A community working together to make paradise our home....

**Emerald Isle Neighborhood Watch**

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**Our Mission**

The mission of the Emerald Isle Neighborhood Watch Program is to raise resident and visitor awareness and sensitivity to questionable activity while in Emerald Isle. People who are alert to various security issues enhance the safety of all residents, visitors and property. On behalf of the Police Department and people who live here or visit, we want to enlist you to serve as additional eyes and ears for our police department to enhance our mission.

*If you see something, Say something!*

Never approach or otherwise confront people engaged in suspicious activity.

Keep your residence and vehicles locked at all times even when just going to the beach.

- Do not leave valuables in view either in your vehicle or around your home.
- Secure your bicycle with a lock while shopping or at home.
- Create an inventory of valuables favored by burglars to include make, model, serial numbers, descriptions, photos, etc.
- Install a security alarm system or camera system in your home to protect your valuables.
- Install wide-angle peepholes for outside doors at heights everyone can use to prevent opening doors to strangers.
- Install motion detection lights to enhance outdoor security.
- Use timers to turn on outside and inside lights automatically at various times throughout the night.
- Be Observant and Report: Call 911 to report anything that you think is suspicious or unusual.
What’s happening in your ZONE?

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<td>Consume Alcoholic Beverage by Person &lt;19, 10300 Block of Coast Guard Rd. (juvenile petition)</td>
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**Crime Mapping**

The town is very pleased to be able to offer crime-mapping services to the community as part of our ongoing commitment to transparency. Citizens can access up to date crime information at: [https://www.crimemapping.com/](https://www.crimemapping.com/) or by going to the Town of Emerald Isle website and clicking on the “Crime Information” tab on the department’s webpage. If you have questions about the service, please feel free to contact the Emerald Isle Police Department at 252-354-2021 or email us at eipd@emeraldisle-nc.org.

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**In case you missed this last year...**

Click on the link to read the full story...this is Neighborhood Watch even if she didn’t know it: [https://www.wwaytv3.com/2019/09/10/emerald-isle-woman-unknowingly-runs-off-secret-service-agent-bomb-sniffing-dog/](https://www.wwaytv3.com/2019/09/10/emerald-isle-woman-unknowingly-runs-off-secret-service-agent-bomb-sniffing-dog/)
A LETTER FROM OUR NEIGHBORHOOD WATCH CHAIRMAN

To Our Neighborhood Watch Members and Others

We have all curtailed our activity as we continue to protect ourselves, family, friends, and community from this contagious virus, it brought to mind what additional could we do as individuals to this end. The following are not new thoughts and many of you may be doing these already as members of the Neighborhood Watch or more aptly put during these times "Watch Out For Our Neighbor" or not only watch out for our Neighbors property but our Neighbors well-being?

Is there an opportunity in our neighborhoods for us to assist others who cannot do for themselves or shut-ins while still practicing all the new social parameters we have now been faced with, could we provide groceries, a short errand, drug store pickup or a prepared meal pickup, provide a book or newspaper I am sure their many others like kindnesses we could perform.

As the quarantine continues many people may greatly miss the human touch that we have become so accustom to so it may be a friendly wave from your deck or your walk on the beach, a text message or an E mail that provide positive reinforcement.

I know that we are all looking for the "light at the end of this tunnel" and how we as Neighborhood Watch members share ourselves can be part of that light and I believe can we make a difference.

Good Health to All,

Tom Rule

Chairman of Neighborhood Watch
Now for some much needed laughs followed by redundant information!😊

Me after I eat all of my quarantine snacks in one night

When you find out your normal daily lifestyle is called “quarantine”

Now that we have everyone washing their hands correctly.

Next Week: Turn Signals!!!

DON'T LISTEN TO THEM

YOU CAME TO THE WRONG NEIGHBORHOOD

I THINK YOU'RE FINTASTIC

When your kids keep telling a story

And it won't end

BEFORE YOU MARRY A PERSON

YOU SHOULD FIRST MAKE THEM USE A COMPUTER WITH SLOW INTERNET TO SEE WHO THEY REALLY ARE

THAT'S THE END!

THANKS FOR LISTENING... OH AND KEEP CLAPPING!
PROTECT YOURSELF FROM CORONAVIRUS SCAMS

Report scams to the North Carolina Department of Justice at ncdoj.gov/complaint or 1-877-5-NO-SCAM.

DON'T BUY MIRACLE CURES

According to health officials, no product exists that will prevent you from getting the coronavirus or cure you if you already have the virus. The best way to protect yourself is by taking common-sense health precautions. Beware of people selling cure-all vaccines, drugs, or any other products. Consult with a doctor or health professional before you buy. Remember - if it seems too good to be true, it probably is.

DON'T FALL FOR ROBOCALLS

We're seeing reports of robocallers ramping up their efforts to steal your money with coronavirus-related scam calls. Don't fall for calls pretending to be from your health insurance company, health experts, the government, or people offering cure-all products or solutions for the virus. Report robocalls to ncdoj.gov/norobo or 1-844-8-NO-ROBO.

BEWARE OF PHISHING ATTEMPTS

Be careful about where you get your information. Stick to trusted resources for updates, including NCDHHS and the CDC. Watch out for phishing emails and texts about the coronavirus that appear to be from health or government officials, and don't open or download anything or share information with others unless you've verified who you're communicating with.

AVOID CHARITY SCAMS

Make sure that any donations you give are going to real charities addressing the coronavirus, not scammers. Verify charities through the North Carolina Secretary of State, BBB Wise Giving Alliance, Charity Watch, or Charity Navigator. Ask how your donation will be used, and pay by credit card for security and tax record purposes.

BE A SMART SHOPPER

Take a moment before you buy in-demand items like hand sanitizers, face masks, cleaning products, or groceries. Don't overstock on supplies you may not need. Before you make a purchase, check with your doctor to confirm whether you actually need it. Check company/product reviews before you buy, and avoid high-pressure or time-limited offers. North Carolina's price gouging law is in effect, which makes it illegal to charge too much during a crisis. Report potential price gouging at ncdoj.gov/gouging or 1-877-5-NO-SCAM.
COVID-19 Financial Resources

Organizations offering additional information:

Carteret Community College Small Business Resource Center
Phone: 252-222-6123
Email: sbc@carteret.edu
https://www.ncsbc.net/center.aspx?center=75090

Economic Development Partnership of North Carolina
Phone: 919-447-7777
https://edpnc.com/nc-business-relief-resources-covid-19/

Carteret County Chamber of Commerce
Phone: 252-726-6350

Federal Programs

Care Act / Paycheck Protection Program
The Paycheck Protection Program prioritizes millions of Americans employed by small businesses by directing $349 billion towards job retention and business operating expenses
https://www.sba.gov/funding-programs/loans/paycheck-protection-program#section-header-2

Various links that provide a summary of the Paycheck Protection Program:
https://mcusercontent.com/5cf2b6d8310e43b9826cc09cf/files/a9495d13-123a-4c44-9205-c1f0e513a791/The_Small_Business_Owners_Gu.pdf


https://thefederalist.com/2020/03/31/heres-how-to-apply-for-a-coronavirus-loan-for-your-small-business/

Small Business Administration
Disaster Loan Assistance
https://covid19relief.sba.gov/#/
North Carolina Programs

NC Rapid recovery Loan / Supported by Gold Leaf Foundation
NOTE: This program has received applications in excess of our current funding and are actively seeking additional funding to expand the program. Applications already submitted are being processed in the order they were received. You are welcome to continue with your application, and we will review it as additional funding becomes available.
https://ncrapidrecovery.org/

Other Programs

Facebook Small Business Grants Program
We know that your business may be experiencing disruptions resulting from the global outbreak of COVID-19. We’ve heard that a little financial support can go a long way, so we are offering $100M in cash grants and ad credits to help during this challenging time
https://www.facebook.com/business/boost/grants?ref=alias

Tax Relief
Federal Government
https://www.irs.gov/coronavirus

North Carolina

Unemployment
NC Unemployment Insurance – COVID-19 Change

North Carolina Restaurant Workers Relief Fund
https://www.ncrestaurantrelief.com/learn-more
# Upcoming Events

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<td>Coffee with a Cop</td>
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<td>Golf Cart Safety</td>
<td>Will post when new Classes are scheduled!</td>
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<td>Rules &amp; Regulations</td>
<td>All classes are in the town’s board meeting room at the police department!</td>
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Neighborhood Watch Board Meeting
Canceled

Town Board Meeting!
May 12th
6PM

7th Annual Emerald Isle Marathon, Half-Marathon, & 5K Races
Rescheduled for October 31, 2020
Saturday, March 28, 2020
Start Time: 7:00 AM

May 25th
The police department offers **FREE** bicycle registration to all residents. You can either come by the police department or go online to: [https://www.emeraldisle-nc.org/bike-registration-program-1](https://www.emeraldisle-nc.org/bike-registration-program-1) and fill out the application. You will receive a unique sticker to put on your bicycle and your information will be stored in our database that will help our officers identify it as yours in the event that your bicycle is lost or stolen.

### Beach Permits
For more information or to find the online application, go to [https://www.emeraldisle-nc.org/beach-driving-permit-application](https://www.emeraldisle-nc.org/beach-driving-permit-application), or call EIPD at 252-354-2021.

Permits **MUST** be affixed to the driver’s side, lower left corner of the windshield and **ALL** previous years stickers must be removed.

### Get your Beach Permits ONLINE!
- Keep track of what is going on in the community
- Receive real time information about scams
- Get instant emergency announcements and alerts
- Receive reminders about upcoming events
- Keep up with the happenings of your police department.

[https://www.facebook.com/eipd1/](https://www.facebook.com/eipd1/)

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**ALL Golf Cart Registrations expire on January 1st of each year!**
To renew you must provide current proof of Insurance. Fees are $100.00

### How do I renew my golf cart or register a new one?

- **Online**
  - At [https://www.emeraldisle-nc.org/golf-card-registration-program](https://www.emeraldisle-nc.org/golf-card-registration-program)
- **In Person**
  - At the police department

We will begin accepting requests for renewals and new registrations for 2020 on December 1st, 2019. Attend our Golf Cart Safety, Rules and Regulations class and you will receive a discount card good for $25.00 off the price of your registration. Classes offered beginning in December.