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## THE LEAGUE OF WOMEN VOTERS

Marion-Mattapoisett-Rochester P.O. Box 812 Marion, MA 02738.

## Welcome to a Symbol of Community Spirit!

The League of Women Voters of Marion - Mattapoisett -Rochester is pleased to provide the 2015-16 edition of the Tri-Town Phone Book. Through 27 editions, this directory, THE BLUE BOOK, has become one of the most widely used resources in our tri-town area.

THE BLUE BOOK contains advertiser information and the names, addresses and phone numbers of community residents who find it a highly useful communication tool and shopping service. With the demise of residential pages in commercial directories, we at the League believe it is more important than ever to continue making a free telephone directory available to all. In addition, the residential information and classified ad listings can be accessed online at the League web site, lwvmmr.org.

Funds raised through **THE BLUE BOOK** are used for non-partisan voter service activities of the League and, when possible, for educational grants with the tri-town area schools. Since 1996, the League has provided more than \$50,000 in competitive grants to K-12 personnel in support of innovative curriculum changes and teaching methods.

The League is proud of this community service and grateful to our advertisers for making this directory possible. Please support them whenever possible.



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## Did you know...?

The League of Women Voters of Marion, Mattapoisett and Rochester sponsors town and regional candidates' nights, forums on critical local issues, voter registration for high school seniors and new community residents, and awards educational grants to local schools. Its activities are open to the public.

The League of Women Voters of Marion, Mattapoisett and Rochester members are concerned, socially conscious women and men 18 years or older. They are community members who are local business owners, marketing and non-profit consultants, organizational directors, professional people, manufacturing executives, educators, and other civically-interested citizens.

The National League of Women Voters, of which the LWV-MMR is a part, is a 95-year old non-partisan political organization which supports and opposes issues studied by its members but does NOT support or oppose individual candidates or political parties. Its members believe all citizens should be informed, active voters.

Since 19	20, the League of Women Voters has helped communities, citizens and
non-citiz	ens become more informed about:
	Campaign Finance
	Civil Rights
	Clean Water and Air Acts
	Conservation of Natural Resources
	Election Reform
	Equal Opportunity in Education and Housing
	Food and Drug Acts
	Recycling
	Tax Reform
	Social Security
	Voting Rights

#### TO JOIN OR FOR MORE INFORMATION



email league@lwvmmr.org
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Additional Phonebook Copies Are Available

While They Last at:

The Bookstall

151 Front St, Marion 748-1041

Mail Box Services

82 County Rd. Mattapoisett 758-9700

## Online Version of The Blue Book

The online version of the residential and classified ad listings can be found on the League's web page, lwvmmr. org. You can email corrections, additions and deletions to lwvphonebook@comcast.net or use the mail-in form on page 267.

#### **ATTENTION**

The League is not responsible for errors, deletions or omissions and advertisers are solely responsible for the content of their advertisements. For advertising information or to make changes in or add new names, addresses or phone numbers to the white pages, email <a href="mailto:lwvphonebook@comcast.net">lwvphonebook@comcast.net</a> or use the forms at the back of the book. Send these forms to: LWV PHONE BOOK, P O BOX 812, MARION, MA 02738.

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## LOCAL GOVERNMENT

# REGISTER AND VOTE – CALL YOUR TOWN CLERK

 Marion
 748-3502

 Mattapoisett
 758-4100, ext 2

Rochester 763-3871, ext 17

Town Offices and Boards are listed at the front of each town's residential listings. See Pages 10 (Marion), 66 (Mattapoisett) and 134(Rochester).

Town government is very different from city government and places different requirements on citizens. Our towns all have Town Meetings where citizens participate directly in decisions on town governance. What citizens vote at Town Meetings generally becomes the rule, including budgets, personnel needs, zoning bylaws, etc. Only at Town Meeting is there a chance to voice your opinion on the issues and to make a difference in how our towns are run.

Our towns are adminstered by elected Boards of Selectmen with the aid of a paid Town Administrator, elected Planning Boards, Assessors, School Committees, and various other elected and appointed committees. Many citizens take part to make our towns function efficiently and effectively. All must participate for them to function at their best!

# As the League says loudly:

# "Democracy Is NOT a Spectator Sport"



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317 Hart Senate Office Bldg., Washington DC 20510

Phone 1-202-224-4543

2400 JFK Federal Bldg., 15 New Sudbury St., Boston 02203

www.warren.senate.gov/contact.com Phone 1-617-565-3170

#### Edward Markey (D)

218 Russell Senate Office Bldg., Washington, DC 20510

Phone 1-202-224-2742

975 JFK Federal Bldg., 15 New Sudbury St., Boston 02203

www.markey.senate.gov Phone 1-617-565-8519

# <u>United States Representative – 9<sup>th</sup> Congressional District</u> William Keating (D)

315 Cannon House Office Bldg., Washington DC 20515 Phone 1-202-225-3111 558 Pleasant St., #309, New Bedford, MA 02740 Phone 1-508-999-6462 www.keating.house.gov Fax 1-508-999-6468

# Governor of Massachusetts Charlie Baker (R)

Office of the Governor, Room 280, State House, Boston, MA 02133

Phone 1-617-725-4005 Fax 1-617-727-9725

www.mass.gov/governor

# Massachusetts Representative – 10<sup>th</sup> Bristol District William M. Straus (D)

Room 134 State House, Boston, MA 02133 Phone 1-617-722-2400

Fax1-617-722-2387

Mattapoisett Phone 1-508-758-2347

Email: William.Straus@mahouse.gov

#### **Massachusetts Senators**

New Bedford Office

## Marion - Marc R. Pacheco (D) 1st Plymouth & Bristol District

Room 312B State House, Boston, MA 02133 Phone 1-617-722-1551 Email: Marc.Pacheco@masenate.gov Fax 1-617-722-1074

#### Mattapoisett - Mark C. Montigny (D) 2<sup>nd</sup> Bristol & Plymouth District

Room 312C, State House, Boston, MA 02133 Phone 1-617-722-1440

Fax 1-617-722-1068 Phone 1-508-984-1474 Fax 1-508-984-1590

Email: Mark.Montigny@masenate.gov

## Rochester – Michael Rodrigues (D) 1st Bristol & Plymouth District

Room 213B State House, Boston, MA 02133 Phone 1-617-722-1114
Fall River Office Phone 1-508-646-0650
Email: Michael.Rodrigues@masenate.gov Fax 1-617-722-1498

# **EMERGENCIES** In All Three Towns, Call **911**

## **POISON**

Mass Poison Control Center......1-800-682-9211

## **HOSPITALS**

Charlton Memorial Hospital/ South Coast Health

363 Highland Ave., Fall River .....1-508-679-3131

Tobey Hospital/ South Coast Health

43 High St., Wareham ......1-508-295-0880

St. Luke's Hospital

101 Page St., New Bedford......1-508-997-1515

## **HUMAN SERVICES & HELP HOTLINES**

Alcohol & Drug Abuse - 24 Hour Hotline	1-800-252-6465
Alcoholism Information, Counseling & Referral Center, NB	1-508-992-7788
American Cancer Society, Information Hotline	1-800-227-2345
Birthright of New Bedford, Inc.	1-508-996-6744
Child Abuse & Neglect Hotline (during business hours)	1-508-732-6200
Plymouth Office (during non-business hours)	1-800-792-5200
Child & Family Services, New Bedford	1-508-996-8572
Coastline Elderly Services, Inc., New Bedford	1-508-999-6400
Elder Affairs, Executive Office of	1-800-882-2003
Emergency Mental Health Services, NB	1-508-996-3154
Office of Child Care Services, OCCS, Taunton	1-508-828-5025
Dept. of Early Education and Care -	1-508-828-5025
Planned Parenthood/Preterm Health Services	1-617-616-1616
Free Information & Counseling (toll free)	1-800-682-9218
Social Security Administration	1-800-772-1213
Southcoast Visiting Nurses	1-508-973-3200
Suicide Hotline - Samaritans, NB	1-508-673-3777
Women's Center of New Bedford, Main Office	1-508-996-3343
24 Hour Hot Line - Domestic and Sexual Violence	1-508-999-6636
Toll-free	e 877-301-4357

Marion, Mattapoisett and Rochester do not add fluoride to their water supplies.

Residents, especially pregnant women and parents of small children, should see medical advisors for supplements.

## TRASH & RECYCLING INFORMATION

The Marion and Mattapoisett Transfer Stations will accept household waste, recyclables, and bulky residential waste, including:

- \* Comingled recyclables: glass, plastic, tin, aluminum, clean, loose newsprint, cardboard and paper including magazines, computer paper, corrugated cardboard, flat cereal boxes, and junk mail.
- \* Light metals: bicycles, miscellaneous metals and empty propane tanks. There is a fee for other materials.

#### MARION

Transfer Station on Benson Brook Rd is open Tues – Sat 8-4, Sun 9-1. Visit the Swap Shop.

If you have a: your recycling days are:

Monday rubbish pickup 1st and 3rd Wed of the month
Tuesday rubbish pickup 2nd and 4th Wed of the month
Friday rubbish pickup 2nd and 4th Wed of the month
For more information call Marion Dept. of Public Works at 748-

3540 Ext 101, or visit the town website at www.marionma.gov.

### **MATTAPOISETT**

Transfer Station on Tinkham Hill Rd is open Tues – Sat 8-3. Recycling pickup is every other week. Details on your recycling flyer For more information call Mattapoisett Board of Health at 758-4100, Ext 8, or visit the town website at www.mattapoisett.net.

#### ROCHESTER

Rochester has a new curbside-cart trash and recycling program. Visit the Town website at www.townofrochester.com or call the Town Hall at 763-3871 for the route schedules and guidelines for both trash and recycling.

Look at ORCTV (Ch 95) for recent information about Trash, Recycling and other Town Services