

# **AGENDA**

Atlantic Avenue Association
General Membership Meeting
Wednesday, January 29, 2025
Smartmouth Pilot House - 313 32nd Street (Parking on 33rd Street)

- 1. Welcome & Introductions
  - Worth Remmick & Rosemary Wilson here, Mayor Dyer also stopped by All discussed recent CIP meeting and increasing costs for all city projects.
  - Also working on 3 hour free parking for local VB residents
- 2. Minutes from the November meeting approved
- 3. Treasurer's Report \$13803.85
- 4. Membership and Website Report- memberships July-June, lots new members. Website updated. Join now.
  - 5. Atlantic Avenue \$48.1M to \$100M Improvements

City estimates have gone from 48M to 100M – need to revise plans

- Don't widen sidewalks
- Want to update sidewalks with clean new concrete (come out of maintenance)
- Add meters where possible
- Maybe have raised intersections

City Input hearing tomorrow Jan 30 at the convention center

## 6. Public Safety Update

Crime down except for thefts from automobiles. Have posters to remind folks to lock their cars.

## 7. Resort Area Updates -

## Proiects:

- 14<sup>th</sup> street pavements refurb coming along end of Feb completion
- 6<sup>th</sup> Street restroom similar design to others
- 31st park/stage coming along
- 20<sup>th</sup> street to 15<sup>th</sup> street wider beach

## Events:

- Shamrock Race
- Something in the Water working on a replacement event
- Jackalope Festival
- Point Break Festival

- 8. Shamrock Marathon J&A Racing March 14-16, 2025
  - Posters available to put up in businesses.
- Jackalope event organizers Presentation and Update May 30 – June 1 at 31<sup>st</sup> street 3<sup>rd</sup> year
- Upcoming IMG Beach Events beacheventsvb.com/calendar/ April 5 – Shecrab soup April 12 – Rodeo weekend
- 11. New/Old Business

Tim from Family Fun is creating a group to put together a way for Atlantic Ave Businesses to support and participate in all the events. Please contact him if you are interested in this new endeavor. tim@ffxtheater.com

12. Member updates and announcements

Adjournment

Please tag @visitatlanticavenue (Instagram) @atlanticavevb (Facebook) in all social media

# Our Tagline:

Making Community Vision and Dreams Come True.

#### **Our Mission:**

The Atlantic Avenue Association is a community-first organization that works to help build a vibrant Resort Area and promote entertaining, inspiring experiences for Virginia Beach residents and visitors.

### Our Vision:

To make Atlantic Avenue a thriving, year-round premier resort destination and flourishing hub for business.

## Goals:

- Forge a strong sense of pride and participation in our resort community with engaged and involved members working together toward stated and prioritized objectives.
- Activate a distinctively unique identity and sense of place that locals want to make a part of their lifestyles and visitors want to experience.
- Encourage a vibrant economic environment that offers an attractive diversity of entertainment options and inspiring experiences that reflect the richness of Virginia Beach's culture, art, and history.
- Assist and advise efforts that promote Atlantic Avenue as a premier destination through marketing, public relations, and special events.
- Speak with a unified voice about issues, opportunities, and solutions for Atlantic Avenue to City Officials and the Virginia Beach community.

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