

ASSISTANT TO BOARD OF SELECTMEN'S REPORT

May 25, 2011

- The Selectmen received a letter of thanks from an Ashby resident praising the Town's Emergency Service Departments (please read letter on camera).
- Repairs to Rindge Road began on Monday, May 23rd. Road work is expected to continue for two weeks. There will be temporary closures and delays. The Highway Department appreciates your patience throughout this road project which was funded by a STRAP Grant.
- After the Annual Town Election there is still a vacant position on the Cemetery Commission. If anyone is interested in serving please call Dan Harju at 386-0280.
- Please read list of Memorial Day Activities and show flyer on camera.
- Volunteers needed for the Council on Aging Chore Program. Help your community by volunteering a few hours to clean up a senior's yard. Make it a family outing and teach your kids the value of being a volunteer. Call the COA office at 978-386-2424 ext. 27 to sign up.
- The Selectmen have received the following mail, email, memos and faxes:
 - ❖ Notification to Abutters of Notice of Intent and Upcoming Hearing
 - ❖ Invitations to Monty Tech's 2011 Senior Awards Presentations and 2011 Graduation Ceremony
 - ❖ Copies of a letter to Superintendent Marshall regarding selection to receive NERAC STARS Toolkits
 - ❖ Invitation to MDPH Public Health District Incentive Grant Program Kick-off Meeting with MRPC
 - ❖ MRPC's CEDS Meeting Agenda
 - ❖ Invitation to MMA Leadership Conference for Selectmen
 - ❖ Invitation to Unitil's Annual Municipal Electric Storm Meeting/Update
- Public Service Announcements:
 - + All eligible individuals (seniors and ADA qualified) wishing to participate in the Meals on Wheels Program should contact Kathryn Becker at 386-6880. Meals are only \$2.00 and are now delivered Monday through Friday around noon.
 - + MART Shuttle Service is available to all eligible (60 years or older, ADA qualified) individuals. Ashby residents may use the van Monday through Friday for medical appointments, social day care and shopping. Interested residents should call Jennifer Collins Monday through Thursday at 386-2501, ext. 11 to apply and schedule use.
 - + Current Board, Committee, and Department Vacancies: Cemetery Commissioner, Cultural Council, Historical Commission, Senior Tax Work-off Program, and ZBA