



October 2026 Managers Report

covers the period September 1, 2026 through September 30, 2026

Financial Report-

Hurricane Awareness: August 17, 6PM, our annual Hurricane prep meeting- was well attended. Erik Heden from the National Weather Service was here, Duke Energy, and Pamlico Ham radio operators all talked to residents about preparedness.

Valve Project

As part of the current project to renovate and modernize Oriental's municipal water system, the town is currently in the process of replacing 47 water main shutoff valves distributed throughout town. The project has been underway for several weeks and has required a number of water service outages. Your patience during these outages is greatly appreciated. We understand that being without water is a major inconvenience. The good news is that out of the 47 valves planned for replacement, only about 13 remain to be done. As this work continues, water outages will be confined to a smaller and smaller area of town. When completed, this improvement to our system of water valves will mean that when we experience water system problems in the future, shutoffs can be isolated to just the affected area, eliminating the need to shut off water service to the entire town.

Thank you for your patience and understanding as we modernize this critical infrastructure.

Dinghy dock is complete

Christmas Decoration repairs are contracted. Expected to be here through Oct 16.

Water Treatment Plant (WTP) gate installed. Next steps are extending fencing, adding gravel, landscaping.

Potential Snow Removal Contract-Our Drainage contractor is looking to potentially establish a snow plowing business that would be available by contract at an hourly rate. \$250/hour plowing, \$2000/salting, no price on brine this year. We do budget for storm preparedness. This would be included there. Shall we look at a contract?

Additional Class Action: Attorney has advised to join an addition to the PFAS lawsuit. Details not publicly available.