

ROWLEY BOARD OF SELECTMEN
MEETING AGENDA

April 11, 2022

5:30 p.m.

Town Hall, 139 Main Street, Rowley, MA

OPEN SESSION

CALL MEETING TO ORDER

PLEDGE OF ALLEGIANCE

EXECUTIVE SESSION

To discuss strategy with respect to collective bargaining concerning Massachusetts Coalition of Police Local 360 and Teamsters Local 170 Fire pursuant to State Open Meeting Law, G.L. c.30A section 21(a) (3) as having the discussion in open meeting may have a detrimental effect on the bargaining position of the Town

OPEN SESSION

6:30 p.m. APPOINTMENT – Town Moderator Tom Amoroso to discuss May 2, 2022 Town Meeting Quorum

6:40 p.m. – 6:45 p.m. PUBLIC COMMENT*

6:45 p.m. APPOINTMENT* Harbormaster Bill DiMento to discuss Town Landing Parking Lot Expansion Project

GENERAL BUSINESS

1. Road Opening Permit Application Geological Earth Exploration, Inc. to open Dodge Road for test borings for Water Department water main project
2. Request from Mary Behringer to be appointed to the Board of Health and request from Board of Health Chairman Charles Costello to appoint Mary Behringer to the Board of Health
3. Approve Council on Aging donations
4. Request from Police Chief Scott Dumas to apply for and sign grant contractual paperwork for a Firehouse Sub Foundation Grant for an automated external defibrillator control trainer
5. Vacation carry-over request from Town Administrator Deb Eagan
6. Request from Patti Cummings of the First Congregational Church to use the Town Common on April 30, 2022 for a Community Blessing of the Pets from 12:00 – 1:00 p.m.
7. Request from Agricultural Commission Chair Libby Tucker and Farmer's Market Manager George Pacenka to use the Town Common for Farmer's Markets on Sundays from 8:00 a.m. to 1:00 p.m. from July 10, 2022 through October 30, 2022 – re-submitted request
8. Sign May 10, 2022 Annual Town Election Warrant

NEW BUSINESS

1. Request from Parks and Recreation Committee to extend contract with Elm Services, Inc. for lawn maintenance

**Indicates approximate time.*

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2. Request from Parks and Recreation Committee to extend contract with Trugreen for turf maintenance
3. Approve Pennichuck Water Services Corporation contract for Water Department Billing, Collection, and Customer Service
4. Authorize employment contract renewal – Principal Assessor Sean McFadden
5. Authorize employment contract renewal – Town Administrator/Personnel Officer Deborah Eagan

OLD BUSINESS

1. Discuss Merrimack Valley Regional Transit Authority Ring and Ride Program

ANTIQUJE/JUNK DEALER LICENSE RENEWALS

- Salt Marsh Antiques/Robert Cianfrocca – 224 Main Street
- Bargain Hut Realty Trust / Judith Comley – 280 Main Street
- Manzo Salvage/Vincent Manzo – 586 Main Street
- Todd's Riverview Farm LLC/Frank Todd – 275 Main Street

MINUTES

- April 4, 2022

ANNOUNCEMENTS

1. The Board of Health is holding a White Goods/Light Metal Household Recycling Event on April 23, 2022 from 8:30 a.m. to 11:30 a.m. at the Rowley Highway Department Facility at 40 Independent Street. Please see announcement on the Town's website for more information.
2. The Town has the following board vacancies:
 - **Conservation Commission.** Interested residents should send a letter of interest to the Board of Selectmen. Position is open until filled.
 - **Open Space Committee.** Interested residents should send a letter of interest to the Board of Selectmen. Position is open until filled.
3. The Rowley Board of Health would like to remind residents and employees that although COVID-19 cases are minimal right now, some towns have seen outbreaks in populations where close contact is inevitable. We recommend that residents continue to be cautious in resuming their day-to-day activities.
4. Town Meeting will be held on Monday, May 2, 2022 at 6:30 p.m. at the Pine Grove School
5. The Northeast Massachusetts Mosquito Control and Wetlands Management District will conduct helicopter applications of the biological larvicide, VectoBac12AS (EPA reg. 73049-38) to control mosquito larvae over salt marshes in Salisbury, Newburyport, Newbury, Rowley, and Ipswich, and any other new subscribing community if requested. Applications will be conducted as necessary during daylight hours from April 1, 2022 through October 31, 2022.

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