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Town of Rehoboth Newsletter

Helpful Information

- **Town Hall**
Office Hours:
Monday-Thursday
8:00 a.m. - 4:00 p.m.
Friday
8:00 a.m.-12:00 p.m.
- **Transfer Station**
(Route 118 & Martin St.)
Open – Tuesday 4-7
Saturday 8-3
- **Department Info.**
Selectmen's Office
508-252-3758 &
508-252-3759
Accountant
508-252-3363
Animal Control
508-252-5421
Assessors
508-252-3352
Board of Health
508-252-3099
Building & Zoning
508-252-3335
COA-Senior Center
508-252-3372
Fire
(Non-Emergency)
508-252-3725
Highway
508-252-3912
**Planning &
Conservation**
508-252-6891
Police
(Non-Emergency)
508-252-3722
**Tax Collector &
Treasurer**
508-252-3262 &
508-252-3571
Tree Warden
508-509-5691
Town Clerk
508-252-6502
Veterans
508-252-4467

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www.Town.Rehoboth.MA.US

Board of Selectmen Corner

The Board of Selectmen thanks to all the residents who took the time to participate in the May Annual and Special Town Meetings. Results from both meetings can be found on the Town Clerk's web site @

http://www.town.rehoboth.ma.us/Pages/RehobothMA_Clerk/UpcomingElec-TM

There are several vacancies on various town boards, committees and commissions. If you are interested in volunteering to serve the Town please complete a Talent Bank form available on the Web site or contact the Selectmen's Office.

The "Annual Report of the Town Officers and School Committee for the Year Ending December 31, 2014," is now available on the Town's Web site (home page – www.town.rehoboth.ma.us) and at Town Hall.

The Selectmen will host another public meeting regarding the Rt. 44 & Rt.118 intersection on Monday, June 8th at 7:00p.m. The focus of this meeting is to meet with property owners and business owners regarding the ongoing public safety concerns of the intersection. Please consider attending or send along written comments in advance.

Helpful Information

- **Monday, June 1** - \$15 late fee imposed on all 2015 Dog Licenses not renewed to date. Dog Licenses were due April 1, 2015.
- **Wednesday, June 3** – 3:00 p.m. Surplus Equipment Bids Deadline
- **Friday, June 5** – List of outstanding Dog Licenses submitted to Selectmen.
- **Monday, June 8th** - Board of Selectmen Meeting 7:00p.m.
- **Wednesday, June 10th** - Economic Development Committee 9:00a.m.
- **Monday, June 22th** - Board of Selectmen Meeting (Ice Cream Social Planned)
- **Wednesday, June 24th** - Rehoboth Police Department – Car Seat Check Event 2:45-5:45 p.m. @ Beckwith Middle School – where the buses line up (330R Winthrop Street) more details next page.
- **Thursday, June 25th** - Bids Due for Salt Shed Block Foundation
- **Tuesday, June 30th** - Bids Due for Fire Truck, Tanker
- **Friday, July 3rd** - Town Offices Closed in Observance of Independence Day

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Wednesday, June 24th 2:45-5:45 p.m. – (Continued) Rehoboth Police Department – **Car Seat Check** - 2:45-5:45 p.m. @ Beckwith Middle School -330R Winthrop Street, Rehoboth - front of building.

Road injuries are the leading cause of preventable deaths and injuries to children in the United States. Correctly used child safety seats can reduce the risk of death by as much as 71%. Rehoboth Police Department & Safe Kids Rhode Island team up to check resident car seats and booster seats to make sure that they are properly installed. Materials on hand to read and take.

Exciting News

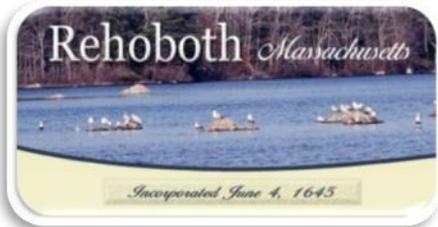
**NEW
DROP BOX
AVAILABLE
AT
TOWN HALL
FOR
AFTER HOURS DROP-OFF**



Thanks to the collaboration of Jeff Ritter, Cheryl Gouveia, and Laura Schwall, now available at the front entrance of Town Hall, you will find a “Drop Box” for tax payments, dog license payments, town census forms, etc. Residents may now drop off their payments or correspondence during the “off hours” of town hall. Please remember, no cash is to be deposited in the drop box. We hope the addition of the drop box helps to make our town government services more accessible to the public. A huge THANK YOU to Mike Tyler, Greg Fyfe, and the Highway Department for installing the drop box.

Happenings Around Town

- John Santos, Appointed Building Inspector/Zoning Enforcement
- Cheryl Withers, Public Safety Dispatcher, Announces Retirement on July 1st
- Selectmen Planning to Sell 248 Winthrop Street (Anawan Garage)
- FEMA Reimbursement May Exceed \$70,000 for January Blizzard



“Established in 1643, as a part of the Plymouth Colony, Rehoboth is one of Massachusetts’ oldest and most historic towns. Currently, it is a small suburban town located in southeastern Massachusetts with roughly twelve thousand residents. Rehoboth was the birthplace of public education in North America and still has an excellent educational system today..”



Submissions for the next edition are due by Monday, June 29th.