MINUTES FOR ROWE FINANCE COMMITTEE
MEETING OF APRIL 3, 2015

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Audience of Citizens Present: Bruce Cowie, Sean Loomis, Lisa Danek-Burke, and John Lev

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