



MANHATTAN BEACH CIVIC ASSOCIATION
Board Meeting Minutes
November 18, 2025

Board Officers and Directors Present:

Jeff Dustin – President
Matt Davis – Vice-President
Jed Kling – Treasurer
Jeremy Merrill – Secretary

Directors: Michelle Ford, Michele Kendus, Jackson Sieglinger, Beth Sieglinger, Patrick LaShier, Angela Bell, John Doud, Kevin Cox, Meg Davis

Meeting called to order by President Dustin at 7:20 pm.

President's Report: No Report

Vice-President's Report: No Report

Treasurer's Report:

Total Balance	\$65,202
FY25 Total Expenditures to date	\$58, 651
FY25 Total Revenue to date	\$32,336

- The first FY26 SCDB disbursement (\$92,700) should be processed on Tuesday, November 24th

Secretary's Report: The president and secretary will attend the Magothy Marina annual owners meeting on December 13th.

Old Business:

- Eagle Scout Cody Gleason completed the kayak rack on Dividing Beach.
- Jeff continues to work with several marine construction companies on competitive bids to mitigate the beach erosion at Dividing and Oak grove beaches. Mentioned that one bidder dropped out due to internal issues.
- Managing the website continues to be challenging. Will be exploring two different web design companies to determine how to overhaul the website to ensure it is both functional and cost effective to manage.

New Business:

- Angela is having a mock-up done for MBCA swag that members can purchase. Angela also proposed a t-shirt design contest in the Spring. Christmas ornaments were also brought up. A “sip and paint” to create the ornaments was proposed.
- Jeremy Merrill proposed adding a virtual option for the community meetings. The board voted 13-0 in favor of looking into options. Jed offered the use of a streaming service he already has available to him and a camera. Jeremy will utilize a MailChimp survey to gauge interest within the community.
- Environmental committee planted the 15 shrubs at Dividing beach as required by the county. Beth is coordinating with the county Forester to inspect the plantings, and release the MBCA \$3K bond from several years ago.

Meeting Adjourned at 7:49 PM

Meeting Minutes taken and submitted by Secretary Jeremy Merrill