

# Public Comment For City Meetings

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**Comments for Council Meeting**

Good morning,

As things reopen, and may be not everybody is aware of the parking signals or forgot to pay \$2.50/ hour please show some mercy. I would like to mitigate my ticket PD200704459. I am usual visitor of Sullivan's Island, and I just tried IOP beach after so long, I'm also training for an Ironman and the day I got the ticket I was going to run to the beach. Are there any options that the police officers record of cars with absolute no record and show some mercy? Please let me know, thanks.

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## Comments for Council Meeting

I strongly opposes amending the law to allow IOP Beach Chair Company to use an ATV on the "Trash Truck Line" in Wild Dunes.

I have dealt with the management of this company on many occasions. I live Ocean Front on Summer Dunes Lane. I have dealt with them arriving very early in the morning, well before their allowed start time and working late at night, well after dark. As I sit here on Friday night May 7 I notice the IOP team picking up chairs and umbrellas in the pitch dark at 8:55 PM. From Katrina's statement in the meeting, they need the ATV for the "busy Memorial Day weekend and the summer months." So, I guess they are not busy now?

The problem isn't a need for an ATV. The problem is poor management. They need to hire more workers and train them properly. They need management out with the "young people" they tend to hire.

It is almost funny to watch their teams overload the beach carts and then push them around in the soft sand. It doesn't take a genius to figure out they could be much faster with a few more properly loaded carts that could be easily handled by 1 or 2 people. I note this is how the other beach chair company does their job, and they get it done pretty efficiently. I have never had a problem with the other company in nearly 8 years of living on the beach. I have had many discussions with IOP Beach Chair about their early/late hours and all the noise they make loading and unloading chairs.

If they don't have enough staff to get the chairs/umbrellas out, perhaps they should limit the number of chairs/umbrellas they rent.

IOP Beach Chair's hiring and management problems are not IOP City Council's problem to fix.

If you make this change it will only be a matter of time before they abuse the time and noise limits. They WILL NOT adhere to the 3 position drop Katrina stated in the meeting. They WILL NOT adhere to the hours Katrina stated in the meeting. On Summer Dunes Lane they abused the times they were allowed to be in Wild Dunes. When Dave Kynoski tried to limit the number of trucks they had on our street (multiple trucks and trailers) ...which blocked my access to our garages, and took up our guest spaces...they abused that privilege (limited to 1 truck/trailer) as well.

Enough was enough and Dave Kynoski made the decision to ban IOP Beach Chair Company from using Summer Dunes Lane.

I have been told they have been trying to work out agreements with any Regime to use as a base. Phillip Pounds said in the Safety meeting the Regimes need to get their act together. Maybe he needs to get his act together. If the Regimes/Wild Dunes do not want an agreement with the IOP Beach Chair Company, that is up to them.

As far as IOP Beach Chair using the "Trash Truck Line"...that is another problem. The killing of the vegetation by the Trash Truck has definitely created a "Trash Truck Line." I would strongly encourage the City to reroute the Trash Truck to an area outside the vegetated dunes. We requested that it be rerouted

from in front our homes on Summer Dunes Lane and the regrowth of the dunes has been substantial. The damage being caused by that truck to save a few minutes in drive time is terrible. I have to wonder if that damage is a violation of state law? If it isn't, it should be.

Again, this is not an issue for the City of Isle of Palms to handle by playing favorites with vendors. This is something that could be easily handled with proper management by the IOP Beach Chair Company.

I strongly oppose the motion to allow IOP Beach Chair Company to use an ATV on the Beach even as a temporary measure or for a test period of time.

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The owner of the home at 2407 Palm Blvd has completely gutted his house without permit. This is a problem for me as the home sits near mine and he has not gotten a dumpster. For a while they were pulling up to the back of the house at night and loading all of the drywall and debris into their vans. Later they became emboldened and have since been putting a large pile of construction debris on the street in front of my home on 25th Ave. every week. I am constantly picking up his construction trash from my yard. I have called the city building department and was told that he had a permit to build a pool, but not for the total gut job he has done on the interior of the house. He then tore off the asbestos siding from the exterior of the house without any abatement. I was trying to enjoy my porch one day and had to go inside as that stuff was blowing directly at my house. Again, I called the building department and spoke to William Seabrook. Last week, he removed old fence posts that still have the concrete attached to them and lined them down the street so that no one will park "on his property" as he told my son when he sent him a threatening text for legally parking on the side street. I have called City Services twice this week requesting that they pick up the construction debris and old fence posts from across the street and cannot get anyone to call me back. This individual does not live here, he has a Harlem, NY area code, but lives in Dunes West. He does not care about our community or his neighbors. We have spent a great deal of money on our property and live here full time. We try to keep our property as pristine as possible as do our other full-time neighbors. I would appreciate the owner of 2407 Palm Blvd. being held to the same set of standards that the rest of us are and for someone to please remove the unsightly fenceposts and concrete from the street.

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