

NEWTON INDEPENDENT SCHOOL DISTRICT

Michelle Barrow, Superintendent of Schools

AGENDA

The Newton Independent School District Board of Trustees will hold a Regular Meeting on Monday, March 15, 2021 at 6:00 PM in the Administration Building- 720 Rusk Street, Newton, TX 75966

720 RUSK STREET

NEWTON, TX 75966.

The subjects to be discussed or considered or upon which any formal action may be taken are listed below. Items do not have to be taken in the same order as shown on this meeting notice.

Unless removed from the consent agenda, items identified within the consent agenda will be acted on at one time.

1. Call to Order
2. Prayer and Pledge of Allegiance
3. Public Forum
4. Reports from Administrators
 1. Superintendent's Comments
 2. Principal Reports
5. Financial Reports: Investment Report
6. Delinquent Tax Report - Feb. 2021
7. Consent Action Agenda

Items 1-2 listed below are considered to be routine by the Board of Trustees and will be considered and if appropriate, enacted with one motion. There will not be separate discussion of items unless a Board Member so requests, in which event the item will be removed from the consent agenda and considered as a separate item on the Regular Agenda.

1. Minutes - February 22nd and March 9th
 2. Order of Cancellation for School Board Trustee Election
8. Regular Action Agenda
 1. Consider and, if Appropriate, Approve Voting for Region 5 Board of Directors by Provided Ballot in the Region 5 Board of Directors Election
 2. Consider and, if Appropriate, Approve Date for Superintendent Evaluation
9. Executive Session

This closed session will be held in accordance with Section 551.001-551.084 of the Texas Government Code. (The Open Meetings Act) Should final vote be required with regard to any action, final decisions or vote will be taken in public open meeting.

****551.071, 551.074, 551.082, and 551.0821**

1. Resignations
2. Contracts

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BOARD BRIEFS

The Newton Independent School District Board of Trustees held a regular meeting Monday, March 15, 2021 at 6:00 p.m. at NISD Administration Building, located at 720 Rusk Street, Newton, Texas 75966.

Board Members present were Donnie Meek, Johnny Westbrook, Brent Noble, Edwina Lewis (by zoom) and Misti Spacek (by zoom).

Administrator present was Michelle Barrow.

ACTION ITEMS:

Approved Board Minutes- Feb 22nd and March 9th

Approved Order of Cancellation for School Board Trustee Election

Approved Voting for Region 5 Board of Directors by Provided Ballot in the Region 5 Board of Directors Election

Approved April 19th Date for Superintendent Evaluation

PERSONNEL:

Resignations:

Thelma Williams	ES Teacher	effective 6/18/2021
Kelli Gooch	ES Teacher	effective 6/16/2021
Ralph Lewis	ES Teacher	effective 6/16/2021
Susy Balsano	MS Teacher	effective 6/16/2021

Teacher Contracts:

See Contract List Below

Special Services:

Newton Special Services:			2021-2022
Last Name	First Name	# Days	Recommended
Choice	Lenora	193	Non Cert Contract
Copeland	Chase	187	2021-2022 Dual Prob
Matthews	Delia	193	2021-2022 Term
McKneely	Marilyn	193	2021-2022 Term

High School:

Newton High School:			2021-2022
Last Name	First Name	#days	Recommended
Amburn	Jolene	187	2021-2022 Prob
Burkhalter	Wesley	187	No Action
Casper	Douglas	187	2021-22 Dual Term
Casper	Jennifer	187	2021-22 Term
Copeland	Kristyn	187	2021-2022 Prob
Elam	Roney	187	Moved to MS
Geraci	Billy	207	2021-2022 Prob

Gilkerson	Chadrick	187		2021-2022 Term
Gulley	James	187		DOI
Hall	Mercedes	187		2021-2022 Term (R/R)
Hatton	Daphne	187		2021-2022 Term
Henderson	Elizabeth	187		DOI
Hicks	Karen	187		Resigned
Hogan	Janis	198		2021-2022 Term
Johnston	Kelsey	187		DOI
Jones	Kay	187		2021-2022 Term
Lewis	Jared	187		SRO
Marshall	Brad	193		2021-2022 Term
Mays	Rosie	187		NA
McCowen	Makayla	187		2021-2022 Prob
Mijares	Elizabeth	187		DOI
Odom	Daniel	220		2021-2022 Term
Osment	Carol	187		2021-2022 Term
Parks	Jeffery	187		DOI
Richmond	Phyllis	220		2021-2022 Term
Russell	Jeremy	187		2021-2022 Dual Term
Samples	Doug	187		2021-2022 Dual Term
Singletary	Jutina	187		2021-2022 Prob
Staley	Addison	187		2021-2022 Dual Prob
Trammell	Sarah	220		2021-2022 Term
Vaughn	Jill	187		2021-2022 Term
Williams	Rosemary	187		2021-2022 (R/R)

Middle School:

Newton Middle School:				2021-2022
Last Name	First Name	#days		Recommended
Balsano	Susy	187		Resigned
Belcher	Wanda	187		2021-2022 Term
Campbell	Christy	187		2021-2022 Term
Couey	Jennifer	187		2021-2022 Term
Davis	Bethany	187		2021-2022 Term
Dubose	Leanne	198		2021-2022 Term
Fomby	Amber	187		2021-2022 Term
Frost	Karry	187		2021-2022 Term
Geigley	Cole	187		2021-2022 Dual Prob
Haltom	Sandra	187		2021-2022 Term
Hensarling	Hannah	187		2021-2022 Term
Hudson	Traci	187		2021-2022 Term
Jenkins	Corey	187		2021-2022 Dual Prob
Johnson	Erica	187		2021-2022 Term
Kelley	Josiah	187		2021-2022 Dual Term

Kelley	Mattie	187		Resigned
Kellum	Lenora	187		2021-2022 Term
Kenebrew	Lakeesha	187		2021-2022 Term
Loftin	Michelle	187		2021-2022 Term
Marshall	Tammy	198		2021-2022 Term
McCullough	Trish	187		2021-2022 Term
Messer	Billy	187		2021-2022 Term
Morgan	Sarah	187		2021-2022 Dual Prob
Spencer	Andrea	187		2021-2022 Prob
Spivey	Kelly	187		2021-2022 Term
Staley	Hope	187		2021-2022 Dual Prob
White	Laurel	187		2021-2022 Term
Winters	Eugene	187		2021-2022 Term
Elam	Roney	187		No Action

Elementary:

Newton Elementary School:				2021-2022
Last Name	First Name	#days		Recommended
Autin	Karen	187		2021-2022 Term
Daniel	Katy	187		2021-2022 Term
Davis	Tarryn	187		2021-2022 Prob
Dean	Beverly	187		2021-2022 Term
Dobbs	Celina	187		2021-2022 Term
Felder	Karen	187		2021-2022 Term
Fomby	Chelsey	187		Resigned
Foster	Whitney	187		2021-2022 Term
Gooch	Kelli	187		Resigned
Goodwin	Karrie	187		2021-2022 Term
Gulley	Patricia	187		2021-2022 Term
Haley	Donna	187		2021-2022 Term
Hall	Bettina	187		2021-2022 Prob
Issac	Maya	187		2021-2022 Term
Jarrell	Jennifer	187		2021-2022 Prob
Jarrell	Rachel	187		2021-2022 Term
Jenkins	Alyssa	187		2021-2022 Term
Knight	Allison	187		Non Cert Contract
Lemons	Connie	187		2021-2022 Term
Lewis	Ralph	187		Resigned
McMahon	Kathryn	187		2021-2022 Term
Messer	Ashley	187		2021-2022 Term
Mooney-Moss	Amanda	198		2021-2022 Term
Odom	Brittany	187		2021-2022 Term
Peppas	Marsha	187		2021-2022 Term
Perkins	JoAnn	187		2021-2022 Term

Richardson	Sarah	187		NA
Smith	Dwight	187		No Action
Thomas	Mary	187		2021-2022 Term
Thomas	Renee	187		2021-2022 Term
Vosti	Frances	187		2021-2022 Term
Westbrook	Barbara	187		2021-2022 Term
Whitley	Alice	187		2021-2022 Prob
Wilkerson	Kelsie	187		2021-2022 Prob
Williams	Cara	187		2021-2022 Term
Williams	Shelly	187		2021-2022 Term
Williams	Thelma	187		Resigned