



## TextMyGov Announcement

The Town of East Spencer is pleased to announce the launch of TextMyGov, a simple communication tool that allows residents to receive important updates and access information anywhere using texting technology. This new government SMS service makes it easier than ever for the community to stay informed through a reliable text message from government officials.

The town will officially launch this mass text notification system on Thursday May 28<sup>th</sup>, 2026. Residents may receive an initial government text message from **91896** on behalf of the town to introduce the service. Participation is optional, and anyone may opt out at any time by texting STOP.

If you do not receive the initial message, you can sign up by texting the keyword “**EAST SPENCER**” to **91896**. After sending the keyword, you will be asked to reply YES to confirm participation. Once subscribed, residents may receive government text messages related to **events, water disruptions, road closures, and more**. Additional text message alerts may become available by texting a specific group keyword to **91896**. If there are specific types of updates you would like to receive, please inform the town.

Residents will also have access to information 24/7 by texting one or two keywords in your question to the town telephone number, **(704) 946-8140**. This option allows users to quickly receive a government message with details about **bulk pick up, trash pick-up, and other town information**. Next time you have a question for the town, try texting this number to test out the service.

You will also receive a contact card for the town’s two-way texting and/or notifications number. Save this file to your phone to be sure that any communications coming from that contact are from the town and are not spam messages. Text **(704) 946-8140** to find information and report issues. Receive notifications from the short code number and reply STOP to opt-out of receiving further messages.

The town’s adoption of TextMyGov reflects an ongoing commitment to improving public communication using modern and convenient tools. This service will provide a more accessible and responsive way to stay informed about what is going on in the community and receive government services. Many agencies nationwide are already using this texting technology successfully, and we are proud to offer the same benefits to our community.

Sincerely,

View terms and privacy policy info at [textmygov.com/opt-in-terms-conditions](https://textmygov.com/opt-in-terms-conditions)

Town of East Spencer

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