



## TOWN OF GREENBUSH NEWSLETTER

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Hours: Monday - Wednesday 8:30-4:30

Thursday 12:00-6:30

Friday 8:30-12:30



### School Starts Thursday, September 1st!!

Please use caution, look for the flashing lights on stopped buses.

Let's keep our kids safe this school year.



Town of Greenbush

PO Box 230

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### OLD HOME DAY

Tentatively Scheduled for September 10<sup>th</sup>

Parade Line up @ 9:00 A.M. Parade Starts @ 10:00 A.M.

**The Parade Theme is: Living & growing in Greenbush**

*(No ATVs or Side by Sides in the Parade Please)*

12:00 Picnic - Beans will be served

8th Grade will be selling concessions & a brown bag auction

Come celebrate The Town of Greenbush Old Home Day!!



### Referendum Election November 8, 2022

Voting in the Town Hall from 8:00 A.M. – 8:00 P.M.

**Curbside pickup** is scheduled on Friday. The rubbish service requests that you have your household trash put out by 7 AM to ensure pick up. Please do your best to make sure you have animal-proof containers to avoid having critters whether wild or domestic strewing trash around the neighborhood. The rubbish service workers are not responsible for cleaning up any scattered trash.

**The landfill** last 2 days will be September 10<sup>th</sup> & October 1<sup>st</sup>. Please make sure you bring all your goods to the landfill before it closes. Please break down all mattresses, and place the materials in bags for curbside pickup or a \$20.00 fee will be incurred. Any metal frames can go to the Landfill. Please do not bag up your items, attendants need to see what is being disposed of. **DO NOT** bring any household trash or items that can be picked up curbside. \$ 5.00 dump stickers are available at the Town Office or the Town Landfill.

Got an old mercury-containing thermostat? Don't trash it – you can get a \$5.00 rebate!! Bring your old mercury thermostats to the Town Office for safe disposal to receive your \$5.00 rebate. Visit [Thermostat-Recycle.org](http://Thermostat-Recycle.org) for more details.



Department of Inland Fisheries & Wildlife requires permit holders to present a valid Maine driver license or state ID, to prove Maine residency. Applications now require the ID number and expiration date on every application. Residence who do not hold a Maine driver license or state ID, are required to complete a lengthy affidavit and have it notarized; the forms are available at the town office. **THIS INCLUDES ALL FISHING & HUNTING LICENSES/SNOWMOBILE/ATV REGISTRATIONS.** Keep in mind that all ATV registrations & Snowmobiles are good until June 30<sup>th</sup> of each year. Boat registrations are valid through December 31<sup>st</sup>. *The Town Office is pleased to announce that we are online MOSES now. Fishing Licenses, ATV's and Snowmobiles can be renewed online for your convenience.*

Vehicle registration updates: We now take care of SR-22 in our office. If you are registering a new vehicle or a complicated registration, please come in one hour prior to closing. Please come prepared when registering.

**New Vehicle Registration – Private Sale:**

1. Blue title application
2. Sales tax form
3. Current insurance card
4. Current mileage

**New Vehicle Registration-Private Sale:**

1. Title appropriately signed by the previous owner to new owner
2. Bill of sale from previous owner to the new owner
3. Current insurance card
4. Current milage

**Re-registering:**

1. Current milage
2. Current insurance card
3. Current registration is helpful

**UPDATES TO TAX ASSESSMENTS**

Please note that taxable valuations will once again be increased for the tax bills that will be sent out in the fall. Sales prices continue to outpace our assessments. The due date for these bills will be December 31<sup>st</sup>. Keep in mind that once the bill remains unpaid for three years, in order to redeem the property, the taxpayer will be required to pay the entire amount due for all years. **Please notify the town of any address changes.**

**Message from our Towns Code Enforcement Officer, Mike Falvey**

*When inquiring for a building permit, you much first show that you have a septic or design plan before a building permit will be issued. Campers are a Recreational Vehicle and are not to be used as a permanent dwelling, therefore they will not be given an address.*

*Things to keep in mind before buying or building:*

- Minimum buildable lot is 1 acre & subdivision 2 acre minimum.
- Minimum road frontage is 125'
- Front set back is 75' & sides & rear are 25'
- Septic, Electrical, and Plumbing all require permits. If you have any questions or concerns, Mike is in the Office on Monday's.

When requesting use of the Town Hall, Scott Smart Farm, or tables and chairs please do so at least 2 weeks prior to event. This requires Selectman approval.

Thank you to [Dicky McLaughlin](#) and [Veda Madden](#) for their contribution to the [Irene Haverlock Flag Fund](#).