

Board Notes – August 1, 2025

A special meeting of the Board of Education of Newton Unified School District 373 convened in open and public session at 1:00 p.m. on Friday, August 1, 2025. This was a zoom meeting and was posted to the district's facebook page.

Members Present: Ian Long, Mallory Morton, Andy Ortiz, Melissa Schreiber, Erica Stevens

Members Absent: Dayna Steinmetz

Others Present: Superintendent Fred Van Ranken, Director of Business/Human Resources Jane Nichols, Administrative Assistant/Board Clerk Joni Jantz, and Director of Communications Carly Stavola

1. Opening of Meeting

Melissa Schreiber called the meeting to order at 1:01 p.m.
Move to adopt the agenda as presented.

2. New Business

Ratify the 2025-2026 Negotiated Agreement

— Move to ratify the 2025-2026 Negotiated Agreement between the Newton Education Association and USD 373 Board of Education.

3. Closing of Meeting

Adjournment

Move to adjourn at 1:04 p.m.

Background information on agenda items may be found in BoardDocs at:
<https://go.boarddocs.com/ks/usd373/Board.nsf/Public>