

Town of Edisto Beach

# Monthly Highlights

February 2023



## IMPORTANT

Signup for  
CodeRed Weather  
Alerts by selecting  
the button below.



And subscribe to  
the Edisto Beach  
Website [HERE](#).

## Pump Station B Improvements Begin

The Town takes one step closer toward its goal of improving the Town sewer system by upgrading the pumps at Lift Station Pumps A and B with larger pumps that can handle more capacity. Improvements will allow the system to properly accommodate the existing and allocated sewer demand. The Town received a grant of \$500,000 from the Rural Infrastructure

Authority to help fund the pump station upgrade. The Town has also applied for the SC Infrastructure Improvement Grant in the maximum amount of ten million dollars. These funds, if awarded, will be applied to assist in the funding for the wastewater system upgrades of plant, forcemain, and pump station project.



## Iris Hill Honored at Retirement Party



Town Administrator Iris Hill was honored at her Retirement Party on January 20th with a Resolution signed by the Colleton County Legislative Delegation. Those honoring Ms. Hill included Al Jenkins from Senator Tim Scott's Office, State Senator Cromer, Mayor Crawford Moore, former Mayor Jane Darby, and former Council Member Archie Johnston. On January 12th,

Town Council approved Resolution 2023-01 in appreciation and recognition of Ms. Hill's many years of exemplary service to the Town of Edisto Beach. Read the full resolution [HERE](#).

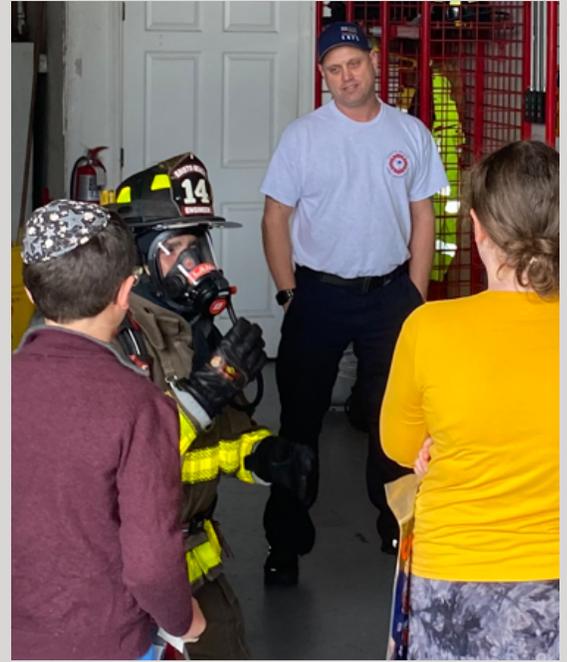
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## Fire Safety Instruction

As part of the Town's Community Risk Reduction program, the Edisto Beach Fire Department offers tours and presentations to the public with age-appropriate fire safety and prevention programs such as:

- free fire safety backpacks with fire safety handouts
- tour of the fire station and fire trucks
- fire turnout gear demonstration and kids gear try-on
- fire extinguisher demonstration upon request.

The safety program is a fun and entertaining education tool to teach children the dangers of fire and the necessary safety precautions.



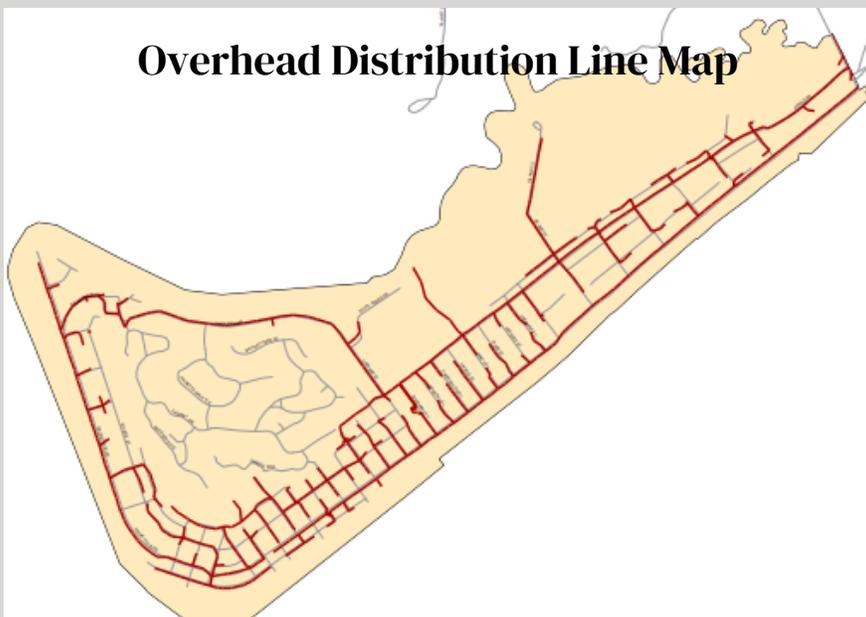
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## Dominion Energy Begins Quinquennial Tree Trimming

Every five years Dominion Energy trims back tree limbs to ensure all overhead distribution service lines are free of vegetation. Dominion Energy has contracted with "Looks Great Service" for this work. These efforts are critical to ensure that power can be restored as quickly as possible when the Town endures storm-related power outages. Any questions or comments related to the tree trimming should be directed to the Dominion Energy customer service number (1-800-251-7234)



**Overhead Distribution Line Map**



Additional Information:

- [LINK](#) to Overhead Distribution Map
- Dominion Energy Tree Trimming [FAQs](#)
- Tree clearance [GRAPHIC](#)

# Starfish Awards

Dee Stalvey, the Town's Municipal Clerk, was recognized for her assistance to residents in sharing CodeRed and emergency notification sign-up information. An Edisto Beach resident commented on Mrs. Stalvey's patience and poise in providing this information during the hectic winter freeze situation.

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Patrick Zemp, Utilities Director, was recognized for his great work during the winter freeze in December. An Edisto Beach resident noted Mr. Zemp's expertise, professionalism, and courteous and smiling attitude as he worked to shut off water supplies to homes and handled all the various problems associated with the cold weather. Thank you, Patrick!

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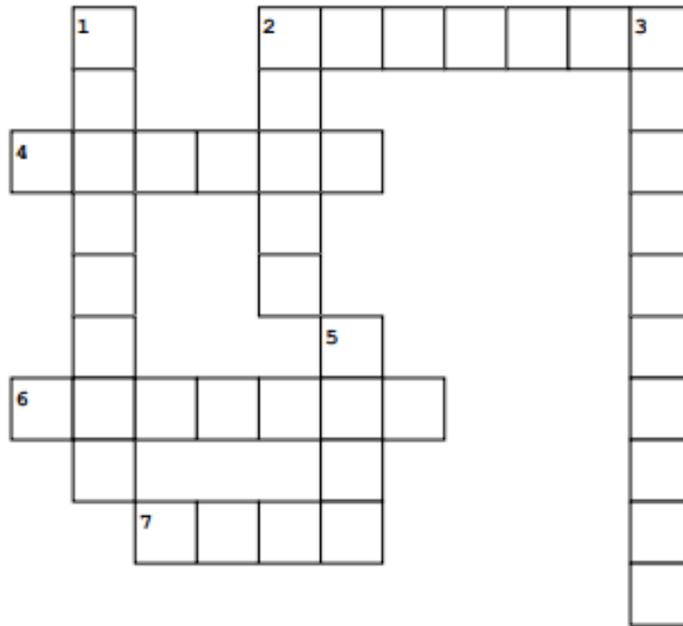


# Emergency Access Decals

Edisto Beach Property Owners should apply to receive the 2023 Emergency Access Decal. As a reminder, in the event of a government-ordered evacuation, the decal will streamline re-entry to Edisto Beach. Additional information and an application can be found [HERE](#). Completed applications may be dropped off at Town Hall, mailed, or emailed to [dstalvey@townofedistobeach.com](mailto:dstalvey@townofedistobeach.com).



# Edisto Beach Crossword Puzzle



## Across

- 2. EDISTO BEACH FORM OF GOVERNMENT
- 4. FIRE DEPARTMENT TRUCK TYPE
- 6. WATER TREATMENT, REVERSE...
- 7. NUMBER OF EDISTO BEACH COUNCIL MEMBERS

## Down

- 1. LABORDAY WEEKEND EVENT
- 2. TRICK OR TREAT ON THE...
- 3. EDISTO BEACH NESTING SEA TURTLE TYPE
- 5. NUMBER OF EDISTO BEACH POLICE OFFICERS

## Answer Key

