

**Newton County Board of Education**  
**Tuesday, October 25, 2011**  
*Regular Monthly Session Agenda*

- I. Call to Order at 6:00 p.m.
- II. Motion to Enter Executive Session to Discuss Appointment, Employment and Compensation of Employees, Land Acquisition and Potential Litigation
- III. Return to Open Session at 7:00 p.m.
- IV. Welcome
- V. Invocation – Ms. Henderson-Baker
- VI. Pledge of Allegiance – Ms. Henderson-Baker
- VII. Special Recognition
- VIII. Public Participation
- IX. Approval of Agenda
- X. Approval of Minutes
- XI. Superintendent’s Reports
  - A. Operations
    - 1. Financial Report
    - 2. Operations Report
  - B. Curricular, Instructional/Technology Program
    - 1. Curriculum/Instruction/Technology Report
    - 2. Enrollment Report
- XII. Old Business
  - A. Requested Board Action Relative to Board Policy IHA – Student Grading System of the NCSS Policy Manual
- XIII. New Business
  - A. Requested Board Action Relative to Contracts for Grounds Care and Maintenance of School System Grounds
  - B. Requested Board Action Relative to Purchase of New School Buses
  - C. Requested Board Action Relative to Surplus Items
  - D. Requested Board Action Relative to Waiver of Fees for Use of Newton County Theme School Cafeteria for Annual Thanksgiving Community Dinner
  - E. Requested Board Action Relative to Approval of Second Amendment to Ombudsman Contract
  - F. Requested Board Action Relative to Revision of NCSS Policy JAA – Equal Educational Opportunity
  - G. Requested Board Action Relative to Adoption of NCSS Policy JCAC – Harassment
  - H. Requested Board Action Relative to Rescinding of NCSS Policy JCDA and Adoption of NCSS Policy JCDAG – both related to Bullying
  - I. Discussion of Purchase of NCSS 2012-2013 Student Agendas
  - J. Requested Board Action Relative to Waiver Request from GaDOE for O.C.G.A. §20-2-1183 Possession of Electronic Communication Devices
  - K. Requested Board Action Relative to Superintendent’s Recommendations in Executive Session
- XIV. Other Matters of Interest
- XV. Adjournment

**Reminders:**

***High School Football:***

October 29 : Alcovy - Open date; Eastside vs. Eagles Landing (Senior Night); Newton @ Hughes  
November 4 – Eastside @ Henry Co.; Newton v. Luella (Senior Night)