

Update: True or False

Statement: The revetment will cause irreparable harm to the Borough

FALSE: The revetment is a portion of a multi-faceted approach to protecting the Borough:

- 1. Steel revetment is a last resort measure to address a catastrophic failure of the beach.**
- 2. With the Corps project, there will be plenty of sand in front of the steel.**
 - 350 ' under conditions of initial construction
 - Once equilibrium is reached and at the end of the typical re-nourishment cycle 252.5 feet , consisting of ;
 - 92.5' of dune crest and dune foreslope
 - 75' of beach berm at elevation 8.5 NAVD 88
 - 85' of beach foreslope
- 3. The steel will be buried– hopefully we will never see it again.**
- 4. Rocks would be nice, but we cannot afford it.**
- 5. The Borough is receiving a 12-13 million benefit at NO COST to residents.**

Statement: The steel revetment is making “someone rich”

FALSE: The OPEN bid for the steel project was awarded to the lowest bidder on April 11.

- 1. Followed NJ State Law on Bidding and also the Federal Rules.**
- 2. It is fully funded by the Federal Govt and the State with associated oversight.**
- 3. It is protecting our property values.**

Statement: This is what the revetment will look like



- **FALSE:** This rendering is irresponsible and unlikely to ever occur– to have a similar situation would require a catastrophic failure of the beach.

Statement: The revetment and beach replenishment project is never going to happen.

FALSE: Anticipated Approximate schedule of construction of wall : Mid-May to Mid-October 2014 Beachfill : Approximate construction period of Corps project - November 2014 to May 2015.

Statement: The beach will not be accessible this summer



FALSE: As soon as the revetment contractor is on board, we will work with them to develop a systematic schedule that provides as much access to the beach as possible. Our public works team will also push as much sand as possible and ready the public access points for entry.

Statement: People are not rebuilding in the Borough



FALSE: Building is well under way. Numerous beach front homes are under construction. Many more have been issued permits.

Statement: There is road debris in the Sand they placing on the dunes.



TRUE: Unfortunately, there is small amounts of road debris mixed in with the sand. We have asked the contractor to better screen the materials before placing on the dunes. We have very little alternative as the dunes are still weak in many spots. As soon as the sand “comes back” our public works crew will push as much as they can.

Statement: Route 35 will wreck our summer



HOPEFULLY NOT: The DOT and the Contractor AGATE, will stop all work on May 22 and resume after Labor Day.

Statement: George Nebel is going to stay in Florida



FALSE: He's back. In George's absence, Steve has done a great job running the meetings and handling the in's and out's, but George is back.... Until it drops below 30 again.