

In consideration of public health, open meetings and the Governor's Executive Order No. 7B dated March 10, 2020 regarding PROTECTION OF PUBLIC HEALTH AND SAFETY DURING COVID-19 PANDEMIC AND RESPONSE - FURTHER SUSPENSION OR MODIFICATION OF STATUTES, this meeting will include an option for the public to live-stream or phone in to listen to the audio of the meeting. Please note that public comment will be received by phone at the beginning and end of this meeting**. Alternatively, the Board encourages the public to email any comments for Board consideration to NewtownBOE@newtown.k12.ct.us To listen to the meeting, please call 1-224-572-8160. PIN: 758 782 786#

Board of Education
June 2, 2020

3 Primrose Street (virtual meeting)
6:30 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.

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 - Action on Policy 3171.1 Non-Lapsing Education Fund
- Item 7 NEW BUSINESS
- First Read of
 - Creative Writing Curriculum
 - Journalism Curriculum
 - Action on Whitsons One-Year Contract Renewal
 - Action on Middle Gate School HVAC Project
 - Action on Pay Down of Verkada Security Camera Lease
 - First Read of Policy 3160 Budget Procedures and Line Item Transfers
 - Action on Minutes of May 19, 2020
- Item 8 **PUBLIC PARTICIPATION
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- Superintendent's Self-Evaluation

***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*