DO YOU KNOW MR. W?



The Town of North Beach and Calvert County Sheriff's Office are seeking information regarding cases of recent vandalism at Wetlands Overlook Park and behind the Bayside History Museum. More details and photos of the vandalism are available on the town website: https://www.northbeachmd.org/home/news/recent-

vandalism-town. Anyone with information about either case or possible suspects is asked to please contact Det. T. Buckler at Thomas.Buckler@calvertcountymd.gov. Citizens may remain anonymous through the 'Submit a Tip' feature on the Calvert County Sheriff's Office mobile app. Tipsters may also email ccsotips@calvertcountymd.gov.

ACCESS NORTH BEACH: YOUR LINK TO TOWN HALL



Access North Beach allows you to contact town staff directly with your comments, compliments, suggestions or concerns. This program can be accessed from the link on the town website and also can be downloaded from the iPhone and Android app stores. To use Access North Beach, just choose a topic, provide your contact information and enter your question, suggestion, complaint or compliment. It's that easy!

TEXT NOTIFICATIONS



To receive text messages about things that may impact you as a resident, follow these simple instructions:

- VIA TEXT. In your phone, enter 30890 as the phone number you want to send a text to, and enter the words **join northbeachalerts** in the message area, then hit send.
- ONLINE SIGNUP. From the homepage of the town's website, click on **Subscribe to Text Notifications** and follow the steps to add contact details.

SUBSCRIBE TO E-NEWS



Subscribe to receive informational emails by visiting the town website homepage / **Subscribe to News** link. Choose the topic(s) on which you would like to receive emails. After entering your email address and submitting your request, look in your email box for a confirmation email. Reply to that email to start receiving town emails.



Town of North Beach, Maryland 20714

North Beach

Welcome to the neighborhood! Please use this guide as a reference for resources and services that are available to you as a North Beach resident. #northbeachmd #livenorthbeachmd

Contact Us



Phone 301.855.6681



Email info@northbeachmd.org



Website www.northbeachmd.org



Normal Business Hours 8:30 am to 4:30 pm



Town Hall 8916 Chesapeake Avenue

Sign up for email & text notifications to stay informed.



UTILITY ASSISTANCE RESOURCES



If you are having trouble affording your utility bills, programs may be available to assist. The Town of North Beach is providing a listing of resources on the town website, at the North Beach Post Office and in the lobby of Town Hall. Programs may be available to income-eligible customers, including homeowners and residents. If you are in need, you are strongly encouraged to review the information on each program and apply for assistance. More information here:

https://www.northbeachmd.org/residentsportal/pages/utility-assistance-resources

BE PREPARED FOR THE WEATHER



Although we have had a mild winter, it is important to be prepared for harsh weather conditions that may arise. Consider following NOAA on Facebook at https://www.facebook.com/NOAA/ or visit their website at https://www.noaa.gov/weather. Visit the Town of North Beach's Emergency Preparedness page at https://www.northbeachmd.org/residents-

<u>portal/pages/emergency-preparedness</u> for tips on how to prepare for impending weather.

MESSAGE FROM CODE ENFORCEMENT OFFICE



The Code Enforcement Office would like to share the following reminders with residents:

- Regular household trash must be bagged and placed in a trash can with a lid. Please place trash cans curbside the night before the collection date and promptly remove cans from the curb once trash has been picked up.
- Utility trailers and commercial vehicles and trucks over 10,000 pounds gross vehicle weight are prohibited from parking on all residential and commercial rightsof-way within the Town of North Beach.
- Unregistered, inoperable, wrecked, or dismantled vehicles are not permitted to be parked, stored or left upon any public street, alley, or parking lot within the town.

If you have questions pertaining to any of the above, please contact the Code Enforcement office at Town Hall, 301.855.6681.

WATER BILLING



Quarterly water bills will be sent out next week. Payments are due by March 3, 2023. You may view, download and pay your bill by enrolling in the online payment system at www.northbeachmd.org. If you have any questions, please feel free to contact Kelley Osbourn at (443) 646-2424.

PREVENT BLOCKAGES, BACKUPS & DAMAGE



The Department of Public Works (DPW) routinely checks for issues with town pump stations and sewer system. These checks are a proactive measure to prevent damage to the sewer system and sewer backups. On multiple occasions, DPW staff has found rags, wipes and grease clogging the pumps at pump stations. Please be mindful of what is flushed in your home. When you use your toilet, shower, washing machine or dishwasher, wastewater leaves your home through pipes that connect to the town sewer system. Many materials frequently flushed or poured down the drain can damage the sewer system, cause sewer backups in your home, and sewer releases to the environment. The only thing you should ever flush down a toilet is human waste (urine and feces) and toilet paper. Remember, products that are labeled as "flushable" are not sewer-friendly and should not be flushed.

BULK TRASH PICK-UP



Bulk trash is picked up the third Friday of each month, by appointment only. Call Town Hall by the Tuesday prior to the monthly pickup date to schedule an appointment for your bulk trash pickup. The full schedule is available at www.northbeachmd.org. Click on the Residents tab, then A Guide to Resident Services, and then 2023 Trash / Bulk/ Recycling Schedule.

CALVERT LIBRARY TWIN BEACHES BRANCH



The construction of the Calvert Library Twin Beaches Branch is moving right along. Concrete for the third floor of the building was poured earlier this week. To view time-lapse video of the progress, visit https://calvertlibrary.info/about-us/locations/new-twin-beaches-branch/.