

**Town of Rowe – FY2013**  
**Board of Selectmen – Meeting Minutes**  
**Tuesday, May 7, 2013 – 9:00am**  
**Rowe Town Hall**

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**Call to Order:** The meeting was called to order by Chairman Wilson at 9:00pm.

**Present:** Chairman Marilyn Wilson, Vice Chairman Paul McLatchy III, and Selectman Noel Abbott

**Also Present:** Town Coordinator Ellen Miller, Ann Foshay

**May 21<sup>st</sup> STM Warrant:** The Select Board reviewed two versions of draft warrants. One version contained both an article asking to see if the town will vote to rebuild the Rowe Elementary School, and an article asking to see if the town will vote to appropriate funds for constructing a school. Vice Chairman McLatchy stated that the first article was unnecessary as the next article asking for an appropriation to construct the school would serve the same purpose. Selectman Abbott agreed that he felt it was not needed. Chairman Wilson made a motion that the warrant that included the simple yes/no article and the appropriation article be approved. The motion failed for lack of a second. Vice Chairman McLatchy made a motion to accept the version without the first article asking for a yes/no vote on whether the school should be rebuilt or not. The motion was seconded and the vote was two in favor and one (Chairman Wilson) opposed (2/1/0).

**Presentation at May 21 STM:** The Select Board unanimously (3/0/0) agreed that both Dan Pallotta of P3 (our Owner's Project Manager) and Chip Greenberg of Greenberg Associates (our architect) be at the May 21<sup>st</sup> STM and to give presentations and be available to answer questions concerning the new school building project.

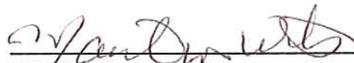
**Town Counsel:** The Select Board instructed Ms. Miller to ask Town Counsel Brian Riley to attend the May 13<sup>th</sup> and May 21<sup>st</sup> town meetings.

**Summer School Use of Town Hall:** A letter was received from Rowe Elementary School Principal Bill Knittle requesting use of the town hall (4 separate spaces) for summer school for the period July 2<sup>nd</sup> through August 1<sup>st</sup>. The Select Board voted unanimously (3/0/0) to approve the use of the town hall for summer school.

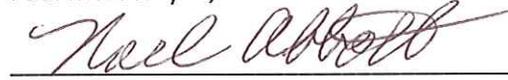
**Adjournment:** The Select Board voted unanimously (3/0/0) to adjourn the meeting at 9:20am.

Respectfully submitted,  
Ellen B. Miller  
Town Coordinator

Approved:

  
Marilyn Wilson, Chairman

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Paul McLatchy III, Vice Chairman

  
Noel Abbott

May 8, 2013  
Date Approved

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**Attachments:**

- Agenda
- May 21<sup>st</sup> STM Warrant
- Request from Rowe School to use TH for summer school