

**March 21, 2016
Special Meeting
Board of Directors
Clarinda Community School District**

1. Call to Order
2. Roll Call
3. Approval of Agenda
4. Initial Screening Interviews with Superintendent Candidates
Probable Closed Session(s) per Iowa Code Sections 21.5(1)(i)
To evaluate the professional competency of an individual whose appointment, hiring, performance, or discharge is being considered when necessary to prevent needless and irreparable injury to that individual's reputation and that individual requests a closed session.
5. Adjournment

Minutes

The Board of Directors of the Clarinda Community School District met in special session on Monday, March 21, 2016, 12:15 p.m., at the Board Room located in the McKinley Building, 423 East Nodaway St., Clarinda, IA 51632.

Call to Order

President Sunderman called the special meeting to order at 12:18 p.m.

Roll Call

The following board members were present: President Sunderman, Vice President McComb, Bond, Jones, and Turner.

Approval of Agenda

A motion was made by McComb, seconded by Bond, to approve the agenda. Motion carried 5-0.

Initial Screening Interviews with Superintendent Candidates

Trent Grundmeyer gave instructions on the process to be used during the afternoon to interview candidates. Four candidates requested a closed session for interviewing, while three candidates did not.

Board members interviewed Brian Wedemeyer and Gregg Cruickshank via electronic means for the superintendent position.

A motion was made by McComb, seconded by Bond, to move into closed session at 1:31 p.m. per Iowa Code Section 21.5(1)(i) to evaluate the professional competency of an individual whose appointment, hiring, performance, or discharge is being considered when necessary to prevent needless and irreparable injury to that individual's reputation and that individual requests a closed session. Motion carried 5-0. Board members interviewed candidates 3, 4, and 5. President Sunderman declared the Board out of closed session at 2:52 p.m.

Board members interviewed Gary Klahn via electronic means for the superintendent position.

A motion was made by Jones, seconded by McComb, to move into closed session at 3:53 p.m. per Iowa Code Section 21.5(1)(i) to evaluate the professional competency of an individual whose appointment, hiring, performance, or discharge is being considered when necessary to prevent needless and irreparable injury to that individual's reputation and that individual requests a closed session. Motion carried 5-0. Board members interviewed candidate 7. President Sunderman declared the Board out of closed session at 5:44 p.m.

Adjournment

A motion was made by Jones, seconded by McComb, to adjourn the meeting at 5:44 p.m. Motion carried 5-0.

Cindy L. VanFosson
Board Secretary