

### Novena

Novena to the Blessed Virgin Mary (Never Known to Fail)

Oh, most beautiful flower of Mount Carmel, fruitful vine, splendour of Heaven. Blessed Mother of the Son of God; Immaculate Virgin, assist me in my necessity. Oh, Star of the Sea, help me and show me you are my Mother. Oh, Holy Mary, Mother of God, Queen of Heaven and Earth, I humbly beseech you from the bottom of my heart to succour me in my necessity. (Mention your request here). There are none that can withstand your power. O Mary conceived without sin, pray for us who have recourse to Thee. (3 Times) Sweet Mother, I place this cause in Your Hands (3 times) Amen. Say this prayer for 3 consecutive days and then you must publish it and it will be granted to you. J.M.

### Memoriam



In Loving Memory of David J. Kennedy Who I lost May 11 2019 Seven years has passed quickly, All cherished, Your memory of us together, They bring a tear to my eyes, And ache in my heart. Love your forever, Wife Paula

### Memoriam



In loving memory of my Grandmother Beatrice Burke Who I lost on May 3, 2019 Seven years has passed so quickly, In time may the tears stop, And leave only beautiful memories, To shine of you. Love, Granddaughter Paula

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### Memoriam



In Loving memory of Mary Ann MacKenzie Born: July 26, 1918 Died: April 25, 1997

She always learned to watch for us Anxious if we were late, In winter by the window, In summer by the gate. And though we mocked her tenderly Who took such special care, The long road home would seem more safe Because she waited there. Her thoughts were all so full of us She never would forget, And so I think that where she is She must be waiting yet. Waiting until we come home to her, Anxious if we are late, Watching from Heaven's window, Leaning o'er Heaven's gate, Down a road that's calm and peaceful, Guided by God's loving hand She has gone upon a journey To a distant, brighter land. It helps to bring us comfort Knowing she has family there, Til roses lose their petals, Til the heather has lost it's dew Til the end of time, dearest Mother, We will remember you, They say it's a beautiful journey, From the old world to the new, Someday we'll make that journey, Which will lead us straight to you And when we reach that garden, In which there is no pain, We'll put our arms around you And never part again. Mama, they say that angels Walk among us, and we know this is true Because we were touched by an angel When God gave us you, Forever loved and cherished, Your loving daughters Colleen and Heather Angel

### In Loving Memory




Heather Marie MacKenzie May 22, 1951 March 8, 2021

Dear Heather Its so very hard to believe that its 5 years and so may have things have happened since you were called away. So many things to share with you. Had you been left to stay. Every day in some small way Memories of you come our way; Though absent, you are ever near, StI missed, loved always dear

Your loving sister Valerie Ann

### Memoriam




Sadie Marie (MacQuarrie) Lewis

In loving memory of Sadie Marie (MacQuarrie) Lewis Born: November 16, 1956 Died: April 30, 2001

April brings wonderful memories, reflections and celebration of a life that was far too short. A day of remembrance, A passing year, A loving thought, A silent tear, A little prayer to keep in touch, To say I miss you very much. Your friend, Colleen.

### Memoriam



Mary Ann MacKenzie

In Loving Memory of my Mother Mary Ann MacKenzie Born: July 26, 1918 Died: April 25, 1997

God gave us our mother, And he tried to be fair, And when he gave us ours, We got more than our share. Although He took her back, 29 years ago today, We are so grateful For the years he let her stay. Your loving daughter Valerie Ann.

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### PORT HAWKESBURY Opportunities Await

### RESIDENTIAL CURBSIDE SPRING CLEAN-UP Monday, May 11, 2026

- ALL ACCEPTABLE ITEMS must be curbside no later than 6:00 a.m., Monday, May 11.
- There will be ONLY ONE COLLECTION per residence during the week of May 11-15.
- DO NOT place material curbside before Monday, May 4th in accordance with Section 8.0 of the Solid Waste Management By-law. Residents may be subject to penalty.

<b>ACCEPTABLE ITEMS FOR COLLECTION</b> (List not inclusive)	<b>DROP OFF LOCATIONS FOR THE FOLLOWING ITEMS</b> STRAIT BOTTLE EXCHANGE OPEN ONLY TUESDAY – FRIDAY 9am-4:30pm Saturday 9am – 1pm 12 Paint Street, Port Hawkesbury Tel: 902-625-2448
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Lawn mowers (push mowers only – no fuel/oil)</li> <li>Barbecues (no propane tanks – large or small)</li> <li>Snow blowers (empty – no fuel/oil)</li> <li>Bicycles &amp; strollers</li> <li>Household &amp; lawn furniture</li> <li>Rain barrels</li> <li>Box springs and mattresses</li> <li>Large household items &amp; children's toys</li> <li>Refrigerators/Freezers (without doors)</li> <li>Stoves</li> <li>Washers/dryers &amp; dishwashers</li> <li>Hot water heaters &amp; air conditioning units</li> <li>Toilets &amp; sinks (no countertop or cabinets)</li> <li>Carpet &amp; underlay no longer than 5ft (60inch) in length (must be rolled &amp; tied)</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Refundable beverage containers</li> <li>Household paints</li> <li>Fence and barn paints</li> <li>Interior and exterior latex, alkyls, enamels and oil-based paints</li> <li>Interior and exterior varnishes and urethanes</li> <li>Marine enamels (must not contain pesticides)</li> <li>Porch, floor, and deck paints</li> <li>Primers, undercoats, block fillers, and sealers</li> <li>Rust paint, decorative metal paints</li> <li>Varathanes</li> <li>Wood finishing oils and stains</li> </ul>
<p>*All fuel and/or oil must be removed from barbecues, lawnmowers, etc. *All bagged waste to be placed in clear bags</p> <p><b>UNACCEPTABLE ITEMS NOT FOR COLLECTION</b> (List not inclusive)</p> <p>Residents must separate and take the following and similar items to the GFL Guysborough Waste Management Facility. (Fees may be applicable) Tel: 902-232-2316</p> <p>MONDAY – FRIDAY 7am – 5pm SATURDAY 8am-12pm CLOSED ON SUNDAYS &amp; ALL HOLIDAYS</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>All hazardous material, propane tanks, wet cell batteries (car/RV/boat), insecticides, pesticides, herbicides, etc.</li> <li>Batteries of all types</li> <li>Paint of any kind</li> <li>Residential renovation/construction materials, lumber, countertops, doors, windows, deck, doorstep, fencing, shingles, rain gutter, etc. (including small scraps)</li> <li>Tires – car, truck, motorcycle, camper-trailer (return to retailers) www.divertns.ca</li> <li>Vehicle bodies and parts</li> <li>Commercial waste</li> <li>Electronics and computer-related equipment (monitors, microwaves, towers, printers, keyboards, speakers, mice) – www.recyclemyelectronics.ca</li> <li>Trees, large branches, leaves, or yard waste</li> </ul>	<p><b>ROC CIVICITY</b> OPEN MONDAY- FRIDAY 8am-4pm 3 MacQuarrie Drive Ext.</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Electronics and computer-related equipment</li> <li>Cell phones</li> <li>WILL NOT ACCEPT ANY APPLIANCES (OTHER THAN MICROWAVES)</li> </ul> <p>For more details visit: - https://recyclemyelectronics.ca/ns/what-can-i-recycle</p> <p><b>PORT HAWKESBURY CIVIC CENTRE</b> 606 Reeves Street, Port Hawkesbury</p> <p>Accepts small quantities of: • Rechargeable Batteries • Alkaline / Single Use Batteries</p>  <p>LET'S WORK TOGETHER FOR A SAFE RESIDENTIAL CURBSIDE SPRING CLEAN-UP. If you have additional questions, please contact the Town Office at 902-625-7893.</p> <p>Thank you for your co-operation. Terry Doyle, P.Eng. Chief Administrative Officer</p>

### MUNICIPALITY OF THE COUNTY OF ANTIGONISH

### NOTICE OF PUBLIC HEARING

PLEASE TAKE NOTICE THAT the Council of the Municipality of the County of Antigonish intends to consider and, if deemed advisable, approve:

Amendments to the Plan Antigonish Municipal Planning Strategy and Land Use By-law for the Municipality of the County of Antigonish in Response to New Provincial Setback Requirements for Utility Scale Wind Turbines and in response to an appeal before the Nova Scotia Regulatory and Appeals Board.

Copies of the Staff Report, providing more detailed information on the proposed amendments, can be inspected at the Municipal Office of Antigonish County (285 Beech Hill) or at the office of the Eastern District Planning Commission (606 Reeves Street, Unit 3, Port Hawkesbury) between the hours of 8:30 a.m. and 4:30 p.m. weekdays (excluding statutory holidays), on the Eastern District Planning Commission website www.edpc.ca, or by contacting Toll Free 1-888-625-5361.

Any written or oral presentations (in favour or opposition) to the proposed recommendations can be made before Municipal Council at a Public Hearing to be held on:

**Tuesday, May 12<sup>th</sup>, 2026 at 7:30pm**  
Council Chambers  
285 Beech Hill Road, Antigonish County

Posted on municipal website on April 22<sup>nd</sup> 2026, and in The Reporter and the Guysborough Journal on April 29<sup>th</sup> in accordance with the requirements of the Municipal Government Act.

### THE MUNICIPALITY OF THE COUNTY OF RICHMOND LA MUNICIPALITÉ DU COMTÉ DE RICHMOND

### RICHMOND COUNTY 2026 HEAVY GARBAGE COLLECTION SCHEDULE

May 4 – May 30/ 2026

A Heavy Garbage Collection Program will be carried out in Richmond County from May 4 to May 30, 2026. Waste should be placed curbside by 8am on Monday of the scheduled collection week for the area; items placed at the curb after collection has started in the area may not be collected.

**Week 1 (May 4 – 10) – Collection Zone 1 (Isle Madame)**

- Isle Madame

**Week 2 (May 11 – 17) – Collection Zone 2 (Areas West of the St. Peter's Canal, excluding Isle Madame)**

- St. Peter's, River Bourgeois, Louisdale, Grand Anse, Lennox Passage, Dundee, St. George's Channel, Sampsonville, Black River, Oban, Seaview, Evanston, Lower River, Lakeside, Kempt Rd., and Point Tupper.

**Week 3 (May 18 – 24) – Collection Zone 2/3**

- Any remaining areas in Collection Zone 2 (noted above)

Collection Zone 3: Fouchu, Framboise, Grand River, Point Michaud, Lower L'Ardoise, L'Ardoise to St. Peter's, Johnstown, Loch Lomond to St. Peter's, and remaining portions of Richmond East of St. Peter's Canal.

**Week 4 (May 25 – May 30) – Collection Zone 3 (Areas East of the St. Peter's Canal)**

- Any remaining areas in Collection Zone 3 (noted above)

Please direct any inquiries regarding the Municipality's heavy collection to the Richmond Solid Waste Management Facility at 902 226-2396 or the Public Works Department at 902-226-2400.

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