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## **No Tax Holiday Survives at Carr**

*"Tax Free Revolution" August 19 & 20, 2017*

Pittsfield, MA – August 15, 2017. The state government voted not to have a tax-free weekend, so Carr Hardware has decided to revolt and have their own tax-free holiday. Therefore, Carr Hardware proudly announces the "Tax Free Revolution" this upcoming weekend, August 19 and 20, at each of their four stores in the Berkshires.

For the second year in row the Commonwealth of Massachusetts cancelled the No Sales Tax Holiday. For many years, consumers anxiously wait until the third weekend in August to make significant purchases and avoid paying state sales tax. The weekend traditionally not only saves money for shoppers but also gives them the pleasure of not having to pay the tax man in Boston.

Carr locations in Pittsfield, North Adams, Lee and Great Barrington will all join in the celebration. "This year, on August 19 and 20 Carr will discount your purchases and offset the state sales tax during our *No Sales Tax Revolution Sale*," said Bart Raser, co-owner of Carr Hardware. It's the perfect time to go out and get that new grill, lawnmower, or even get a jump on winter and get a brand new snowthrower. It might also be a great time to refinish that deck or stock up for a big painting project.

"It's our way to recognize and thank our customers, plus nobody likes paying sales tax" added Raser. Carr offers famous brands like Weber grills, Stihl outdoor power equipment, Benjamin Moore and Pratt & Lambert paints, Milwaukee power tools and so much more. Plus our Gt. Barrington location also carries Big Green Egg, California paints and Harmon hearth stoves.

The once-a-year opportunity is only this weekend, August 19 and 20 and only at your local Carr Hardware store.

**About Us:**

Carr Hardware & Supply Company, Inc. was founded in 1928 by Sam Carr. In 1962, the Raser family purchased the business and continues to operate it today. Carr Hardware's ongoing success comes directly from our staff. Our professionals operate stores located in Pittsfield, Lee, Great Barrington and North Adams in Massachusetts and Avon and Enfield in Connecticut.

Carr Hardware stocks over 40,000 items for all commercial, institutional, industrial, government and homeowner needs. We have an extensive retail hardware selection, plus over 350 equipment, party and amusement rental options.

More information is available at our website: [www.carrhardware.com](http://www.carrhardware.com)