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Board of Education Meeting
February 22, 2024

Reed Intermediate School Library
3 Trades Lane, Newtown, CT
7:00 p.m.

As citizens of our community, we will conduct ourselves in accordance with Newtown's Core Character Attributes as displayed in our character tree. We will be responsible for our actions and show respect for each other. We will interact peacefully, productively, and politely. We will be trustworthy and honest and show compassion toward others. Newtown's continued success is contingent upon our ability to persevere, to follow through with our commitments, and to stay focused on the greater good.

AGENDA

- Item 1 PLEDGE OF ALLEGIANCE

- Item 2 CONSENT AGENDA
 - Donation to Newtown High School
 - Correspondence Report

- Item 3 **PUBLIC PARTICIPATION
- Item 4 REPORTS
 - Chair Report
 - Superintendent's Report
 - Committee and Liaison Reports
 - Student Representatives Report
 - Action on Financial Report and Transfers Month Ending January 31, 2024

- Item 5 PRESENTATIONS
 - DEI Update – Nixon & Company Consulting Group

- Item 6 OLD BUSINESS
 - Second Read and Possible Vote on Grade 5 and Grade 6 Band Curriculum

- Item 7 NEW BUSINESS
 - Discussion and Possible Action on "Increasing Educator Diversity Plan"
 - Discussion and Possible Action on 2024-2025 School Calendar
 - Action on Minutes of January 30, 2024
 - Action on Minutes of February 6, 2024
 - Action on Minutes of February 15, 2024

- Item 8 PUBLIC PARTICIPATION

- Item 9 ADJOURNMENT

***During the first Public Participation, the Board welcomes commentary regarding items on the agenda. After being recognized, please state your name and address for the record. We request that speakers be respectful and limit comments to not more than three minutes. The Board of Education does not discuss personnel items or student matters in public. During the second Public Participation, commentary may address the agenda or may introduce issues for the Board to consider in the future. The Board does not engage in dialogue during either public comment period. If you desire more information or answers to specific questions, please email the BOE: NewtownBOE@newtown.k12.ct.us*