

ROWLEY BOARD OF SELECTMEN
MEETING AGENDA
March 6, 2017
7:00 p.m.
Town Hall, 139 Main Street, Rowley, MA

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CALL MEETING TO ORDER

PLEDGE OF ALLEGIANCE

7:00 p.m. APPOINTMENT* Conservation Agent Brent Baeslack to discuss tax title land

7:10 – 7:15 p.m. CITIZEN QUERY*

7:15 p.m. APPOINTMENT*

Steven Watchorn, CBI, Elevator Project Architect to discuss elevation addition at the Town Hall Annex

7:30 p.m. APPOINTMENT*

Water Commissioner Bernie Cullen and Water Superintendent MaryBeth Wiser to discuss FY 18 Proposed Water Budget and Town Meeting articles

8:00 p.m. APPOINTMENT*

Agricultural Commission Chairwoman Libby Tucker to discuss FY 18 Agricultural Commission budget

GENERAL BUSINESS

1. Accept resignation from Jeanne McClung
2. Request from Police Chief Scott Dumas to lift the hiring freeze for the position of full-time dispatcher

NEW BUSINESS

1. Open May 1, 2017 Special Town Meeting Warrant

FY 18 BUDGETS

Town Moderator; Board of Selectmen; Personnel Board; Treasurer/Collector; Town Hall; Town Hall Annex; Fire Hydrants; Bradstreet Property; Dodge Reservation Memorial Day/Veterans Day

OLD BUSINESS

1. Discuss Community Preservation Committee March 9, 2017 meeting and funding requests
2. Pine Grove School Project Update

**Indicates approximate time.*

ANNOUNCEMENTS

- Rowley Public Library is participating in Bruins PJ Drive Feb. 1 – March 15. The Library will be collecting new pairs of pajamas for babies, children and teens. The PJ Drive benefits DCF Kids and Cradles to Crayons. The PJ Drive's goal is to collect 10,000 pairs of new pajamas for children and teens in need.
- Annual and Special Town Meeting is scheduled for May 1, 2017
- Town Election is scheduled for May 9, 2017 from noon to 8:00 p.m. in Saint Mary's Church Hall
- The Water Department and the Great American Rain Barrel Company are offering rain barrels to residents as part of a community wide conservation and sustainability program. For more information, go to the Water Department's webpage at www.rowleywater.com
- Information on the Pine Grove School project is available on the Town's website at 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 positionsFor more information on these positions, please contact the Selectmen's Office at 948-2372.
- The Rowley Food Pantry is in need of donations. Donations can be left at the Rowley Public Library. The Food Pantry is open on Tuesdays from 10:00 a.m. to 12:00 p.m. and on Thursdays from 5:30 p.m. to 7:00 p.m.

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