

## Important Reminders about 911 Signs

Please be sure that you have your 911 sign posted at the end of your driveway.

It is important that all residents post a visible 911 number on their property and that the sign be visible from the road and from both directions to the property. Further, Massachusetts General Laws require that every building in the state have clearly visible address numbers posted.

You may order 911 signs by calling New Marlborough Fire & Rescue at 413-229-8100 — please leave a message if no one answers. You may also send an email to: [nmemtfr@gmail.com](mailto:nmemtfr@gmail.com).

Whether you leave a message or email, please include:

- Your name,
- Your street number,
- A telephone number to reach you.

The 911 signs are two-sided, highly visible, and cost \$20.

If you need help installing your 911 sign, call us. We will help. These 911 signs are preferred because of their high visibility and standard format, but you may also display your street number. Keep in mind:

- Numbers must be at least 4 inches tall and visible from the road.
- Numbers should be visible from both approaches to your driveway, should be under lighting and with a contrasting background, so they are visible at night.
- Numbers should be high enough so as not to be obscured by snowbanks or shrubs. Be sure to keep numbers visible by trimming trees and bushes.