

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

February 27, 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. Preserve the Pride Committee – Chamber of Commerce Key Award
 - B. Excellence in Education
 - C. Student Artwork – Sarah Prendergast
- IV. Consent Agenda** – Travis Padget, President – (**Action Item**)
 - A. Agenda
 - B. Minutes of Board Work Session – February 13, 2017
 - C. Minutes of Regular Board Meeting – February 13, 2017
 - D. Minutes of Special Board Meeting – February 17, 2017
 - E. Open Enrollments
 - F. Fundraiser Requests
 1. NHS Art Department & Art Club – Candy Bar Sales
- 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. Principal’s Reports
 - B. Legislative Update
 - C. Current Student Information
 1. Enrollment Summary
 2. Attendance Data
 3. Transiency Report
 - D. Discipline Data – BMS & NHS

- VIII. Learning, Leadership, and District Business** – Bob Callaghan, Superintendent and Gayle Isaac, Board Secretary & Director of Business Services
- A. **Board to Consider Adopting a Resolution Directing the Advertisement for Sale of not to Exceed \$10,000,000 General Obligation School Bonds, Series 2017, Approving Electronic Bidding Procedures and Approving Official Statement** – Gayle Isaac, Director of Business Services – (Action Item)
 - B. **Special Education Follow Up Plans** – Tina Ross, Director of Special Programs – (Discussion Item)
 - C. **Denison Culture Survey Update** – Travis Padget, Robyn Friedman, and Laura Selover, Director of Human Resources – (Discussion Item)
- IX. Business Service Report** – Gayle Isaac, Director of Business Services
- A. **Approval of Bills** – (Action Item)
 - B. **Budget Preparation Update**
 - C. **Upcoming Bond Sale Timeline**
- X. New Business – Old Business** – Bob Callaghan, Superintendent
- A. **Future Meeting Dates**
 - 1. **Board Work Session – 5:30 PM March 13, 2017** – (E. J. H. Beard Administration Center)
 - 2. **Regular Board Meeting – 6:30 PM March 13, 2017** – (E. J. H. Beard Administration Center)
- XI. Closed Session – Superintendent Evaluation**
- “Move to hold a closed session as provided in Chapter 21.5(1)(i) of the Iowa Code to evaluate the professional competency of an individual whose performance is being considered to prevent needless and irreparable injury to that individual’s reputation as that individual has requested a closed session.”*
- XII. Adjourn**