

ROWLEY BOARD OF SELECTMEN
MEETING AGENDA

April 10, 2017

7:00 p.m.

Town Hall, 139 Main Street, Rowley, MA

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CALL MEETING TO ORDER

PLEDGE OF ALLEGIANCE

7:10 – 7:15 p.m. CITIZEN QUERY*

~~7:00 p.m.~~ **7:30 p.m. APPOINTMENT* (**)** – Parks and Recreation Committee Vice Chairman Tim Southall to discuss lawn maintenance contract for Town's recreational fields

GENERAL BUSINESS

1. Sign Annual Town Election Warrant
2. Request from Highway Surveyor Patrick Snow to appoint Robert Diehl to the position of Heavy Equipment Operator/Truck Driver
3. Request from the Rowley Historical Society to use the Margaret Scott Green at the intersection of Main and Pleasant Streets on Saturday, May 13, 2017 for its Annual Plant Sale
4. Review list of Road Opening Permits for National Grid to open the following roads:
 - 20 Intervale Circle for gas leak repair

NEW BUSINESS

1. Discuss Massachusetts Department of Transportation notification on plan to suspend weekend train service
2. Request from Town Planner Kirk Baker to use four hours of Merrimack Valley Planning Commission Local Technical Assistance time for assessing and zoning map updates
3. Discuss Merrimack Valley Planning Commission Housing Production Plan Memorandum of Agreement*

OLD BUSINESS

1. Pine Grove School Building Project Update
2. Discuss proposed amendments to Triton Regional School District Regional Agreement
3. Assign motions for Town Meeting articles

**Indicates approximate time.*

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MINUTES

1. March 13, 2017
2. April 6, 2017

ANNOUNCEMENTS

- Earth Day Dodge Reservation trail work. Saturday, April 22 from 9:00 a.m. to noon with rain date of Sunday, April 23 from 9:00 a.m. to noon. All are welcome! For more information call the Conservation Commission at 948-2330 or email at conservation@townofrowley.org.*
- Annual and Special Town Meeting is scheduled for May 1, 2017 at the Pine Grove School. **The meeting starts at 7:00 p.m.**
- Informational hearing on the Town Meeting Warrant is scheduled for Monday, April 24, 2017 at 7:00 p.m. at Town Hall
- Town Election is scheduled for May 9, 2017 from noon to 8:00 p.m. in Saint Mary's Church Hall
- White Goods/Light Metal Household Recycling Event – April 29, 2017 from 8:30 a.m. to 11:30 a.m. at the Highway Department, 40 Independent Street
- Hydrant Flushing will start April 24. Residents are asked to check the Water Department website at www.rowleywater.com for more information or to call the Water Department
- 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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