

**ABINGTON TOWN HALL**  
**WEEKLY UPDATE**  
**WEEK ENDING 5-30-2009**

**SELECTMEN HAVE VOTED THAT ACTION ON THE FY 10 BUDGET BE POSTPONED UNTIL JUNE 15, 2009**

The Board of Selectmen have voted to postpone Town Meeting action on the budget until Monday June 15, 2009

Town Meeting action on the budget has already been postponed twice -- at the Annual Town Meeting it was voted to postpone action on the budget until May 11th. The Selectmen, Finance Committee and School committee then voted to recommend that Town Meeting action on the budget be continued until June 1, 2009 -- Town Meeting did vote on May 11th to postpone budget action until June 1st.

Unlike the last time, the Selectmen are the only board recommending to once again delay budget action. The recommendation was made after hearing from the local legislatures as to the status of the state budget -- it is anticipated that a conference committee will address local aid levels and possibly offer a joint resolution on local aid within the next two weeks -- an action that will give the town more reliable local aid information.

The Finance Committee has voted not to delay action on the budget, and to proceed on June 1st. Recommendations from the Finance Committee are forthcoming -- when received they will be posted on the web site and copies will be made available at this office and at Town Meeting.

Town Meeting will still be held Monday, June 1, 7:00 pm. at the high school -- a motion will be offered by the Selectmen postponing the meeting until June 15<sup>th</sup>.

**UPCOMING TOWN HALL MEETINGS:**

Board of Selectmen -- June 1, 2009 -- 6:30pm (Held at the High School due to Town Meeting)

Relay for Life -- June 1, 2009 -- 7:00 pm.

School Committee -- June 2, 2009 -- 7:00 pm

Abington Citizens Scholarship Foundation -- June 3, 2009 -- 7:00 pm.

Green Committee – June 4, 2009 – 6:30 pm.

Relay for Life – June 4, 2009 – 7:00 pm.

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