

*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.*

## A G E N D A

- Item 1                    PLEDGE OF ALLEGIANCE
- Item 2                    CONSENT AGENDA
- Minutes of November 20, 2018
  - Donation to Sandy Hook School
  - Donation to Newtown Middle School
  - Donation to Newtown High School
  - Correspondence Report
- Item 3                    \*\*PUBLIC PARTICIPATION
- Item 4                    REPORTS
- Chair Report
  - Superintendent's Report
  - Committee Reports
  - Newtown High School Student Representative Reports
  - Action on Financial Report & Transfers for the Month Ending October 31, 2018
- Item 5                    OLD BUSINESS
- Discussion Regarding Pay to Participate Fees
  - Discussion and Possible Action Regarding Use of the Non-lapsing Fund
- Item 6                    NEW BUSINESS
- Overview of Region 12 Agriscience Program
  - Newtown High School Non-Athletic Activities Self-Study
  - First Read of Policies:
    - 4212.42 Drug and Alcohol testing for School Bus Drivers
    - 5141.21 Administering Medication
    - 6151 Class Size
    - 6153 Field Trips
  - Action on Minutes of November 6, 2018
- Item 7                    \*\*PUBLIC PARTICIPATION
- Item 8                    EXECUTIVE SESSION
- Personnel Matter
- Item 9                    PUBLIC SESSION FOR POSSIBLE VOTE ON EXECUTIVE SESSION ITEM
- Item 10                    ADJOURNMENT

*\*\*During the first Public Participation, the Board welcomes commentary regarding items on the agenda. After being recognized, please come to the front table and begin by stating 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 complete the Citizen's Request for Information form located on the table.*