

The Newton Community School District will do whatever it takes to ensure all students learn to **think, innovate, and succeed.**

**Newton Community School Board of Education
Regular Board Meeting**

E. J. H. Beard Administration Center
1302 First Avenue West
Newton, IA 50208

January 9, 2017 – 6:30 PM

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AGENDA

- I. Call to Order** – Travis Padget, President
- II. Roll Call** – Christine Dawson, Recording Secretary
- III. Communications** – Bob Callaghan, Superintendent
 - A. Coats for Kids Donation (Woodrow Wilson) – Anonymous
 - B. Clothing Donation – Barbara Slycord
 - C. Donation to Mrs. Heidemann’s Classroom – Lydia Biondi
- IV. Consent Agenda** – Travis Padget, President – (**Action Item**)
 - A. Agenda
 - B. Minutes of Regular Board Meeting – December 12, 2016
 - C. Open Enrollments
 - D. Fundraiser Requests
 1. Pacesetter Clinic
- V. Human Resources Update** – Bob Callaghan, Superintendent – (**Action Item**)
 - A. Certified Personnel
 - B. Classified Personnel
- VI. Open Forum** – Travis Padget, President
- VII. Public Hearing** – (6:45 PM)
Resolution to Consider Continued Participation in the Instructional Support Program
- VIII. Superintendent’s Report** – Bob Callaghan, Superintendent
 - A. **Free and Reduced Information**
 - B. **Statewide Public Meetings Regarding Iowa’s Every Student Succeeds Act (ESSA) Draft Plan – January 9 – 19, 2017**
 - C. **Inclement Weather Notification**
 - D. **Newton Leadership Forum**
 - E. **Substance Abuse Committee**

- IX. Learning, Leadership, and District Business** – Bob Callaghan, Superintendent and Gayle Isaac, Board Secretary & Director of Business Services
- A. **Consider Resolution to Continue Participation in the Instructional Support Program** – Gayle Isaac, Director of Business Services – **(Action Item)**
 - B. **Iowa Department of Education School Report Card Information** – Bob Callaghan, Superintendent – (Discussion Item)
 - C. **Presentation of Newton Community Education Association (NCEA) Initial Proposal – January 11, 2017 (3:45 PM)** – Bob Callaghan, Superintendent – (Discussion Item)
 - D. **Superintendent Evaluation Schedule** – Travis Padget, Board President – (Discussion Item)
- X. Business Service Report** – Gayle Isaac, Director of Business Services
- A. **Approval of Bills** – **(Action Item)**
- XI. New Business – Old Business** – Bob Callaghan, Superintendent
- A. **Future Meeting Dates**
 - 1. **Board Work Session – 5:30 PM January 23, 2017** – (E.J.H. Beard Administration Center)
Gary Sinclair – IASB/Forecast 5 (Budget)
 - 2. **Regular Board Meeting – 6:30 PM January 23, 2017** – (E. J. H. Beard Administration Center)
 - 3. **Day on the Hill** – (January 24, 2017) – Des Moines
 - 4. **Action Advocacy Workshop** – (January 26, 2017) – Ankeny
- XII. Adjourn**