

ROWLEY BOARD OF SELECTMEN  
**MEETING AGENDA**  
October 17, 2016  
5:30 p.m.  
Town Hall

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**OPEN SESSION**

**CALL MEETING TO ORDER**

**PLEDGE OF ALLEGIANCE**

**EXECUTIVE SESSION**

- Collective bargaining strategy AFSCME Local 2905, Teamsters Local 170, Massachusetts Coalition of Police (MCOP) Local 360

**OPEN SESSION**

**CHAIRMAN'S COMMENTS**

**7:10 – 7:15 P.M. CITIZEN QUERY\***

**GENERAL BUSINESS**

1. Letter from Police Lt. Stephen May announcing his retirement
2. Request from Police Chief Scott Dumas to lift hiring freeze for position of lieutenant
3. Sign November 8, 2016 Election Warrants
4. Review list of Road Opening Permits for National Grid to open the following roads:
  - 54 Warehouse Lane to install anodes on gas main
  - 40 Warehouse Lane to install anodes on gas main
  - 5 Burke Avenue to install anodes on gas main
  - 18 Burke Avenue to install anodes on gas main

**NEW BUSINESS**

1. Letter from the Agricultural Commission requesting to raise the FY 17 revolving fund expenditure cap
2. Discuss Memorandum of Agreement with Teamsters Local 170

**OLD BUSINESS**

1. Discuss Prospect Hill project
2. Review Special Town Meeting Warrant articles

**MINUTES**

- October 3, 2016

**ANNOUNCEMENTS**

- Drug Take Back Day – Rowley Senior Center, Sat. Oct. 22, 2016 9 a.m. to 1 p.m., please see Town website, [www.townofrowley.net](http://www.townofrowley.net) for more information
- Information on the Pine Grove School project is available on the Town's website at [www.townofrowley.net](http://www.townofrowley.net).
- Special Town Meeting is Monday, November 14, 2016 at 7:30 p.m. at the Pine Grove School
- Household Hazard Waste Collection Event for Rowley residents on November 19, 2016 at the Highway Department Garage

- The Town's website has tips from the Massachusetts Emergency Management Agency on how to protect your property from hurricane damage. Go to [www.townofrowley.net](http://www.townofrowley.net) for helpful tips for homeowners and boat owners
- The Rowley Water Department has set a mandatory water ban in place. Outdoor watering is not permitted.
- Water Department Customer Billing cycle will change effective November 1, 2016. Meters will be read on or about the first of every month. Details on the change are posted on the Town's website, [www.townofrowley.net](http://www.townofrowley.net)
- The Town has the following vacancies:
  - a. **Fence Viewer** – three positions;
  - b. **Wood, Lumber & Bark Inspector**;
  - c. **Zoning Board of Appeals Associate** – two seats
  - d. **Parks and Recreation Committee** – one seat;
  - e. **Deputy Shellfish Constables** – two positions

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

The Rowley Food Pantry is closed for renovations and is scheduled to be re-opened on October 4. Food assistance is available by leaving a telephone message at the Food Pantry at 978-238-6264

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