

# **NAGS HEAD SURF FISHING CLUB**

## **July 18th, 2022**

Ben Cahoon, Mayor  
Town of Nags Head  
P.O. Box 99  
Nags Head, NC 27959

Dear Mayor Cahoon,

The Nags Head Surf Fishing Club will be hosting its 70th Invitational Surf Fishing Tournament on October 5th, 6th and 7th this year. Being our seventieth anniversary we are very excited and planning to add some nostalgic twists. We are requesting the "Temporary Three Day Beach Driving Permits" for our tournament again this year. We will have our traditional 80 teams again and need three for each team. In the past we haven't used all the judges permits you've granted us, so we would request 25 permits for them. Our rules only allow three trucks, on the beach, per team during the tournament, regardless if team members have additional permits. And the Town permit must be displayed in windshield. Our judges and team captions enforce this rule along with all others.

Our Club was founded to host this tournament to bring people here in the "shoulder season" and promote sportsmanship. Many of our teams and participants still come from out of town. Some are here for the week and bring other visitors along. Certainly the shoulder season has changed and we now share the beach with other visitors. We focus on sharing the beach with others during our captions and judges meetings. The team captions and participants are responsible for public relations on the beach and represent our Club on the beach. Our Head Judge will again ask Officer Jimmy Pierce to speak at the Captions meeting. We believe this is very important and highlights the safety and respectfulness that is required while driving on the beaches of Nags Head. Additionally our communication with Officer Pierce and

other Town officials during the tournament helps us hold successful event every year. Thank you Town of Nags Head!

We would like the permits and associated pamphlets by September 16th, 2021. This will allow us time to properly document the distribution of the permits to into each teams registration package.

Sincerely,  
Dave Masters Jr.  
252-489-3351

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