

**FAYETTEVILLE CITY SCHOOL SYSTEM
REGULAR BOARD MEETING
FEBRUARY 2, 2026 @ 5 PM
MUNICIPAL BLDG MULTI-PURPOSE ROOM
FAYETTEVILLE, TN**

Present:

Mark Clark, Chairman
Pam Bryson, Vice Chair
Bridgett Hopkins
Shawnta Fulton
Kayla Camp
Eric Jones, Director of Schools

Also Attending:

Lisa Williams
Rujena Dotson
Adam McCormick
Montie Taylor

Absent:

Jennifer Murdock
Jeff Bradford, ex officio
Ellaina Sheridan, Student Member
Claudia Styles
Steve Giffin
Tricia Jean
Brittany Baker
Spencer Perrin

Chairman Clark called the meeting to order. Vice Chair Bryson made a motion to approve the agenda; second by Mrs. Hopkins. All members present voted aye.

Chairman Clark led the Pledge of Allegiance.

Vice Chair Bryson made a motion to approve the minutes of the January 5, 2026 regular meeting; second by Mrs. Hopkins. All members present voted aye.

Mrs. Hopkins made a motion to approve the January disbursements; second by Mrs. Camp. All members present voted aye.

Principals' Reports –

Mrs. Taylor – presented the reports for Ralph Askins School, Fayetteville Middle School, and Fayetteville High School.

Public Comment –

Chairman Clark noted that, in accordance with Board Policy 1.404, members of the public wishing to make comments and who have given the board advance notice of their desire to speak are being provided that opportunity. No members of the public had requested to speak.

Supervisors' Reports –

Mr. McCormick requested approval for the 3-Year ELA Gap Year Curriculum. Chairman Clark made a motion to approve the curriculum; second by Vice Chair Bryson. All members present voted aye.

CFO Report –

Lisa Williams – Mrs. Williams presented the January 2026 financial report for the board's review.

Reports –

Facilities and Transportation – Mr. Jones provided a report on behalf of Facilities & Transportation.

Finance – No report.

Insurance and Policy – No report.

Superintendent's Report –

Mr. Jones recommended the board grant tenure to Julie Ezell. Chairman Clark made a motion to approve tenure; second by Ms. Fulton. All members present voted aye.

Mr. Jones recommended the board grant tenure to Lora Beard. Chairman Clark made a motion to approve tenure; second by Ms. Fulton. All members present voted aye.

Mr. Jones recommended the board grant tenure to Montie Taylor. Chairman Clark made a motion to approve tenure; second by Ms. Fulton. All members present voted aye.

Mr. Jones requested approval for the FHS Swim Team to travel to the State Swim Meet on Feb. 6-7, 2026 in Nashville. Chairman Clark made a motion to approve the overnight trip; second by Ms. Fulton. All members present voted aye.

Chairman's Report -

Chairman Clark presented a resolution for Special Area Teachers Day on March 5, 2026. Mrs. Camp made a motion to approve the resolution; second by Ms. Fulton. All members present voted aye.

Chairman Clark announced the next meeting of the board will be Monday, March 2, 2026 at 5 p.m. at one of the schools to be determined. The location will be announced.

The meeting was adjourned.



Mark Clark, Chairman

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Minutes submitted by Sandy Williams