

# BOARD BRIEFS

## Action of the Board of Education of Dearborn Heights School District No. 7

At its Regular Meeting on Tuesday, August 1, 2017 the Board of Education discussed/took action on the following items:

- Secretary Bracken read a note of appreciation from Patty Mounsey, speech therapist, thanking Superintendent Mast and the Board of Education for the thoughtful card that acknowledged the passing of her mother.
- In an effort to improve Board of Education practices and procedures, District 7 board members will participate in a self-assessment developed by the Michigan Association of School Boards (MASB). The assessment tool includes 75 questions to measure performance and identify areas of need.
- Mrs. Mast discussed the upcoming Neighborhood Watch Kick-Off Meeting that will take place on August 16th at 6:30 p.m. in the O.W. Best cafeteria. In conjunction with the Dearborn Heights Police Department, District 7 families and community members are encouraged to attend this meeting of information sharing and planning. All of us are the eyes and ears of this community and together, we can make it safer, cleaner and more neighborly.
- Approved the second and final reading of proposed revised and replacement Board Bylaws and Policies as presented:

### COMMITTEE RECOMMENDED UPDATES

*Bylaw #0167.3  
Policy #8500*

*Public Participation at Board Meetings (revised)  
Food Services (revised)*

### NEOLA SPECIAL RELEASE: MAY 2017

*Policy #5630.01*

*Student Seclusion and Restraint (replacement)*

- Accepted the resignation of Rebekah Badwi, teacher, effective August 1, 2017.
- Approved certified staff appointments as presented:

<u>NAME</u>	<u>POSITION</u>	<u>EFFECTIVE DATE</u>
<i>Jessica Harmon</i>	<i>Annapolis-French</i>	<i>9-5-17</i>
<i>Benjamin Lapham</i>	<i>O.W. Best-Math</i>	<i>9-5-17</i>
<i>Brandon Bekius</i>	<i>Annapolis-Phys. Ed./Health</i>	<i>9-5-17</i>

### NEXT REGULAR MEETING

**Tuesday, August 15, 2017**

**7:00 p.m.**

**Board Office**