

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

March 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. DECA – State Qualifiers
 - B. Speech – State Qualifiers
 - C. Bowling – Seth Banwell, IGCA District Bowling Coach of the Year
 - D. Boys Varsity Basketball – State Qualifiers
 - E. Tip Line
 - F. Moody’s Rating Letter
- IV. Consent Agenda** – Travis Padget, President – (**Action Item**)
 - A. Agenda
 - B. Minutes of Board Work Session – March 13, 2017
 - C. Minutes of Regular Board Meeting – March 13, 2017
 - D. Open Enrollments
 - E. February Financials
 - F. Fundraiser Requests
 1. NHS DECA – Sponsor T-Shirt Sales for Natl DECA Conference Student Expenses
 2. NHS DECA – Hello Spring! Handmade Product Sales for Natl DECA Conference Student Expense
 3. NHS Volleyball – Cookie Dough Sales for Volleyball Uniforms
- 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. Current Student Information
 1. Enrollment Summary
 2. Attendance Data
 3. Transiency Report

- VIII. Learning, Leadership, and District Business** – Bob Callaghan, Superintendent and Gayle Isaac, Board Secretary & Director of Business Services
- A. **Resolution Appointing Bankers Trust Company of Des Moines, Iowa to Serve as Paying Agent, Bond Registrar, and Transfer Agent, Approving the Paying Agent, Bond Registrar and Transfer Agent Agreement and Authorizing the Execution of Same** – Gayle Isaac, Director of Business Services – **(Action Item)**
 - B. **Tax Exemption Certificate be Placed on File and Approved** – Gayle Isaac, Director of Business Services – **(Action Item)**
 - C. **Continuing Disclosure Certificate be Placed on File and Approved** – Gayle Isaac, Director of Business Services – **(Action Item)**
 - D. **Resolution Authorizing the Issuance of General Obligation School Bonds, Series 2017, of the Newton Community School District, State of Iowa, in the Amount of \$9,620,000 and Levying a Tax for the Payment Thereof** – Gayle Isaac, Director of Business Services – **(Action Item)**
 - E. **Consideration of Extending 2017 – 2018 Contracts to Certified Staff** – Bob Callaghan, Superintendent and Laura Selover, Director of Human Resources – **(Action Item)**
 - F. **Consideration of Approval of the 2017 – 2018 School Year Calendar** – Bob Callaghan, Superintendent and Laura Selover, Director of Human Resources – **(Discussion/Action Item)**
 - G. **Discussion of the 2017 – 2018 Budgetary and Tax Rate Proposals** – Bob Callaghan, Superintendent and Gayle Isaac, Director of Business Services – **(Discussion Item)**
 - H. **Consideration of Adjustments to the April and May 2017 Regularly Scheduled Meetings of the Board of Education** – Bob Callaghan, Superintendent – **(Action Item)**
- IX. Business Service Report** – Gayle Isaac, Director of Business Services
- A. **Approval of Bills** – **(Action Item)**
- X. New Business – Old Business** – Bob Callaghan, Superintendent
- A. **Future Meeting Dates**
 - 1. **Board Work Session – 5:30 PM April 10, 2017** – (E. J. H. Beard Administration Center)
 - 2. **Regular Board Meeting – 6:30 PM April 10, 2017** – (E. J. H. Beard Administration Center)
- XI. Adjourn**