

A meeting of the Board of Selectmen was held on Monday, April 13, 2015 at 6:35 pm.

Present: Martin Crowley, Chairman; David Sheedy, Clerk; William Dowling; George Samia, Town Administrator; Catherine Johnson, Administrative Assistant

Pledge of Allegiance

Open Forum

Jennifer Kitchenham, School Committee member was present to respectfully request that the Board of Selectmen, this evening, re-schedule the Annual Town Meeting from May 11, 2015 to June 1, 2015.

Mr. Dowling stated that giving, a number of reasons, that there, in his opinion, is no reason to not have town meeting in June.

Mr. Sheedy requested to re-visit Ms. Kitchenham's request later in the meeting, during the Board Discussion portion of the meeting.

Open Forum closed by the Chairman

Budget Presentation

Peter Spagone, Jr, Chairman of the Board of Health was present to present to the Board and the community the Board of Health's FY16 budget.

Budget Presentation

Mr. Samia presented the Town Clerk's FY 16 budget. Ms. Livingston was unable to attend the meeting this evening.

Budget Presentation

Paula Wolfe, Director of Assessing was present to present the Board and the community the Board of Assessor's FY16 budget.

Budget Presentation

George Samia, Town Administrator presented the FY16 Board of Selectmen's budget.

Action Items

M/Sheedy, s/Dowling, a unanimous vote, approve the request from Crystal Hudson for the use of the Town Common on April 25, 2015 from 10:00 a.m. – 1:00 p.m. for a Community Cleanup.

Board Discussions

A lengthy discussion was held with regards to the Board's reconsideration of the request of School Committee member Jennifer Kitchenham to reschedule Town Meeting from May 11, 2015, as stated in the Town's by-law, to June 1, 2015, in order for the School Department to provide factual budget information to the townspeople.

M/Sheedy, S/Dowling, a unanimous vote, approve the request of School Committee member Jennifer Kitchenham to reschedule Annual Town Meeting from May 11, 2015 to June 1, 2015.

M/Sheedy, s/Dowling, a unanimous vote, approve to re-schedule the Annual Town Meeting from May 11, 2015 to June 1, 2015.

M/Crowley, s/Dowling, a unanimous vote to re-organize the Board of Selectmen

M/Crowley, s/Dowling, nominate David Sheedy as Chairman of the Board of Selectmen.
Vote: Yes – Crowley; Dowling; Sheedy

M/Crowley, s/Sheedy, nominate William Dowling as Clerk of the Board of Selectmen.
Vote: Yes – Crowley; Sheedy; Dowling

Jonathan White of 10 Crosby Road was present in the audience and requested information on the recall process for elected officials. Mr. Sheedy stated that there is no recall process here in Town; that a charter would have to be adopted for such an action.

M/Sheedy, s/Dowling, motion to adjourn.

VOTE: Yes – Crowley, Sheedy, Dowling; a unanimous vote in favor

Meeting adjourned at 7:33 pm



Board of Selectmen Clerk