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## News & Updates

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## TOWN OF SOUTH BRISTOL May News 2025

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*Greetings South Bristol Residents. You are receiving this email because you have provided your email address to the Town Office. If you know other residents who might want to be on our mailing list, please suggest they register at our website: [sbristolme.gov](https://sbristolme.gov)*

1. **Boat Registrations:** You can renew your boat registration online at <https://apps1.web.maine.gov/online/boat>, or stop by the Town Office. You must bring your prior year registration. Town Office hours are Tues, Wed, Thurs, 9:00-12:00 and 12:30 to 4:00.
2. **Vehicle Registrations:** Online renewals can be done at: <https://apps1.web.maine.gov/online/bmv/rapid-renewal/>, or stop by Town Office to renew. Please bring proof of insurance, most recent registration, and payment. All bank card transactions will require an additional 2.5% processing fee.
3. **Mooring Renewals:** Renewal forms are not being mailed to mooring owners starting this year. You can print the renewal application (fillable form) and inspection report from our [website](https://sbristolme.gov). The inspection report should be completed by your mooring servicer. All applications will be due June 1st starting next year.
4. **Tax bills for 2025:** Tax bills will be mailed from our servicer during the first week in July. Payments received before July 31st will receive a 2% discount. If not paid by November 30th, a 4% interest charge will be applied.

5. **Transfer Station:** No permits are required for residents to use the Bristol/South Bristol Transfer Station. It will be closed on all holidays as well as June 19th for Juneteenth. Normal closed days are Wednesday and Sunday. More information can be found at: [Bristol/South Bristol Transfer Station](#)
6. **2024 Annual Town Report:** In case you did not get a printed copy, here is a pdf of our [2024 Annual Town Report](#) from March 2025. More print copies are available at the Town Office.

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### A few other notes:

Please slow down driving on Route 129 and all town roads. Lincoln County Sheriff has been alerted to numerous speeding instances and we ask you to be mindful of speeding limits, specially with pets and children outside in warmer weather.

There was a recent article in the Lincoln County News about our wonderful Walpole Union Chapel that we want to share with you. So nice to see our historic buildings being cared for. [Walpole Union Chapel](#).

We also want to take a moment and remember our residents who served and died while in the military on this Memorial Day.

*“Originally known as Decoration Day, it originated in the years following the Civil War and became an official federal holiday in 1971. Many Americans observe Memorial Day by visiting cemeteries or memorials, holding family gatherings and participating in parades. Unofficially, it marks the beginning of the summer season.”*



(ref: <https://www.history.com/articles/memorial-day-history>).

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