

New Castle Community School Corporation
Special Session – August 5, 2020

The New Castle Community School Board of Trustees met in the Boardroom at the Community Education Center located at 322 Elliott Avenue, New Castle, IN 47362 on August 5, 2020.

Board Members Present: Cory Bennett, Member; Jennifer Blackford, Member; Travis Callaway, President; Nan Polk, Secretary; Kim Williamson, Vice President

Central Office Administrators Present: Matthew Shoemaker, Superintendent; Lisa Smith, Assistant Superintendent; Jena Schmidt, Human Resource Officer, Dr. Greg Crider

Also Present: Approximately 18 community members both in person and virtually.

- I. Call to Order-by President Travis Callaway at 3:03 p.m.
 - A. Roll Call - All members present.
 - B. Approval of Agenda – Nan Polk moved to approve the agenda as presented with a second by Cory Bennett. With no discussion, motion carried 5-0.

- II. New Business
 - A. Personnel – Dr. Shoemaker recommended approval of the personnel report that included three new teachers for the 2020-2021 school year. Nan Polk moved to approve as recommended with a second by Cory Bennett. Motion carried 5-0.
 - B. Athletic Director – Dr. Shoemaker recommended approval of Benjamin Wissel as the new Athletic Director. He read some of Mr. Wissel’s accomplishments as well as a portion of a recommendation letter. After some discussion and comments, Kim Williamson moved to approve the recommendation with a second by Cory Bennett. Motion carried 5-0. Ben Wissel then expressed his eagerness to begin this new adventure at New Castle and introduced his family.

- III. Adjournment – with no further business to come before the Board, the meeting was adjourned at 3:18

President: _____

Vice President: _____

Secretary: _____