

**Newark Community High School #18
Board of Education Regular Meeting
October 15, 2026
6:30 p.m. – LRC**

Agenda

- 1. Call to Order**
- 2. Roll Call**
- 3. Welcome Guests and Visitors**
 - a. Public Comment in accordance with Board Policy 2:230 individuals may address the board only at the appropriate time as indicated on the agenda and when recognized by the board president. Comments shall be limited to 3 minutes.
 - b. Teacher Comment
- 4. Communications**
- 5. Consent Agenda Items**
 - a. Approval of Public Budget Hearing Minutes and Minutes of Regular Meeting of September 24, 2026.
 - b. Financial Report-Fund Balances as of September 30, 2026
 - c. Approval of Bills and Requisitions
- 6. Board Business:**
 - a. Approval of Second Reading of Board Policies - 2:230, 3:70, 4:175, 5:40, 5:110, 5:140, 6:70, 5:240, 6:80, 6:190, 7:80, 7:330, 8:10, 8:70 – Possible Action
 - b. Approval Memorandum of Understanding with NHSEA – Technology Coordinator Position – Possible Action
 - c. Appoint a Board Representative for IASB Resolutions Committee – Possible Action
 - d. Second Reading of the 2027-2028 School Calendar – Possible Action
 - e. Approval to solicit bids for 3rd floor HVAC project – Possible Action
 - f. EAV Update – Informational
 - g. Softball and Baseball Fields - Informational
 - h. Building & Grounds Update – Informational
 - i. Principal's Report – Informational
- 7. Closed Session to:**
 - a. Review Closed Session Minutes from September 24, 2026 (5 ILCS 120/2 (C) (21).)

- b. Discuss School personnel. (As per the Illinois Open Meeting Act, “the appointment, employment, compensation, discipline, performance, or dismissal of specific employees of the public body” (5 ILCS 120/2 (C) (1)).
- c. Discuss Student Discipline. (As per the Illinois Open Meeting Act, “the discussion of student discipline” (5 ILCS 120/2 (c)(9)
- d. Collective negotiating matters between the public body and its employees or their representatives, or deliberations concerning salary schedules for one or more classes of employees (5 ILCS 120/2 (C) (2))
- e. Litigation, when an action against, affecting or on behalf of the particular public body has been filed and is pending before a court or administrative tribunal, or when the public body finds that an action is probable or imminent, in which case the basis for the finding shall be recorded and entered into the minutes of the closed meeting. 5 ILCS 120/2(c)(11).
- f. Discuss the selection of a person to fill a public office, as defined by the Open Meetings Act, including the vacancy in a public office, when the public body is given power to appoint under law or ordinance, or the discipline, performance or removal of the occupant of a public office, when the public body is given power to remove the occupant under law or ordinance. (5 ILCS 120/2 © (3))

8. Action Taken as a Result of Closed Session

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9. **Upcoming Action Items, Activities, and Events**

- a. Next Board Meeting – Thursday, November 12, 2026 at 6:30 p.m.
- b. Illinois Association of School Boards (IASB) Conference – Nov. 20-22, 2026
- c. Schedule a Transportation Committee Meeting
- d. Schedule a Finance Committee Meeting
- e. Staff Holiday Party – December 12th 6-10pm Cedardell Golf Course

10. **Other Matters of Discussion**

11. **Adjournment**