



BEACH NOURISHMENT UPDATE

December 31, 2020

HAPPY NEW YEAR



Our Storm Damage Reduction Project continues in full swing as Weeks Marine worked throughout the holiday to keep the dredging and sand placement moving forward. The dredge *Borinquen* completed its work in Topsail Creek and the “Cut Through” Channel near the inlet for safer and quicker access. Sand placement on the beach started

around the Drum Avenue access moving south. That section has been completed and Weeks Marine has shifted its efforts moving north from Drum Avenue and is nearing the Crocker Avenue access. To date nearly 350,000 cubic yards of sand have been placed on our beach strand!

Over the coming days, Weeks Marine will continue to move north towards the Jolly Roger Pier. While every effort is made to move quickly down the beach, there will be times that the *Borinquen* will have to move and connections reset, but rest assured work is still underway.

The safety of our residents, visitors, and workers is our Number 1 Priority. While the work is fascinating to see in action, please remember that these are work zones and can be dangerous. The Town of Topsail Beach and Weeks Marine are taking every precaution to keep the work zone safe, but there will be heavy equipment and fast-moving water in these areas. **For your safety and the safety of the workers, please avoid any designated work areas.**



For More Information

Weekly progress maps are posted online for everyone to see. We will also periodically post new pictures and videos of the progress. Be sure to visit our website at www.topsailbeach.org and look for the icon below for more information. Also watch for us on Facebook and Twitter!

