

Lee Feldman

From: Scott Wyman
Sent: Wednesday, July 22, 2015 10:54 AM
To: Rick Maglione
Subject: fishing on the beach

Maj. – Could you get me some background here. The below individual, Nanci Alexander, is now seeking for the commissioner to propose rewriting city ordinance to prohibit daytime fishing north of NE 23rd Street. Parks and the city attorney's office say north of 23rd is not considered public beach and thus around-the-clock fishing is allowed. Could you get me some information on what happened below? Were we not allowing daytime fishing in that area and then found code allowed it? What happened? Have you all witnessed any problems with fishing there?

Scott Wyman

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From: Scott Wyman
Sent: Thursday, June 11, 2015 1:58 PM
To: Dean Trantalis (dean@trantalis.com)
Subject: FW: clarification of 8-75 and any other regs applicable to fishing on the beach (e.g. 7.4)

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From: nancibonnie@aol.com [mailto:nancibonnie@aol.com]
Sent: Thursday, June 11, 2015 1:24 PM
To: Cynthia Everett
Cc: Jack Seiler; Dean Trantalis
Subject: clarification of 8-75 and any other regs applicable to fishing on the beach (e.g. 7.4)

Dear Ms. Everett,

Recently, several Sgts. including Sgt. Harvey Jacques whom I spoke with on 6/11/15 have failed to enforce 8-75. Sgt. Jacques claims the regulation only applies to public beaches and North of N.E. 23rd St is not a public beach.

Living at Sappphire for 5 years I try to take daily walks on the beach. I have called the police department when I see a violation of the regulation.

This issue has been addressed with the Chief at least a year ago and I thought the police department was clear about the interpretation.

Until 6/8 when I received a call telling me they would no longer respond to the calls north of N.E.23rd St. I believe it was Officer Jim Hancock

and confirmed by Sgt. Jacques on 6/11. Sgt. Jacques also told me that I could be cited for harassment if I called.

Fishing creates a dangerous situation for families enjoying the beach. Frequently fishing poles are left standing in the sand unattended. In addition, nets, poles, hooks and other fishing equipment is left on the sand unattended.

Owning several properties in Ft. Lauderdale, including Sublime Restaurant, I would appreciate clarification. Is the beach north of N.E. 23rd St. public?
I believe so and that the regulation to prohibit fishing on the beach during certain hours applies.

Sincerely,
Nanci Alexander

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From: James Wildman <james@arff.org>
Sent: Monday, August 10, 2015 11:54 PM
To: Dean Trantalis
Subject: Fishing Regulations

Dear Commissioner Trantalis:

I am writing to request that you support extending fishing regulations between NE 23rd Street and Oakland Park Boulevard. As a frequent visitor to that area of beach, the sight of fishermen is a blight to any otherwise peaceful, family-friendly locale. Besides the threat to swimmers including young children, the fishing lines and hooks also pose a danger to other wildlife including sea turtles. And, fish remnants discarded in the ocean can attract sharks to these waters. Please support extending the fishing regulations just as they are south of that area between NE 18th Street and NE 23rd Street.

Thank you,

James Wildman

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Oakland Park, FL 33334

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From: Jim Dunn <jwdunn333@gmail.com>
Sent: Monday, August 17, 2015 10:29 AM
To: Dean Trantalis
Subject: fishing regulations

Dear Mr. Trantalis,

I'd like to encourage you to support the extension of fishing regulations to between NE 23 St and Oakland Park Boulevard just as they are south of that area. Fishing in this area is just as bad an idea as fishing further south.

Thank you,
Jim Dunn
694 Middle River Dr.
Fort Lauderdale

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From: Scott Wyman on behalf of Dean Trantalis
Sent: Monday, August 17, 2015 2:08 PM
To: Scott Wyman
Subject: FW: Please enforced daytime fishing regulations on the beach

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From: Colleen Ferro [mailto:realtorcolleensells4u@comcast.net]
Sent: Monday, August 17, 2015 11:31 AM
To: Dean Trantalis
Subject: Please enforced daytime fishing regulations on the beach

Dear Commissioner Trantalis,

The City of Fort Lauderdale should enforce the fishing regulations on the beach all the way up to Oakland Park Boulevard. Regulations restricting daytime fishing are necessary because of dangers it poses to beachgoers. Also, turtles and other wildlife can get caught in nets and hooks. Those who fish in this area often discard fish remnants, hooks & line along the beach, in the water and by the picnic tables. Remnants discarded in the water will attract sharks.

Appropriate regulations exist south of NE 23 Street, but regulations should extend to the public area north of NE 23 Street, where increasing numbers of locals and tourists enjoy the beach. This popular area of the beach offers public parking, showers, picnic tables and benches, and fishing regulations should extend to this area to protect the tourists, the wildlife and the locals.

Thank you,

Colleen Ferro

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From: Holly <empty.the.cages@gmail.com>
Sent: Monday, August 17, 2015 12:59 PM
To: Dean Trantalis
Subject: Fishing Regulations on the Beach

Dear Commissioner Trantalis,

I am writing as a resident of the City of Fort Lauderdale to urge you to support extending daytime fishing regulations between NE 23 Street and Oakland Park Blvd, just as they are south of that area. Daytime fishing can attract predators which puts swimmers at risk. Additionally, fishing line and hooks are often discarded and can entangle and injure marine life. The beaches between NE 23 Street and Oakland Park Blvd are heavily populated during the day. Thus, in order to protect beach goers it should have the same fishing regulations as the south part of the city.

Thank you for your consideration and I look forward to your reply.

Kindly,
Holly Jones

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Holly Jones

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From: Pjcarron <pjcarron@aol.com>
Sent: Monday, August 17, 2015 1:33 PM
To: Dean Trantalis
Subject: Fishing regulations north of NE 23rd

Mr Trantalis,

I support stricter fishing regulations north of 23rd Street. Fishermen are abusing the geography to the detriment of the swimming public. I actually saw a pelican with a fish hook and line stuck in its eye north of 23rd. I ask you to support stricter fishing regulations to Oakland Park Blvd.

I would love to know your position on this.

Patrick Carron
219-477-7038 cell
Wilton Manors, FL

Sent from my iPhone

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From: Shirley Huskey <chichiluna@mac.com>
Sent: Monday, August 17, 2015 2:55 PM
To: Dean Trantalis
Subject: Fishing regulations In Fort Lauderdale
Attachments: PastedGraphic-1.pdf

Dear Commisioner Trantalis,

As a runner and walker that loves and enjoys our lovely Fort Lauderdale Beach at Sunrise at least four times per week, I have become aware of the perils and effect that fishing along the shore represents for us beach lovers. Fishing remnants get carelessly discarded, hooks and nets present danger to turtles, wildlife and us humans who may distractedly step on them as we look up to admire the sunrise.

Appropriate regulations exist south of NE 23rd Street, but do not extend to the public area north of NE 23rd Street, where increasing number of locals and tourists enjoy the beach. The area offers public parking, showers, picnic tables and benches, and fishing regulations should extend to this area.!

I am writing to ask that you support extending fishing regulations between NE 23 St and Oakland Park Boulevard just as they are south of that area.

Sincerely,

Shirley Huskey

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From: Jeremy Shock <jeremy@jeremys shock.com>
Sent: Monday, August 17, 2015 7:21 PM
To: Dean Trantalis
Subject: Extending Fishing Regulations

Comissioner Trantalis,

I'm contacting you today to encourage you to support stricter fishing regulations on Fort Lauderdale Beach. The fishing restrictions that are in place to protect the beach between 18th and 23rd streets should be extended to include the beach north to Oakland Park Blvd. The stretch of beach in question is frequented by many tourists and locals who wish to enjoy our beaches in a more quiet way than that offered south of Sunrise Blvd. Fishing on the beach causes an unsafe situation for both beach-goers and wildlife.

Regulations restricting daytime fishing north of 23rd street are needed due to the dangers it creates.

Sincerely

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Jeremy Shock