the monthly Building Inspection's report. Councilman Campbell made a motion to approve the consent agenda as presented. Councilman Kennedy seconded.

Councilman Smith recommended that Section 6-91 Mandatory Removal of Feces of the draft ordinance Animals Running At Large be postponed because he feels it is going to have a major impact on dog owners and put it off until the retreat to be discussed with the other right-of-way issues. He moved to leave that portion of the ordinance as it currently stands.

Mayor Sutherland explained that Section 6-91 of the draft ordinance deals with the mandatory removal of feces by dog owners throughout the Town, Town right-of way and private property.

Councilman Kennedy suggested going ahead with the public hearing and if needed the section could be omitted and discussed at a later time.

Councilman Denny agreed to hold the public hearing and if the ordinance needs to be amended it could be done after the public hearing.

Mayor Sutherland agreed and the date for the public hearing would remain November 5 at Council meeting at 9:00 a.m. Approved unanimously.

Mayor Sutherland announced that Police Chief Brazell has submitted his resignation and it has been accepted. He will be pursuing other interests and Council wishes him well.

54. Special Presentation of Appreciation-Kevin Dulgher

Mayor Sutherland stated that Kevin became a "human flag pole" for two days after the terrorists attacks by waving the American flag from the East Fire Station on Duck Road to passerby's. It was brought to the attention of the Town that there is no flagpole for a flag at that site. Since then Council has agreed to provide funds for a flagpole to be placed there. Mayor Sutherland stated that Kevin is worthy of thanks and praise and with that he presented Kevin with a framed Certificate of Appreciation which the Mayor read. He also presented to him a Town flag.

Fire Chief Bakken presented Kevin with a flag and gave him the honor of being the first to raise it tomorrow morning at the east station. Chief Bakken invited everyone to attend. Chief Bakken stated that the flag is one that has flown over the Capitol Building.

65. Special Recognition-Larry Welker and Guy Hellwege-SSCA-Boat Club

Mayor Sutherland announced that Larry Welker and Guy Hellwege have worked hard on the annual canal inspection and submitted a report of fallen trees, leaning trees, and heavy brush that needs to be cleared by property owners. In recognition of their work he presented each of them with a Town coffee mug and a Town license plate.

Mayor Sutherland at this time also asked Tom Gjestson, Town Manager/Acting Police Chief to announce changes within the Police Department.

T. Gjestson asked that Sergeant Thad Pledger and Corporal Matt Anderson come forward.

T. Gjestson announced that Sergeant Pledger is promoted to Lieutenant and his wife, Patricia, pinned on his bars.

T. Gjestson then announced that Corporal Anderson is promoted to Sergeant and his wife, Carol pinned on his bars.

76. Planning Board Recap-September 17, 2001

Dan Shields, Chair, reviewed the recap and recommends that Council set a public hearing for the draft zoning ordinance regarding multiple buildings on commercial lots.

Councilman Kennedy moved that a public hearing be held on November 5, 2001 for the draft zoning ordinance amendment for multiple buildings on commercial lots as presented. Mayor Sutherland seconded. Approved unanimously.

Mayor Sutherland announced that the regularly scheduled Council meeting for November will be held Monday November 5, 2001 at 9:00 a.m. due to elections being held on Tuesday and the Southern Shores polling place is the Pitts Center.

87. Old Business

- a. Discussion and vote on draft Large Home ordinance

Mayor Sutherland explained that Council has discussed Part II. Recombination of lots of the draft ordinance and agrees that this section needs to be discussed further at the retreat.

Old Business cont'd

Councilman Denny made a motion that Part I of Ordinance #01-08-014 entitled "An Ordinance Amending the Zoning Ordinance of the Town of Southern Shores" be rewritten so that the definition of "Dwelling, Large Home" reads: "Any home containing more than seven (7) bedrooms (or rooms that could be considered as bedrooms using the Dare County criteria for determining septic system design) or septic system capacity for more than fourteen (14) people.", Part II. of the draft ordinance #01-08-014 be stricken in its entirety; and Part III of the draft ordinance be amended by striking the word "and between the words "no more than seven (7) bedrooms" and "septic system capacity for more than fourteen (14) people" and inserting the word "or" in each instance; and the adoption of Ordinance #01-08-014 as rewritten. Councilman Smith seconded.

Mark Martin asked why there is a limit on the septic capacity if you are limiting people by the number of bedrooms? He stated that there are new septic systems available and that this could possibly prevent them from the use of the new systems.

Councilman Kennedy stated that the septic system capacity is based on year round occupancy not individual use and Council considered safety issues and the idea is not wanting more than 14 people in a rental house.

A property owner expressed her concern regarding the allowable height of houses and stated that the height should be lowered from 35' to 30' feet.

Mayor Sutherland stated that this ordinance doesn't address height.

Ursula Zdziarski asked why Council dropped the section on recombination of lots? Mayor Sutherland stated that the issue needs further discussion and Council will discuss it at retreat.

Council approved unanimously the amended ordinance 01-08-014.

Please note that Ordinance #01-08-014 will be adopted as #01-10-014 to represent the month the ordinance was adopted not drafted.

b. Town Project Updates

T. Gjestson reported that the Town storage building has been ordered. A maintenance technician has been hired, Glen Alexander. The architect has submitted the site plan for the remodeling of the Town Hall and the plans will go before the Planning Board at their next meeting. The phone system has been purchased and installation has begun. The matching grant for the multi-use path along Juniper Trail has been submitted.

Mayor Sutherland addressed the current large home moratorium by making a motion that the moratorium be repealed. Councilman Campbell seconded. Approved unanimously.

c. NCDOT traffic update

Councilman Campbell reported that he, with others, met with DOT representatives to discuss the intersection at Hwy. 158/NC 12 and other traffic issues. A push-to-walk light button will be installed at the Sea Oats Trail/Duck Road crosswalk at Town cost of \$1,700. The turn lane on NC12 will be extended to Ocean View Loop and Skyline Road before next tourist season. He stated that he and the Mayor attended a meeting in Currituck County regarding proposed traffic concerns and it was learned that the Mid-Currituck Bridge has been removed from the plan and a complete new study will begin.

Old Business con'td

Mayor Sutherland stated that the proposed reduction of the speed limit on NC 12 has been tabled until Council retreat. He stated that Council is still waiting for a complete NCDOT study and will discuss at retreat.

d. Roads Update

Councilman Denny reported that he could not get competitive bids in time for the road repairs to be completed by December so that work would need to be deferred until February 2002 to be completed by April.

9.8. New Business

a. Presentation of Proclamation-Fire Prevention Week

Mayor Sutherland read the Proclamation and moved that it be adopted. Councilman Kennedy seconded. Approved unanimously.

Fire Chief Bakken asked that all those in the room to stand that were active VFD members or support members. There were about 15 present in all. Mayor Sutherland invited others to become active in the fire department.

b. Canal System Inspection

T. Gjestson stated that the SSBC has inspected all canals and the Town has shown its appreciation tonight to members of the Boat Club. Mailings go to property owners alerting them of the problems regarding trees and brush over their canal.

Councilman Kennedy asked if the depth of the canals is a problem? Guy Hellwege stated that minor dredging may be needed but owners not bulk heading their property is the biggest problem.

c. Town Audit status

T. Gjestson reported that Debbie Burgess, auditor will present the FY 2000-2001 report at the December 4 Council meeting. T. Gjestson gave a brief budget presentation and stated that the undesignated fund balance of \$2,768,000.00 shows the Town to be in good shape.

9. Public Comment

Pat Storey, 362 Sea Oats Trail, spoke on behalf of the Dare County League of Women Voters and encouraged everyone to register to vote before October 12. She announced that the League would be holding its annual "Candidates Night" on Wednesday October 24 at 7:00 p.m. in the Pitts Center. She stated that it would be held as a semi Town Hall format.

Jodi Hess, 6 Soundview Trail, commended Council on the letter sent to the Editor of the Coastland Times regarding the incorporation of Duck and that the Town has no plans to annex Duck as suggested.

Merrie Smith, Administrator Support Assistant, announced that the dates for the flu shots were set two different times and now have been canceled until further notice.

Public Comment cont'd

Councilman Kennedy announced that the election polling will be held at the Pitts Center on November 6, 2001.

10. Council's Agenda

Councilman Denny stated that the importance of volunteers is not only in Town but also throughout the area. He gave a report on the many hours (2,000 man-hours) given by the Coast Guard Auxiliary in training activities for this year. He reported that a local team received a meritorious team commendation from the Commandant. He stated that the average age of the local group is 70 years old with the oldest being 81. He named a few of them: Bill Storey, Carl Berntsen, Burnie Gould, Tom Davidson, Bob Devine, Lynn Stone, Ted Brazell, Sue Meyer, auxiliary and Janet Davis, Senior Aviator.

Councilman Kennedy made several announcements: the Large Item pickup would be held on October 10, the winter schedule for garbage/recycle pickup has begun, Dare County appears ready to agree to contract with the Town for trash pickup for the next 4 years, and that he is the appointed Town representative in a mediation hearing to be held for the Franchi legal case regarding the Town's personal watercraft ordinance.

Councilman Campbell-none

Councilman Smith-none

11. Mayor's Agenda

Mayor Sutherland asked anyone who has not signed up their email address with the Town to do so.

He stated that currently the Town is asking for volunteers for 2 committees: Town history and tree/vegetation preservation. He stated that Council appointed Dick Wood to chair the tree preservation committee and that representatives from the homeowners associations have been submitted. Rob Milne from the SSCA and Ginger Enderson from CHPO, also will have a representative from the home builders association for a committee of 5-7 people.

He asked that anyone interested in being on the committees to fill out a resume form at Town Hall.

He announced that the November Council meeting would be held at 9:00 a.m. on Monday the 5<sup>th</sup> due to elections being held on the 6<sup>th</sup> at the Pitts Center.

12. Town Manager's Agenda

Fire Chief Bakken gave the monthly fire report.

Chief Bakken reported that the department has a campaign in progress "Help Us Help You" regarding the placement of individuals house numbers being posted in accordance with Town Code. A list of individuals not in compliance will be given to the Town Manager for follow up.

The fire department is also working on asking residents to place a list of medicines they are taking on the refrigerator so during 911 calls or during times of stress the emergency personnel could locate it quickly.

He invited everyone to attend the Open House at the South fire station on Saturday October 6, 2001 from 10 a.m.-2:00 p.m.

Town Manager's Agenda cont'd

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T. Gjestson presented a proposed salary structure for Council's approval that includes a 3.5% COLA for all employees as discussed at the budget workshop.

Mayor Sutherland moved that Councilman Smith be excused from voting on this salary issue since Merrie Smith (wife) is an employee. Approved unanimously.

Councilman Denny moved to approve the salary structure as presented. Councilman Campbell seconded. Approved 4 to 0.

13. Town Attorney's Agenda

Mayor Sutherland introduced Ike McRee and welcomed him as the Town's attorney.

14. Announcements-none

Mayor Sutherland moved to adjourn the meeting at 8:45 p.m. Approved unanimously.

Attest:



Mayor

Respectfully submitted:



Town Clerk



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27-Sep-01

## MONTHLY PERMIT SUMMARY

TYPE CONSTRUCTION	NO.	COST	FEES
<b>SOUTHERN SHORES</b>			
New	9	2,509,400.00	16,429.35
Add/Alt	5	206,000.00	947.24
Other	22	223,681.00	1,625.40
<b>TOTAL SS</b>	<b>36</b>	<b>2,939,081.00</b>	<b>19,001.99</b>
<b>CUMULATIVE FY2001</b>	<b>88</b>	<b>8,493,349.00</b>	<b>53,867.69</b>
TOTAL HOMES SS (TOTAL LAST YEAR)	2001 1917	6 Certificate(s) of Occupancy issued this month)	
<b>MARTIN'S POINT</b>			
New	0		
* Add/Alt	0		
Other	0		
<b>TOTAL MP</b>	<b>0</b>		
<b>CUMULATIVE FY2001</b>			
TOTAL HOMES MP (TOTAL LAST YEAR)	187 176		
CAMA PERMITS	1		100.00
PLAN REVIEW FEE	22		1,705.00
ADD TO PERMITS	1		114.80
RE-INSPECTIONS	0		
ZONING BOOK/MAP	0		
<b>TOTAL MONTH</b>		<b>2,939,081.00</b>	<b>20,921.79</b>
<b>TOTAL YEAR</b>		<b>8,493,349.00</b>	<b>56,162.44</b>

Respectfully submitted,

Michael Hejduk  
Building Inspector

\* We will be reporting certificates of occupancy issued and possible additions to open permits for Martins' Point.

**TOWN OF SOUTHERN SHORES**

**TAX DEPARTMENT MONTHLY REPORT**

**MONTH:** September, 2001

**DATE:** October 2, 2001

COLLECTIONS

MONTH TO DATE

Current Year – 2001	\$	74,444.31
Prior Years – 1979-2000	\$	918.25
Interest	\$	116.16

YEAR TO DATE

Current Year – 2001	\$	230,0445.05
Prior Years – 1979-2000	\$	1,300.75
Interest	\$	236.81

**TOWN OF SOUTHERN SHORES  
TAX DEPARTMENT**

**DATE:** October 2, 2001

PICKUPS

July Levy	\$ 3,203.88
August Levy	\$ 4,114.08
B. Roughton	\$ 13.58
T Steadman	\$ 10.10
C Gomez	\$ 5.28
C Gomez	\$ 2.60
W Ghirardi	\$ 262.26
P Sneider	\$ 44.46
Real Estate Levy	\$877,747.70
Carolina Telephone	\$ 3,924.42
Va Electric Power	\$ 7,079.36

RELEASES

G Griggs	\$ 3.85
C McCallum	\$ 48.00
G Montagna	\$ .34
W McCloud	\$ 2.46
C Aycock	\$ 18.58
H Drylie	\$ 5.05
R Oliver	\$ 3.09
Dominion Cable	\$ 32.68
S Dowd	\$ 55.80
Diocese of East Ca	\$ 87.12
Diocese of East Ca	\$ 1,046.34
Johns Brothers	\$ 21.79
O B Menswear	\$ 15.59
C Russell	\$ 44.46
K Walters	\$ 262.26
S Wolf	\$ 68.20
S Wolf	\$ 62.00
S Wolf	\$ 55.80
Xerox Corp	\$ 5.57

TOTAL \$896,407.72

\$ 1,838.98

## Council Workshop Planning Board Recap

PLANNING BOARD MEETING RECAP

9/18/01

Prepared by Dan Shields for Council Workshop 9/25/01

The September meeting of the Southern Shores Planning Board was called to order at 7:30 P.M. Mon 17 September 2001. A quorum of the Board was in attendance.

1. The Planning Board continued the discussion of multiple buildings on commercial lots. A draft Zoning Ordinance amendment was proposed and is recommended to the Town Council for approval
2. Discussion of a proposed amendment for a lighting ordinance was discussed. A draft amendment was distributed for review. Further discussion will be held in the October meeting.
3. To help make site plan requirements more definitive, Mr. Green and Mrs. Smith will develop more positive Buffer and Landscape requirements for site plan preparation.
4. The Town's Land Use Plan is soon due to be updated. I have contacted the CAMA office to determine the status of a moratorium that exists. The new guidelines and schedule for update of the Plan will not be out for at least a year(August 2002). This will include a funding policy. Southern Shores will probably not be in the first schedule as there are other towns that have older plans.

Dan G. Shields

  
Chairman, Planning Board  
Southern Shores, NC

10/1/01

SOUTHERN SHORES FIRE DEPARTMENT  
15 S. Dogwood Trail  
Southern Shores, NC 27949

Dave Bakken, Chief

Jim Morrison, Chairman

MONTHLY REPORT TO TOWN -FIRE CALLS FOR 2001-02

CALLS ANSWERED	SEPTEMBER	FY2001-02
STRUCTURE 111	2	24
PROP O/S STRUCTURE 112	0	0
VEHICLE FIRE 131	0	0
BRUSH FIRE 142	1	10
EMS 311	14	64
RESCUE 300	0	10
VEHICLE ACCIDENT 322	1	16
SERVICE CALL 500	0	4
GOOD INTENT 600	3	3
FALSE MALFUNCTION 735	0	0
FALSE UNINTENTIONAL 740	13	28
HAZARDOUS CONDITION 400	1	2
OTHER 900	0	3
<b>TOTAL CALLS</b>	<b>35</b>	<b>164</b>
MUTUAL AID GIVEN	15	40
MUTUAL AID RECEIVED	4	38
CASUALTIES	0	0
PROPERTY LOSS \$	0	0
VOLUNTEER HOURS	935	3796

TOWN OF SOUTHERN SHORES  
Certificate  
of  
Special Appreciation

Is hereby awarded to: KEVIN DULGHER

The Town Council and the citizens of Southern Shores acknowledge your special contribution to our Town. You responded to the September 11 terrorist attack upon our nation by exercising outstanding initiative to display both patriotism and solidarity with fallen firefighter comrades and others that were victims of the attack. On September 15 and 16, 2001 you dressed in your firefighter turnout gear and stood at the East Fire Station waving our American flag. Your actions brought a large response of admiration and emotion from the many that saw you as they passed by. Your actions, taken on your own, are admirable and have brought great credit upon our Town, our Fire Department and you. You are an outstanding example of the young people that are the future of our Town. WE THANK YOU!

PRESENTED October 2, 2001



*Paul Suckler*

MAYOR  
ATTEST:

MAYOR PRO TEM

*Joseph R. Campbell*

COUNCILMAN

Town Clerk

COUNCILMAN

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TOWN OF SOUTHERN SHORES  
 POSITION CLASSIFICATION  
 PAY PLAN (SALARY STRUCTURE)EFFECTIVE  
 OCTOBER 1, 2001

PROPOSED: 9/28/01

GRADE	JOB TITLE	FLSA	MINIMUM	MID-POINT	MAXIMUM
12			17,658	21,463	26,088
13			18,540	22,536	27,393
14	Receptionist	N	19,468	23,663	28,762
	Maintenance Technician	N			
15			20,441	24,846	30,200
16			21,463	26,088	31,710
17			22,536	27,393	33,296
18	Administrative Support Assistant	N	23,663	28,762	34,961
	Police Records Specialist	N			
	Financial Support Assistant	N			
19	Police Officer/Police Specialist	N	24,846	30,201	36,709
20	Town Clerk	N	26,088	31,711	38,544
	Police Officer II	N			
21	Master Police Officer	N	27,393	33,296	40,471
22	Code Enforcement Officer	N	28,762	34,961	42,495
	Police Detective/Police Corporal	N			
23	Tax and Finance Technician	N	30,201	36,709	44,620
	Police Sergeant	N			
24	Code Enforcement Administrator	E	31,711	38,544	46,851
	Police Lieutenant	E			
25			33,296	40,472	49,193
26			34,961	42,495	51,653
27			36,709	44,620	54,236
28	Police Chief	E	38,544	46,851	56,947
29			40,472	49,194	59,795
30			42,495	51,653	62,785
31			44,620	54,236	65,924
32	Town Administrator	E	46,851	56,948	69,220
33			49,193	59,795	72,681
34	Town Manager	E	51,653	62,785	76,315
35			54,236	65,924	80,131



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Ordinance # 01-08-014

### AN ORDINANCE AMENDING THE ZONING ORDINANCE OF THE TOWN OF SOUTHERN SHORES

#### ARTICLE VII. SCHEDULE OF DISTRICT REGULATIONS

**WHEREAS** as shown in the history of the Town of Southern Shores as described by the developer Mr. David Stick, the Town of Southern Shores was established as a planned community of single family homes and the majority of its citizens, as indicated by a survey conducted by the Southern Shores Civic Association, continue to express their desire to preserve the single family home atmosphere of the town.

**WHEREAS** homes of large capacity, designed to serve short term vacation needs of multi-family groups, are inconsistent in a residential neighborhood occupied by single families, some on a year-round basis and are not desired as shown by various citizens' petitions, letters and e-mails.

**WHEREAS** significant health and safety issues may arise when large numbers of people are housed in structures designed for single family occupancy. A survey has indicated that almost half of the rental homes advertised for rent in Southern Shores have advertised for occupancy of more than the designed septic system capacity.

**WHEREAS** the impact on our neighboring surface waters (canals, Guinguite Creek, Atlantic Ocean and Currituck Sound) of large volume septic systems, especially those that are failing, are over utilized, under engineered or undersized.

**WHEREAS** the National Fire Protection Association (NFPA) Code 101 defines structures designed for occupancy by more than sixteen (16) persons as hotel or rooming houses which are subject to more stringent regulations than single family homes in regard to fire safety, such as sprinkler systems, multiple exits, signage and lighting.

**WHEREAS** the Town Council desires to protect the health, safety and welfare of its citizens, preserve the quality of life and preserve the property values and character of residential neighborhoods.

**NOW, THEREFORE BE IT ORDAINED** by the Town Council of the Town of Southern Shores that the Zoning Ordinances of the Town of Southern Shores be amended as follows:

**PART I.** Article III. Interpretation and Definition of Terms, Section 3.02 Definition of Specific Terms and Words is amended by adding the following definition of " Dwelling, Large Home":

"Any home containing more than seven (7) bedrooms (or rooms that could be considered as bedrooms using the Dare County criteria for determining septic system design) or septic system capacity for more than fourteen (14) people".

**Part II.** Article VII Schedule of District Regulations Section 7.01 RS-1 Single Family Residential District, B. Permitted Uses.

1. Change to read, "Detached single-family dwelling consisting of no more than seven (7) bedrooms or septic system capacity for more than fourteen (14) people."

Section 7.02 RS-8 Multi-Family Residential District, B. Permitted Uses,

Add, "9. Dwellings shall consist of no more than seven (7) bedrooms or septic system capacity for more than fourteen (14) people."

Section 7.03 RS-10 Multi-Family residential District, B. Permitted Uses,

Add, "1. Dwellings shall consist of no more than seven (7) bedrooms or septic system capacity for more than fourteen (14) people."

Section 7.04 R-1 Low Density Residential District, B. Permitted Uses,

1. Change to read, "Detached single-family dwelling consisting of no more than seven (7) bedrooms or septic system capacity for more than fourteen (14) people."

**PART III.** Article VII Schedule of District Regulations, Section 7.10 General Commercial District B. Permitted Uses is amended by adding:

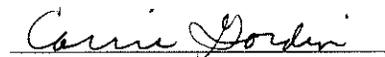
"9. Dwelling, Large Home"

**PART IV.** All ordinances or parts of ordinances in conflict with this ordinance are hereby repealed.

**PART V.** This ordinance shall be in full force and effect from and after the 2nd day of October 2001.

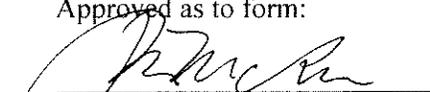
ATTEST:

  
Mayor

  
Town Clerk

Date: 10/2/01  
Vote: 5 Ayes 0 Noes

Approved as to form:

  
Town Attorney



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#01-10-013

## PROCLAMATION

### FIRE SAFETY WEEK 2001

**WHEREAS**, thousands of people in the United States die each year as a result of fire – most of them in their homes, and;

**WHEREAS**, the National Fire Prevention Association has sponsored fire prevention week for 79 years with this years theme “Cover the Bases and Strike Out Fire”, and;

**WHEREAS**, the theme combines America’s favorite past time baseball with important fire safety tips to teach children and their families how they can “cover the bases” to “strike out” preventable home fires, and;

**WHEREAS**, the baseball diamond position of first base covers kitchen safety, heating safety at second base, electrical safety at third base and home plate serves as a reminder to kids to conduct smoke alarm testing and home fire escape planning with parents and caregivers, and;

**WHEREAS**, just like baseball, fire prevention is a team game, and the Town Council of Southern Shores encourages parents to work closely with their children for fire safety.

**Now, Therefore, Be it Proclaimed** by the Town Council of Southern Shores that National Fire Prevention Week October 7-13, 2001 be honored and commend special thanks to the Nation’s volunteer and professional fire fighters, who frequently put themselves in harm’s way to protect the lives and the property of their fellow Americans. That we remember with grateful prayers those firefighters who have made the ultimate sacrifices in the line of duty, and;

**Further Be It Proclaimed**, the Town Council of Southern Shores supports and encourages all citizens to participate in the Southern Shores Volunteer Fire Department Open House to kick off National Fire Prevention Week on October 6, 2001 at 10AM to 2PM.

Adopted this 2nd day of October 2001.

  
Paul Sutherland, Mayor

ATTEST:

  
Carrie Gordin, Town Clerk