



**CITY OF GRAND HAVEN
519 WASHINGTON AVENUE
GRAND HAVEN MI 49417**

PUBLIC NOTICE

BLANKET POLICY:

The City of Grand Haven invites the public to place sheets, caution tape, golf tees and chairs on all public property to reserve space for the parade and fireworks, after 12:01 a.m. on Friday, August 4, 2017. Materials placed before midnight will be removed by City crews.

**The placement of spot marking materials PRIOR to 12:01 a.m. on
Friday August 4, 2017 is strictly prohibited.**

Please remember that **no** tents, sand bags, plastic tarps, duct tape, rocks, stakes or spray paint are allowed. Plastic tarps suffocate and kill the grass. Rocks and stakes present a tripping hazard. All plastic tarps, duct tape, rocks, or stakes placed in any public park or on public property at any time will be removed by the City of Grand Haven.

Many individuals show up before the deadline and lay out blankets/markings and remain on site until the deadline. This is permitted, but individuals must remain physically on their space up until the deadline.

****Owners of adjacent property immediately along the parade route are considered present for purposes of this policy.**

SEAWALL MOORING:

Boaters should be aware that all vessels moored along the seawall on Friday, August 4th will need to be registered at the Municipal Marina and obtain an overnight mooring permit. There is a \$10 charge for the permit, the fee only covers mooring and does not include electricity or access to private restroom facilities. Rafting is limited to three vessels off the seawall. Any vessel moored on the seawall, on this date, that is not registered will be asked to leave the seawall.

The Ottawa County Sheriff patrol will clear the seawall of all boat traffic on Saturday, August 5, 2017 at 12:00 noon. No mooring will be allowed along the seawall after that time. Boats may moor on the seawall after 12:01 a.m. on Sunday, August 6, 2017.

Have a safe and enjoyable time during the annual Coast Guard Festival.

Thank you for your cooperation,

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