

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

**October 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
- IV. Consent Agenda** – Travis Padget, President – (**Action Item**)
  - A. Agenda
  - B. Minutes of Board Work Session – September 25, 2017
  - C. Minutes of Regular Board Meeting – September 25, 2017
  - D. Fundraiser Requests
    1. Berg Middle School
      - a. Athletics – Card Sales
    2. Newton High School
      - a. Art Club – Bake Sale
      - b. Cheerleading – Vendor Fair
      - c. Drama – Dinner Theatre
      - d. Empower Tanzania Club – Fall Bake Sale
      - e. Empower Tanzania Club – Pop Can Drive
      - f. FFA – Fruit & Cheese Sale
      - g. Pacesetters – 2017 Pink Out Shirts
- V. Human Resources Update** – Bob Callaghan, Superintendent – (**Action Item**)
  - A. Certified Personnel
  - B. Classified Personnel
- VI. Open Forum** – Travis Padget, President
- VII. Superintendent’s Report** – Bob Callaghan, Superintendent
  - A. Softball Complex Update
  - B. Berg Complex Update
  - C. Preliminary Certified Enrollment Report

**VIII. Learning, Leadership, and District Business** – Bob Callaghan, Superintendent and Gayle Isaac, Board Secretary & Director of Business Services

- A. **Request for Field Trip Approval: Newton FFA Travel to 90<sup>th</sup> National FFA Convention & Expo, Indianapolis, IN – October 25 – 28, 2017** – Bill Peters, Principal and James Horn, Teacher – **(Action Item)**
- B. **Consider Purchase of a 2018 Chevrolet Silverado 2500HD 4WD Crew Cab for the Newton Community School District Maintenance Department from Karl Chevrolet via State Contract for a Total Sales Price of \$30,115.90** – Jack Sutteck, Maintenance Supervisor and Gayle Isaac, Director of Business Services – **(Action Item)**
- C. **Consider Candidacy Nomination for a District Director, IASB Board of Directors** – Gayle Isaac, Board Secretary – **(Discussion/Action Item)**
- D. **Consideration of Addition of Classified Special Education Staff** – Bob Callaghan, Superintendent and Gayle Isaac, Director of Business Services – **(Discussion/Action Item)**
- E. **Early Retirement Consideration** – Gayle Isaac, Director of Business Services – **(Discussion/Action Item)**
- F. **Denison Update** – Travis Padget, President and Ann Leonard, Vice-President – **(Discussion Item)**

**IX. Business Service Report** – Gayle Isaac, Director of Business Services

- A. **Approval of Bills** – **(Action Item)**
- B. **Audit** – October 9 – 11, 2017

**X. New Business – Old Business** – Bob Callaghan, Superintendent

A. **Future Meeting Dates**

1. **Regular Board Meeting – 6:30 PM October 23, 2017** – (E.J.H. Beard Administration Center)
2. **Future Work Session or Meeting Dates**
3. **72<sup>nd</sup> Annual IASB Convention & Trade Show–November 15 – 17, 2017** - (Des Moines)

**XI. Adjourn**