

Want to Know More About Crossroads?

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- We will send you five free issues of our newsletter. If you decide to join, tax-deductible dues are \$15 single, \$20 family, \$50 patron or \$200 lifetime membership.

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Who runs Crossroads?

A volunteer Board of Directors carries out the work of Crossroads in cooperation with our members

Current Board Members.

- Mark Hooper, President
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- Irv Hooper, Treas., NL editor
- Clark Callaway
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- Ron White



**Carteret
County
Crossroads**

We are citizen volunteers working to protect the waters, wetlands, and quality of life of Carteret County





What is Crossroads?

We are a non-profit, all-volunteer, member-supported organization, working to preserve the environment and quality of life in Carteret County and Coastal Carolina. We have been working for the environment of our County and coastal Carolina for over 25 years after first forming to study and then oppose a propane storage facility on Radio Island.

The Tree Awareness Group is a committee of Crossroads, focusing on improving the awareness and protection of tree resources in the county

What does Crossroads do?

- Educate ourselves and the public on environmental issues through our annual meeting, public information meetings, newsletters and special alerts.

- Discuss environmental issues with state and local governments.
- Support environmentally sound economic growth.
- Work with members to influence policy decisions by local government.
- Enhance knowledge of the beneficial effects of tree protection and support local ordinances to improve our treescape.
- Encourage citizens to actively participate in influencing local governments to consider environmental issues in making local planning decisions.

What has Crossroads done?

We have worked with citizens, other groups, state and local government to improve our environment and economy:

- Successfully opposed projects such as a huge coal-exporting facility on Radio Island, an oil refinery on Core Creek, and liquid ammonia storage on Radio Island.
- Sponsored public forums on a proposed ethanol facility and a

natural gas storage plant on Radio Island

- Brought in experts to educate us on environmental issues at our Annual Meetings and special public information meetings
- Worked for Improved standards for marinas.
- Attempted to improve the Land Use Plans prepared by the county. But so far have failed to improve the currently proposed plan. By our challenge to the Land Use Planning Process with other environmental groups, we helped influence the state to redo the rules.
- Helped obtain a public beach access on Radio Island.
- Members and Board members have participated in many state stakeholder and advisory committees.

