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**THE NEXT TOWN COUNCIL  
MEETING IS SCHEDULED  
FOR AUGUST 18TH AT 7PM**



# ATTENTION VOTERS

**Due to the redistricting based on 2020 Federal Census, the Town has had to make some precinct boundary changes to comply with redistricting laws. Your address may have been moved to a different Precinct. To verify your address for voting please go to the following link:**

**[Where do I go to vote?](#)**

**To confirm your registration if unsure please check with the Town Clerk 508-862-4044**

## COMPLETE STREETS

Did you miss your Village meeting to offer comments on Complete Streets?

Please share your project ideas and suggestions via email [transportation@capecodcommission.org](mailto:transportation@capecodcommission.org) or enter ideas via the Cape Cod Commission's online public comment tool.



**Complete Streets Tools**





Some cyanobacteria blooms can look like foam, scum, or mats, particularly when the wind blows them toward a shoreline.

The blooms can be blue, bright green, brown, or red. Blooms sometimes look like paint floating on the water's surface.

For Latest Water Quality Report  
[www.BarnstableWaterReources.com](http://www.BarnstableWaterReources.com)



**BARNSTABLE**  
Water Resources

SEWER CONNECTION CONSTRUCTION UPDATES

PFAS/PFOA CYANOBACTERIA MONITORING CWMP

WATER QUALITY BEACH STATUS: OPEN/CLOSED ►►



**When in Doubt  
Stay Out**



# Barnstable Local Comprehensive Plan

Thursday, August 25th at 6:00 PM  
Hearing Room at Town Hall.  
[www.BarnstableLCP.com](http://www.BarnstableLCP.com)



## Mid-Cape Cultural Council

Find us online:



*serving the cultural communities  
of Barnstable & Yarmouth*

**SAVE THE DATE** September 22nd from 5-7pm at the Guyer Barn  
for a reception celebrating grantees from 2020 through 2022.





## New Student Registration 2022-2023

[www.barnstable.k12.ma.us/registration](http://www.barnstable.k12.ma.us/registration)

Para instruções em português

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# **Barnstable**

## **55+ Community**

## **Safety Day**

### **September 22, 2022**

SAVE  
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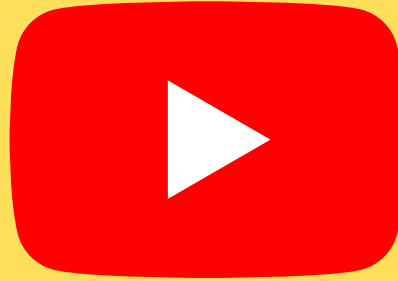
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A blue circular graphic with a background image of people sitting on a bench. The text "TOWN TALK" is in large white letters, and "Precinct Redistricting" is in smaller white letters below it.

## TOWN TALK

*Precinct Redistricting*



***Town of Barnstable Channel 18 debuts a new show to help our residents stay up-to-date with information - around Town Hall, in our Villages and across the region.***

**The 2020 Census has brought some changes to precinct lines and representative districts here in the Town of Barnstable.**

**Town Clerk Ann Quirk joins host Paula Hersey for an update on what voters can expect for the September 6th primary and how to find out if your polling station has changed - a must see episode!**

# Route 28 East Sewer Expansion Project Public Information Session MONDAY, August 15th at 7PM

Barnstable Performing Arts Center at Barnstable High School  
744 West Main Street, Hyannis.



A public information meeting will be held to discuss the 30-year sewer expansion plan including updates on construction activity and anticipated traffic management plans associated with the Strawberry Hill Road and Route 28 East projects.

Staff from the Barnstable Department of Public Works will present project information, followed by an opportunity for questions from meeting participants.

**CLICK HERE FOR MORE INFORMATION**



\*The course is NOT intended for people with Alzheimer's disease or other forms of dementia.

## UCLA Memory Training

Presented by the Barnstable  
Council on Aging  
Monday August 15, 22 and 29  
10am to 11:30am

Barnstable Adult Community Center  
825 Falmouth Road Hyannis MA

Contact Stacey Cullen at 508 862 4750  
ext. 4765 or email  
stacey.cullen@town.barnstable.ma.us to  
register for this innovative 4-week educational  
program for improving your memory

## OUR VILLAGE LIBRARIES ARE MORE THAN JUST BOOKS!

CLICK HERE TO LEARN MORE ABOUT OUR  
VILLAGE LIBRARIES



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DISCOVER BARNSTABLE  
AND LEARN ABOUT WHAT THE  
TOWN OF BARNSTABLE  
HAS TO OFFER!



## COVID-19 RESOURCES

FOR UP TO DATE INFORMATION AND RESOURCES CONCERNING COVID-19,  
VACCINATIONS, AND TESTING PLEASE VISIT:

[Barnstable County Health.org](https://www.barnstablecountyhealth.org)

[BarnstableHealth.com](https://www.barnstablehealth.com)



# Lithium-Ion Battery Recycling

Li-ion

August 13, 2022

Take Charge! Recycle Lithium-Ion Batteries Responsibly.

August 13, 2022, at 9am-1pm  
DY Regional High School,  
Red Wilson Field House, main parking lot, Station Ave, S. Yarmouth, MA

## Popular Rechargeable Items to Bring:

Cell Phones      Electric Toothbrushes  
Laptops        Wireless Headphones  
Tablets        Power Tool Battery

- Any other rechargeable device with a lithium-ion battery.
- You may bring the entire item if it's difficult to remove the battery.
- Any remaining data will be safe guarded and destroyed.

Learn More:  
[lithionrecycle.com](http://lithionrecycle.com)

Scan to Learn More



Rotary ESRAG REDWOOD MATERIALS



Drive-up  
Donation  
Service!

**BARNSTABLE COUNTY**  
CAPE COD REGIONAL GOVERNMENT

# Cape and Islands Food Access Resource Guide



## SUMMER SOUNDS FREE CONCERTS



**TUESDAY 6:00-7:30 PM**

**Aselton Park**

# More Events

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# Massachusetts is in a Drought!

Please do your Part!

## TIPS FOR SAVING WATER

When in Drought or Not – Please Do Your Part!



### OUTDOOR WATER USE



#### 1 LIMIT LAWN WATERING, ESPECIALLY DURING A DROUGHT<sup>1</sup>

Lawns naturally go dormant during dry conditions. They'll revive when conditions improve.

- If you are in a region at Drought Level 3, **Critical Drought** (Severe Drought Conditions) or Drought Level 4, **Emergency Drought**: Do not water your lawn.
- If you are in a region at Drought Level 2, **Significant Drought** (Moderate to Severe Drought): Limit watering to hand-held only or drip irrigation. Water after 5PM or before 9AM to avoid evaporative losses.
- If you are in a region at Drought Level 1, **Mild Drought** (Abnormally Dry Conditions): Limit watering to 1 day per week at most. Water after 5PM or before 9AM.



#### 2 MINIMIZE LANDSCAPE WATER NEEDS THROUGH WATER-SMART LANDSCAPING PRINCIPLES<sup>2</sup>

- Maintain healthy soils (a minimum of 6-inches in depth, where possible).
- Choose native plants or plants and turf that need less water.
- Use mulch to reduce evaporation and moderate soil temperature.
- Leave grass clippings on lawn to shade and return nutrients to soil.



#### 3 MINIMIZE YOUR USE OF WATER OUTDOORS

- Sweep driveways, walks, patios, and other outdoor areas with a broom rather than hosing them off.
- Wash vehicles using a bucket and sponge, employing a hose with a shut-off nozzle for rinse only, or, if available, use a commercial car wash that recycles water (most do).
- Cover swimming pools when not in use to prevent evaporation.

### INDOOR WATER USE



1. Choose high-efficiency plumbing products and appliances (look for the WaterSense or Energy Star labels).



2. Turn off water while brushing teeth or shaving: "Never Let the Water Run."



3. Take shorter showers (5 minutes or less) and use water-saving showerheads.



4. Wash only full loads of laundry and dishes.



5. Fix leaks! Dripping faucets and leaking toilets, pipes, and appliances can add up to hundreds of gallons of water lost per week.



6. Create a kitchen compost bin instead of using the garbage disposal.



7. Collect and reuse clean household water (water running while you wait for hot water to reach your faucet or shower; leftover water from cooking, etc.) and use this to water plants.

<sup>1</sup> Certain water uses are not subject to mandatory restrictions, such as water used: for health or safety reasons; for the production of food and fiber; for the maintenance of livestock; to meet the core functions of a business (for example, irrigation by plant nurseries as necessary to maintain stock).

<sup>2</sup> Adapted from Water-Smart Landscapes Start with WaterSense (EPA WaterSense)







PROJECTS | SCHEDULES | DETOURS | MAPS

# CONSTRUCTION NEWS & UPDATES

*Project Overview*  
*Weekly Work Schedule*  
*Road Closures & Detours*  
*What to Expect*  
*Connecting to Sewer*



Weekly Project Updates, Detours &  
Road Closures

## SEWER EXPANSION CONSTRUCTION NOTICES

Updated Weekly  
[BarnstableWaterResources.com](http://BarnstableWaterResources.com)



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# The last word...

*Summer breeze makes me feel fine.  
~Seals & Crofts*

**Thank you for receiving and reading eNews each week!**

