



TOWN OF AVON NEWSLETTER

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IMPORTANT NUMBERS

EMERGENCY	911
Police Department	508-583-6677
Fire Department	508-583-5361
Town Hall	508-588-0414
Accountant	1031
Assessors	1027
Board of Health	1016
Board of Selectmen	1019
Building Inspector	1022
DPW	1024
Planning Department	1017
Tax Collector	1012
Town Administrator	1020
Town Clerk	1013
Public Library	508-583-0378
Council on Aging	508-559-0060
School Department	508-588-0230
Housing Authority	508-588-1847

TOWN WEBSITE

www.avon-ma.gov

TOWN HALL HOURS

Mon. – Wed.	8:30 a.m. – 4:30 p.m.
Thursday	8:30 a.m. – 7:30 p.m.
Friday	8:30 a.m. – 1:00 p.m.

CLOSED:

May 30, 2022



ANNUAL TOWN MEETING RESULTS

The Annual Town Meeting was held on Tuesday, May 3, 2022 at 7:00 p.m. at the Avon Middle High School. The Operating Budget for Fiscal Year 2023 will be \$28,182,451. All 29 articles on the Town Meeting Warrant passed. Selectman Beckerman stressed to the voters that the funding for all of the articles will be funded with free cash. The Town did not need to raise and appropriate any money for the articles. For a detailed summary of the Annual Town Meeting including the meeting minutes, please visit the town's website at <https://www.avon-ma.gov/home/news/annual-town-meeting>. The Board of Selectmen express their gratitude to all involved in creating a successful town meeting including the Town Moderator Frank Staffier, Town Clerk Patricia Bessette, IT Team of Scott Hulien and Brian Cream, Town Administrator Gregory Enos, all department managers, and the residents who came out to vote on May 3rd!

Town Meeting Day..



AVON PHASE 1 WATER RESTRICTIONS ARE IN EFFECT

Residents are asked to use hand-held hoses only during the hours of 5:00 p.m. until 9:00 a.m. only while Phase 1 Water Restrictions are in effect. Thank you for your cooperation.

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Town of Avon Community Cleanup Day

Saturday

May 14, 2022
9AM~12PM



We are happy to host community clean-up day again! Come join us and take pride in Avon. Teams will pick up trash and debris in designated areas around town.

Registration is from 8:30AM-9:00AM at the Avon Town Hall.

Enjoy coffee and donuts before teams break off to clean areas around Avon.

Trash bags will be provided.

Following the event, participants are invited back to the Town Hall for a pizza party!

For more information contact the Avon Board of Health, at 508.588.0414 ext 1016 or kwaldron@avon-ma.gov

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Come out and help care for our community!

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ANNUAL MEMORIAL DAY PARADE RESUMES AFTER COVID-19 PANDEMIC

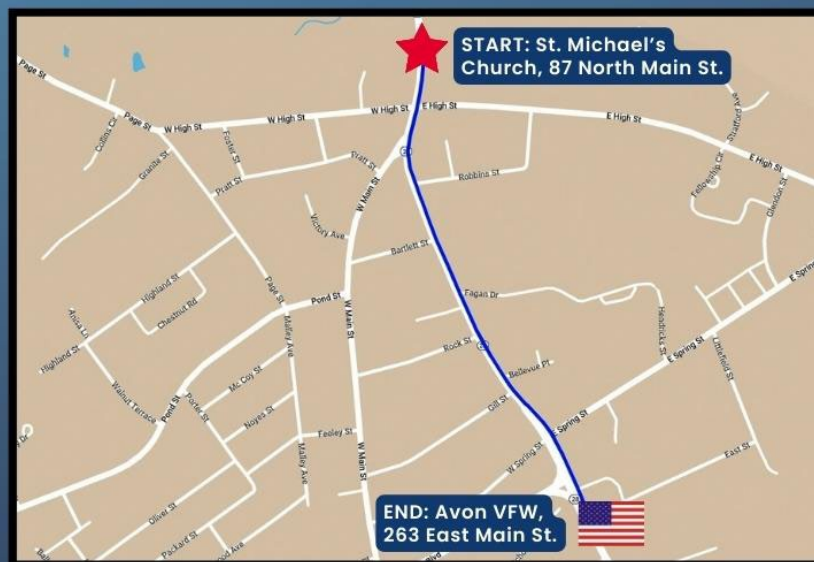
The Board of Selectmen and members of the Frank M. Noyes VFW Post 8892, Inc. are pleased to announce that after a two-year hiatus due to the coronavirus pandemic, the Annual Memorial Day Parade will be held this year! This year the parade will be held on **Saturday, May 28, 2022** which is a change from previous years in which the parade was typically held on the Sunday before Memorial Day.

This year's parade will commence at 11:00 a.m. at St. Michael's Church located at 87 North Main Street. The parade will proceed past the newly renovated Fire Station, down Route 28, by the Avon Town Offices and will conclude at the VFW. The Council on Aging will have seating available for seniors wishing to watch the parade in the front of the Town Offices.

The parade participants will include the New Liberty Jazz Band, the Cosmo Legion Band of Brockton, the Old Colony Model T Club, the local Girl Scouts and Avon Youth Baseball.

All parade participants and spectators are welcome to attend a free cookout after the parade at the VFW. The cookout menu will include hamburgers, hot dogs, sausages, chips, and potato salad. Ice cream and juice boxes will be available for the children.

Town of Avon Memorial Day Parade Saturday, May 28 | 11 a.m.



The parade will proceed past the newly renovated Avon Fire Station, down Route 28, and by the Avon Town Offices (which will have seating for seniors wishing to watch the parade).

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BULK COLLECTION DAY ON MAY 21, 2022

BULK COLLECTION POLICY

A limit of five (5) items may be placed out for each bulk collection.
 Example: a table and four chairs would be five items.
 Items may not be placed out earlier than one week prior to the collection.
 Trash totes and bags of trash will not be picked up. Cardboard will not be picked up.
 Mattress and box springs are no longer collected at bulk collection. See below.

The Compost Site is located at 100 Wales Avenue. Open Wednesday, Saturday, and Sunday from 9AM-2PM. Identification must be shown. All tickets must be purchased at the Avon Town Hall, 65 East Main Street, Avon MA 02322. For more information, please visit avon-ma.gov. For questions, contact the Avon Board of Health at 508-588-0414x1016 or kwaldron@avon-ma.gov

Item	Description	Fee
Grass Clippings Leaves, Brush	Less than 6" diameter	No Fee
Electronics	fax machines, stereos, radio equipment, propane tanks, cable attachments, e-book readers, scanners, wire, speakers, metal (non-ferrous), cell phones, telephone, tablets, printers, keyboard, computer mice, telecommunications equipment, VCR/DVD players, space heaters, servers, copiers, cameras, modems.	No Fee
Electronics	TV's, computers, monitors, laptops, microwaves, air conditioners (no commercial units)	\$10.00 Fee
Appliances	Refrigerators (must have doors removed), stove, dishwasher, washers, dryers, humidifiers, dehumidifiers, water heaters	\$32.00 Fee for Disposal at Composite Site (Free for quarterly bulk collection)
Mercury Containing Items	fluorescent lights, mercury items (thermometers, thermostats, batteries)	No Fee
Cardboard	Any cardboard must be flattened	No Fee
Batteries	most single-use household batteries (AAA, AA, C, D and 9 volt), alkaline batteries, batteries that contain NO mercury	No Fee
Furniture	couches, dressers, chairs, and other small items	\$32.00 Fee for Disposal at Composite Site (Free for quarterly bulk collection)
Mattresses and Box Springs	Acceptable: Twin, double, queen, king, California king; traditional mattresses/box springs constructed of metal, textiles, wood, and foam. Crib mattresses and memory foam mattresses. Unacceptable: Excessively torn, punctured, soiled or moldy items. Twisted or crushed mattresses or broken box springs. Wet or frozen mattresses or box springs. Mattresses or box springs infested with bed bugs or other pests. Futons, fold-out sofa beds. Mattress pads and toppers. Infant sleeping pads; air or water beds; any other furniture or textiles.	If unacceptable and cannot be recycled, there is a fee of \$60 to dispose of each item.