



AMERICAN FLAGS IN NORTH YARMOUTH

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Overview



- Who
 - Interested Residents
 - Other towns already doing this include: Westbrook, Milo and Bowerbank (Yarmouth has made application for same according to Verizon)
- When
 - Option 1: Memorial Day thru Veterans Day
 - Option 2: Year Round
 - Option 3: Designated Holidays (Memorial, July 4th, Patriots Day and Veterans Day)
- Why
 - Display Pride in Country
 - Beautify Community
 - Supported by Residents
- Where (Phase 1)
 - From Ronnie's Auto Body on Route 115 to Pea Lane.
 - Cross Pea Lane to Route 9 and back to Memorial School
- How
 - Promote and sell flags (at cost or as a fundraiser from local Boy Scout Troop or Veterans Organization)
 - Request Boy Scout Troop or Veterans Organization take responsibility for hanging and care of flags

Phase 1



- Identify Route (Ronnie's Auto Body on Route 115 to Pea Lane. Pea Lane to Route 9. Return Route 9 to Memorial School)
- Board Approves
- Committee provides Verizon with details for agreement and contact name.
- Board member signs agreement.
- Committee transmits signed agreement to Verizon and arranges for site Survey (no cost to town)
- Committee finds local nonprofit interested in this project (ie Boy Scouts, Veterans organization)
- Committee/Nonprofit selects flag/pole style and placement:
 - Place 3' x 5' flags every other pole (approximately 12' from ground).
 - There would be 30 flags in all
 - Cost about \$45 each (including pole)
- Committee works with nonprofit to promote sale of flags to residents/public
- Agreement with nonprofit for care and placement of flags
- Hang all flags by one week before MEMORIAL DAY 2007
- Future care – Pratt Abbott currently cleans American Flags “free”. This would need to be confirmed on a community level.

Action Required by Board



- Application for Pole Attachment License signed by BOS representative or Town Administrator
- Town provides “proof of insurance” to Verizon and CMP
- Town signs 3rd party agreement with Verizon and CMP



QUESTIONS?