

Public Works Department

Monthly Report for January 2019

Director Pitts stated that household garbage was comparable to the volume in 2018, but debris was higher. Eadie's started another annual cycle of cleaning the island's ditches. The Director reported that the drop inlet at 29th and Palm was lowered and vacuumed on the ocean side; he also noted that the ponding at the beach access path 31A causes the closure of Palm. The drainage issue on 22nd Avenue was checked by SCDOT and vacuumed. Based on the meeting between SCDOT and Directors Kerr and Pitts, they agreed to meet once a quarter to discuss problem areas on the island; from the initial meeting, SCDOT has nine (9) projects which they will address with multiple crews the third week of March. In the month of January, the shoulders of Palm Boulevard were stabilized with ROC, and the municipal parking lot was top dressed with the same product. Although the Public Works trucks incurred some rather substantial repairs, the Director expects to end the year within budget.