

## SAND DELIVERY NOTICE

**May 1, 2017**

### **To the Nantucket Community:**

In accordance with our Order of Conditions with the Nantucket Conservation Commission, Siasconset Beach Preservation Fund (SBPF) will be delivering sand to the erosion protection project at 85/87 Baxter Road beginning Tuesday, May 2, 2017 and continuing on and off over the next week or possibly two. The last sand delivery period was in December 2015 and early 2016.

### **Work To Be Done:**

- The sand that is delivered to the top of the bluff is pushed over and then placed on top of the geotube system. Some of the sand at the project is designed to wash away in large storms in a manner that mimics natural erosion, contributing sand to what is known as the littoral system of sand moving north and south along the beach. This process assures that the prevention of the erosion of the protected bluff does not deprive nearby beaches of sand that may have been received from the natural bluff erosion process.
- A large stockpile of sand is placed on top of the geotubes during annual deliveries. That sand is used to re-cover the geotube system after large storms which typically expose lower levels of the geotubes.

Check out our website; [www.sconsetbeach.org](http://www.sconsetbeach.org), Facebook page; [facebook.com/SconsetBeach](https://facebook.com/SconsetBeach) and Twitter; [@sconsetbeach](https://twitter.com/sconsetbeach) for updates.

### **Work Locations:**

- Work will take place at both the base and the top of the bluff
- Large scale construction equipment will access the project area from Hoicks Hollow
- In both locations (in order to keep the work site safe), certain areas will temporarily be off-limits and marked with signage as “**Restricted Zones – No Unauthorized Entry**”
- A police detail will be on site during busy periods of work on top of the bluff, especially during the delivery of sand; we will make every effort to maintain a safe area where visitors can observe the work in progress at a safe distance from construction equipment, but this may not always be possible.
- The trucks delivering sand will travel from Milestone Road to West Sankaty Avenue (via New Street for some of the trips) to Sankaty Avenue (Polpis Road) to Bayberry Lane to Baxter Road.

### **Hours of Operation:**

- Hours of construction at the base of the bluff will generally be from first light until dark; depending on weather and field conditions, there may be night work under lights
- Hours for sand delivery at top of bluff are 7:00 AM to 30 minutes after dark, Monday through Saturday; no sand delivery on Sunday.

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**How to Contact Us:**

If you have any questions or concerns please contact our Construction Manager, Jamie Feeley of Cottage & Castle at: 508-825-8825; email [jamie@cottageandcastleinc.com](mailto:jamie@cottageandcastleinc.com); 37 Old South Road Unit #6, Nantucket, MA 02554

Thank you for your interest in this project. We apologize for any inconvenience or disruption to our community. We will make every effort to operate as efficiently as possible so that the sand delivery can end as quickly as possible.

**Siasconset Beach Preservation Fund**

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