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Subject: Re: Parking Issues and Resident Tourism Rebate

Alan,

With your story of today, coupled with the events spelled out below, change isn't happening. It happened.

As all are well aware, The House Ways and Means committee in Columbia is debating renewing this 1% tax. From my conversations today, should the House and Senate rush this s1122 bill through after your news article and the events of this week, City Council, The Mayors Office, et all will be a clean house in each successive election.

As you know, we have our ears close to the ground. The Resident's Rights movement has had 1300 sign ups in 2 days (all Myrtle Beach residents). The Change.org petition has had over 2,000 signatures in 3 days. This is no longer just a students' movement. Retirees that want a clean and accessible beach are fired up.

The cat is out of the bag. These locals know the TV media is in on it now. They do not like Dean at all. They saw the signs at the beach and yet, heard his statements. Grande Dunes is upset, Golden Mile is upset, Carolina Forest is upset, and Market Common is in arms as well.

10 major hotel owners and Burroughs and Chapin simply can not put up enough money in now to keep these locals at bay and get this team that works largely for them re-elected.

The residents want to be leveled with. After the way the news media gave cover over the water quality stories, (which showed their bias), and the parking issue, coupled with Shaunda Rhodes, County Police, Crime, the Lowes Food Store item, and now the funky Chinese money deal with more twists than a pretzel, residents are having no more of it. The fact that no local media would cover the Pascoe/Wilson story said volumes. It is the biggest news story of 2016.

SOON TO BE FOLLOWED BY YOURS HERE....

The trust level with the Myrtle Beach Area Chamber, This City, This County, and even our local TV media is now at its lowest. Check out the petition online at Change.org for yourself.

Thank GOD MyrtleBeachSC.com takes no money from this Chamber of Commerce. (We would much rather be called fake news stories by Mark Kruea and Brad Dean and the Myrtle Beach Chamber than lose the trust of the general public.) The other major media have some hard choices to make moving forward.

Insider relationships in Horry County and SC are a thing of the past.

Change isn't happening. It happened.

Sincerely,

David Hucks



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On Sat, May 14, 2016 at 3:59 PM, Myrtle Beach Minute <david@myrtlebeachsc.com> wrote:

Myrtle Beach Minute Myrtle Beach Bike Week News <https://youtu.be/7EIRbLKgXdk>

Great News. Myrtle Beach is going digital June 1st. Streaming from our studios, in OH and in MB, we will be doing daily online video news. The Myrtle Beach Minute is alive and now taking off. We ran this one <https://youtu.be/7EIRbLKgXdk> (which we archived on Youtube for posterity) today.

ALSO - Google News has accepted us as a lead Google News provider. We are very excited about that.

On Friday, members of the Horry County Students movement made us aware of the petition that they put up online: <https://www.change.org/p/free-parking-at-the-public-beach-access-in-myrtle-beach/c>

AFTERWARDS, several others connected with our news team stating they had concerns about new parking legislation.

A few leaders of that student movement have now put this Resident's Rights website up online: <http://residents4.wix.com/residentsrights>

Ann Dunham is actually the organizing mind behind Resident's Rights. We ran her story online Friday night. 5,072 local residents read, engaged, and followed her story.

While Ann's focus is only on helping locals get a \$1,000 tourism rebate: <http://www.myrtlebeachsc.com/locals-get-1000-new-plan/>

An entire group is just now forming that care about:

- FREE PARKING
- Clean Beaches
- \$1,000 Tourism Rebate

Ann informed me that she would be happy to speak with anyone in the media about the Resident's Tourism Rebate

I have attached her contact information if any would like to speak with her.

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