

ROWLEY BOARD OF SELECTMEN

MEETING AGENDA

March 31, 2014

7:00 p.m.

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CALL MEETING TO ORDER

PLEDGE OF ALLEGIANCE

MOMENT OF SILENCE - Boston Firefighters killed in action

- Michael Kennedy
- Edward Walsh Jr.

CHAIRMAN'S COMMENTS

7:05 – 7:15 p.m. CITIZEN QUERY

APPOINTMENTS

7:00 p.m. APPOINTMENT – Tim Southall, Parks and Recreation Committee to discuss contract award for ballfield mowing services

7:15 p.m. Conservation Agent Brent Baeslack to discuss open space plan

7:30 p.m. JOINT MEETING – Board of Water Commissioners to discuss

- Discuss launch of new billing, collection and customer service with representatives of Pennichuck – Bernard Russo and Tara King
- FY 15 Water Department Budget
- Water treatment plant update
- Water Department articles for town meeting

8:10 p.m. Appointment - Police Chief Robert Barker to discuss FY 15 Police Department budget

GENERAL BUSINESS

1. Rowley Cub Scout Pack 15 request to use Town Common for bridging ceremony
2. Invitation from the Independent Living Center of the North Shore to attend annual legislative breakfast meeting
3. Antique/Junk License renewals
4. Memo from Library Director Pam Jacobson on the "One Book One Community" program*
5. "Stormwater Faire" Program, Saturday, April 5, 2014 9 a.m. to 12:00 p.m. US Fish & Wildlife Visitor Center, Plum Island Turnpike, Newburyport, MA across from Mass. Audubon Center*

OLD BUSINESS

1. Discuss and review FY 15 Budgets and town meeting articles
2. Discuss ballot questions
3. Discuss purchase of Rowley Girl Scouts Camp land
4. Discuss Town Hall Clock project*
5. Discuss salt marsh parcels town meeting articles*

NEW BUSINESS

1. Discuss FY 14 Reserve Fund transfer requests

MINUTES

- February 10, 2014 Executive Session
- February 24, 2014 Executive Session
- March 3, 2014 Executive Session
- March 10, 2014
- March 10, 2014 Executive Session
- March 17, 2014
- March 17, 2014 Executive Session

ANNOUNCEMENTS

- The Town has the following vacancies:
 - a. **Conservation Commission** – one seat;
 - b. **Finance Committee** – one seat;
 - c. **Fence Viewer** – two positions;

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d. **Wood, Lumber & Bark Inspector**; and

e. **Zoning Board of Appeals Associate** - two open seats

For more information on these positions, please contact the Selectmen's Office at 948-2372.

- 375th Anniversary information and events are posted on the Town's website, www.townofrowley.net
- Battery recycling box located at the Town Hall and Library
- Rowley Food Pantry is in need of donations. The Food Pantry is open Tuesdays from 10:00 a.m. to 12:00 p.m. and Thursdays from 5:30 p.m. to 7:00 p.m.
- Town Meeting will be held on Monday, May 5, 2014
- Water Customers need to call Pennichuck at **1-800-553-5191** now for billing, payment and customer service questions.

***Item added after initial agenda posting.**