

Proceedings
February 9, 2026

The school board of Clark School District #12-2 convened in regular session in the library on Monday February 9, 2026, at 6:00pm. The following members were in attendance, Malory McIntire, Lacey Ortberg, Ty Linneman, Troy Mudgett and Travis Peterson via phone. Also in attendance: Superintendent- Travis Ahrens, Business Manager- Mary Rauscher, Elementary Principal –Jon Redmond, MS/HS Principal – Jennifer Heggelund and interested patrons.

2026-090

President McIntire called the meeting to order at 6:00pm with all members saying the Pledge of Allegiance.

No open forum

2026-091

Moved by Ortberg and seconded by Linneman to approve the agenda. Five (5) yes votes Mudgett, Linneman, Ortberg, Peterson, McIntire. Motion carried.

No conflicts of interest or waivers.

2026-092

Moved by Mudgett and seconded by Peterson to approve minutes from January 12, 2026, regular board meeting, financial reports as of January 31, 2026. Five (5) yes votes Mudgett, Linneman, Ortberg, Peterson, McIntire. Motion carried.

2026-093

Moved by Ortberg and seconded by Linneman to approve claims list presented for payment. Five (5) yes votes Mudgett, Linneman, Ortberg, Peterson, McIntire. Motion carried.

School Board Recognition Week February 16th – 20th.

Update of District Policy Review was discussed.

Facility Master Planning was discussed. Next committee meeting February 23, 2026 at 5:00pm.

2026-094

Moved by Mudgett and seconded by Linneman to offer Travis Ahrens a superintendent contract for the 2026-2027 school year with a salary to be determined at a later date. Five (5) yes votes Mudgett, Linneman, Ortberg, Peterson, McIntire. Motion carried.

2026-095

Moved by Linneman and seconded by Ortberg to go into executive session for personnel and administrative evaluations SDCL 1-25-2(1) at 6:46pm. Five (5) yes votes Mudgett, Linneman, Ortberg, Peterson, McIntire. Motion carried.

Open session resumed at 8:45pm

2026-096

Moved by Linneman and seconded by Ortberg to hire an additional Elementary Sped Teacher for the 2026-2027 school year. Five (5) yes votes Mudgett, Linneman, Ortberg, Peterson, McIntire. Motion carried.

2026-097

Moved by Peterson and seconded by Ortberg to offer Mary Rauscher a Business Manager contract for the 2026-2027 school year with salary to be determined at a later date. Five (5) yes votes Mudgett, Linneman, Ortberg, Peterson, McIntire. Motion carried.

2026-098

Moved by Linneman and seconded by Peterson to offer Jennifer Heggelund a MS/HS Principal/Sped Director contract for the 2026-2027 school year with salary to be determined at a later date. Five (5) yes votes Mudgett, Linneman, Ortberg, Peterson, McIntire. Motion carried.

2026-099

Moved by Mudgett and seconded by Linneman to offer Jon Redmond an Elementary/Colony Principal/Title Director contract for the 2026-2027 school year with salary to be determined at a later date. Five (5) yes votes Mudgett, Linneman, Ortberg, Peterson, McIntire. Motion carried.

2026-100

Moved by Ortberg and seconded by Mudgett to adjourn February 9, 2026, regular meeting at 8:48pm. Five (5) yes votes Mudgett, Linneman, Ortberg, Peterson, McIntire. Motion carried.

ATTEST
Board Chairperson, Malory McIntire

Mary Rauscher
Business Manager
