Q&A:

Q: What to do about conservation easement?

Need to formalize access for the various monitors, agencies, etc. Will need to build right-of-way to access beach to build stuff. Need to give them the name of the chair of the HOA’s.

Q: Time schedule: grants approved by first of the year. Will need some time to work out coordination between agencies. F&W like it done within a year of the grant.

County is supportive of using East River Barge as depot for rock.

Q: Mike is point person of grant. (Mike from DCR.) Responsible for delivery of project. Perhaps Mathews County? John Shaw is point person.

Q: Dredging sand? Horn Harbor is a possibility. County is working with COE to determine where sand should be. HH is next reasonable place to dredge. But depends on congressional funding. Nothing specific we should do right now. We are #1 on county’s priority list to get sand. Also helps that owners don’t own to the shoreline – they don’t need to deal with each individual owner. The grant process lends momentum to us. York Spit is kind of far, Davis Creek wasn’t shovel ready. But there is some other material available from stimulus plans: Winter Harbor is a depot of sand. There are other possible sand locations as well, but quality of sand matters a lot for Tiger Beetle and us as well. F&W is doing analysis plan of sand for Tiger Beetle.

Use restrictions: do the owners know about it? Some possibilities: leashing dogs, no taking sand, no sand castles or deep holes. JOE: HIGHLIGHT THIS IN NEXT MINUTES!

Want to share best practices with people on sand preservation.

HOA needs to put together list of things we do on beach we want to keep doing to set up for negotiation on either side.