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.

REVISED AGENDA

Item 1  CALL TO ORDER

Item 2  EXECUTIVE SESSION
• Update on Contract Negotiations with Nurses
• Contract Considerations Pertaining to NFT and NASA
• Litigation with Transportation Contracted Services
• Update on New Sandy Hook School Security

Item 3  PUBLIC SESSION/PLEDGE OF ALLEGIANCE

Item 4  CELEBRATION OF EXCELLENCE

Item 5  CONSENT AGENDA
• Donations, Personnel Items, and Correspondence Report

Item 6  PUBLIC PARTICIPATION

Item 7  REPORTS
• Chair Report
• Superintendent’s Report
• Committee Reports
• Summer School/Booster Program Report

Item 8  OLD BUSINESS
• Sandy Hook Construction Update/Action on Phase 4 Building Construction Document and Cost Estimate

Item 9  NEW BUSINESS
• Action on TEAM Program Support Plan for 2014-2017
• Action on 2015-2016 School Budget Development Calendar
• Action on Selection of Building Committee for the High School Auditorium Project
• Action on Request for High School Auditorium Project
• Approve the Minutes of September 16, 2014
• Approve the Minutes of September 30, 2014

Item 10  PUBLIC PARTICIPATION

Item 11  ADJOURNMENT

During Public Participation, the Board welcomes commentary from citizens regarding agenda items. We request that speakers be concise and respectful in their comments, do not make reference to specific persons, avoid repetition of comments made by other speakers and limit comments to no more than three minutes. The first Public Participation will be confined to agenda items only. The second Public Participation will be for agenda items as well as issues the public wishes the Board to consider in the future. The Board of Education does not discuss personnel items in public. If you desire more information or answers to specific questions, please complete the Citizen’s Request for Information form located on the table.