

TOWN OF GILL

MASSACHUSETTS



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SELECTBOARD MEETING MINUTES

June 11, 2012

Call to Order: The Selectboard meeting was called to order at 4:00pm.

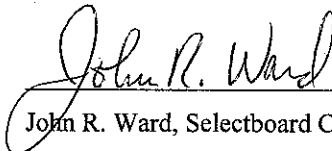
Present: Randy Crochier, Ann Banash and John Ward, Selectboard members; Ray Purington, Admin. Assistant.

FY13 Budget & Town Meeting: The Board reviewed a draft of the motions and explanations for the articles to be taken up during the June 19th continuation of Annual Town Meeting. It was suggested that the usual handout for the omnibus budget be rotated from portrait to landscape in order to create room for a column to explain any amounts that changed by more than 5%. The Highway Superintendent will be asked to have details that support the need for the \$9,000 that has been added to his budget, and have an explanation of what will happen to roads and other services if the extra is not provided.

It is expected there will be an amendment offered to Article 7 that will increase the salaries of the Town Clerk, Tax Collector and Treasurer by \$1,000 each. If the amendment passes, the higher amount will be added to the motion for the omnibus budget. Funds for the extra \$3,000 will come from raising estimates on local receipts or from a Special Town Meeting to redirect savings realized by lower-than-expected fuel bids.

Adjournment: The Selectboard adjourned at 5:10p.m.

Minutes respectfully submitted by Ray Purington, Administrative Assistant.



John R. Ward, Selectboard Clerk