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Wilton Library Friends meet for the 115th year on Sunday, June 13

Wilton, CT – Wilton Library Association's 115th gathering of the Friends of the Library takes place Sunday, June 13, beginning at 4 p.m. with a general business meeting followed by a presentation by Bill Hosley, advocate for Connecticut and New England history and art.

The meeting includes the election of officers and trustees, along with recognition of staff member and volunteer of the year. This year's proposed slate of officers is Judy Higby, president; Michael Kaelin, vice president; Whitney Janeway, secretary; and Holly Sexton, treasurer. Retiring board members David Clune, Greg Jansen, Marianne Howatson and Susan Sullivan will be honored and new board members will be welcomed.

Guest speaker Mr. Hosley will speak on "More than Books: Libraries, Community and Historic Preservation," tracing almost 200 years in American library practice with a special focus on New England and its many municipal, historic and specialty research libraries. His background is in history, art history, economics and American culture, with degrees from Middlebury College (BA, Economics), the Winterthur Program (University of Delaware) and University of Colorado (Museum Management) that complement more than 30 years of experience in historic preservation, exhibition and program development, institutional advancement and planning and marketing.

The annual meeting is open to the public. A reception will follow the meeting, awards and presentation. Advance registration is encouraged. For information, registration or directions visit www.wiltonlibrary.org/events or call 203-762-3950 ext. 270. Wilton Library is located at 137 Old Ridgefield Road in the heart of Wilton Center. The library will close at 4 p.m. to accommodate the meeting.

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