

SESSION LAW 2018-69

ORDINANCE LIST FOR THE TOWN OF HOLDEN BEACH

Chapter 50 - Solid Waste: Imposes restrictions on accumulation and collection of solid waste; the burning and burying of garbage; and the transportation of waste materials.

Chapter 90 – Animals: Creates a bird sanctuary within the Town of Holden Beach; prohibits keeping or using livestock; prohibits keeping, harboring, breeding or trading any wild or exotic animal; imposes regulations on keeping animals and for dangerous pets; and establishes regulations for the Town Dog Park.

Chapter 91 – Fire Prevention: Prohibits any person or business to set or cause to be set any fire within the town and prohibits recreational fires, except those confined within containers manufactured specifically for such purpose. Imposes regulations for fire protection and prevention.

Chapter 92 – Nuisances: Designates conditions prohibited as nuisances to include accumulation of dead foliage, trees less than four inches in diameter, undergrowth, grass, weeds or similar vegetation; accumulation of household debris, trash, junk or unused items; standing surface water; storm or erosion damaged structures and resulting debris; and conditions that violate regulations of the County Health Department. Prohibits unreasonably loud noises and defines types of noises and method of measurement. Defines unlawful lights and types of lights permitted in different districts. Prohibits Beach Vitex (*Vitex Rotundifolia*) from being planted within the corporate limits of the town.

Chapter 93 – Junked Vehicles and Equipment: Prohibits abandoned vehicles, boats and other equipment from being exposed to public access and view.

Chapter 94 – Beach Regulations: Prohibits vehicles from the wetlands, beach strand and dunes; establishes frontal dune policies and regulations; and regulates the digging of holes on the beach strand. Requires all unattended beach equipment to be removed from the beach between the hours of 6:00 p.m. and 7:00 a.m.; prohibits surfboards within 500 feet of any fishing pier located on or adjacent to property within the town limits; and imposes regulations for net fishing and gill net fishing.

Chapter 95- Street: Sets minimum standards for street acceptance; regulates what may be placed in street rights-of-way; and establishes a preservation zone in the area of Hillside Drive.

Chapter 96 – Personal Watercraft Safety: Defines regulations for personal watercrafts.

Chapter 111 – Adult Clubs: Prohibits adult clubs.

Chapter 112 – Peddlers: Prohibits peddling.

Chapter 113 – Cable Television: Requires franchise to operate cable television system.

Chapter 130 – General Offenses: Prohibits discharge of firearms and hunting. Prohibits the sale and consumption of alcoholic beverages in the public streets, boulevards, alleys, parks, sidewalks

or public buildings within the town, unless approved by the Board of Commissioners. Prohibits public nudity, the sale or use of fireworks, littering and price gouging.

Chapter 151 – Building and Housing Regulations: Adopts the Building Code, Residential Building Code, Electrical Code, Heating Code and Plumbing Code and their amendments as standard codes. Requires building permits and provides regulations for application and issuance of permits. Requires work to be completed in strict conformity with provisions of the permit and approved plans, when plans are required. Provides regulations for construction litter. Prohibits land fill on canal property within 40 feet of mean high water or within 20 feet of mean high water of Intracoastal Waterway property unless a bulkhead has been constructed in accordance with the North Carolina Building Code. Requires all new or replacement electrical service connections to be installed using an underground electrical service connection. Regulates impact fees.

Chapter 151A – Minimum Housing Code: Establishes minimum standards for initial and continued occupancy of all buildings used for human habitation.

Chapter 153 – Coastal Area Management: Develops an implementation and enforcement plan for Coastal Area Management Act.

Chapter 154 – Flood Damage Prevention: Designates general provisions and regulates administration of the floodplain program.

Chapter 156 - Subdivision Regulations: Supports and guides the proper subdivision of land within the jurisdiction of the Town in order to promote the public health, safety and general welfare of citizens.

Chapter 157 – Zoning Code: Regulates and restricts the use of all structures, lands and waters within the town; regulate and restricts lot coverage, population density and distribution and the location and size of all structures within the town limits; and implements the Town Land Use Plan.

Chapter 158 – Stormwater Management: Establishes the authority of the town to administer and enforce stormwater regulations.