



## Town of Andover, Division of Veterans' Services

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To ensure the sacrifices of America's fallen heroes are never forgotten, in December 2000, the U.S. Congress passed and the president signed into law "The National Moment of Remembrance Act," P.L. 106-579, creating the White House Commission on the National Moment of Remembrance. The commission's charter is to "encourage the people of the United States to give something back to their country, which provides them so much freedom and opportunity" by encouraging and coordinating commemorations in the United States of Memorial Day and the National Moment of Remembrance.

The Town of Andover will be observing Memorial Day through numerous events scheduled through the Month of May and concluding with a Memorial Day Ceremony on Monday May 31, 2021.

On behalf of our Town Manager, Mr. Andrew P. Flanagan, the Patriotic Holiday Committee, and American Legion Post 8 it is my pleasure and honor to invite all Veterans and Veteran Supporters to join us at our various observances in the Town of Andover.

### **Schedule of Events**

#### Memorial Day flag-placing

Saturday May 15, 2021 10:00 am  
Sacred Heart and United Lebanese Cemeteries

Saturday May 15, 2021 12:00pm  
West Parish Cemetery

Sunday May 16, 2021 10:00 am  
St. Augustine's Cemetery

Sunday May 23, 2021 11:00 am  
Spring Grove Cemetery

#### Memorial Day Ceremonies

Monday May 31, 2021 12:00pm  
Memorial Day Ceremony at Spring Grove Cemetery