Clairton City School District Board of Directors Work Session
Monday, August 10, 2026 6:30 PM Eastern

High School Library
501 Waddell Ave.
Clairton, PA 15025

I. **Call to Order** *(The Board of Directors met in Executive Session following the adjournment of the June 30, 2026 Special Legislative Meeting to discuss personnel and safety issues)*

II. **Salute to the Flag**

III. **Questions on the Contents of the Minutes** - June 15, 2026 Legislative and June 30, 2026 Special Legislative Meetings

IV. **Presentations and Reports**
- Dinsmore & Shohl, *Anthony Ditka*

IV.A. Administration
- High School
- Elementary School
- Special Education
- Assistant Superintendent: Alternative Education – *Clairton Cyber/Innovation Academy,* Safety & Security / Attendance & Truancy, District Assessment / Federal Programs
- Technology
- Athletics
- Public Relations / Cyber Charter

IV.B. B. Solicitor

C. Board Committee Reports
- Personnel
- Finance – *Scheduled 08/17/26*
- Budget
- Curriculum/Technology – Met 06/15/26
- Building & Grounds/Security – *Scheduled 08/17/26*
- School/City
- Athletics
- Stadium Project
- Library
- Land Bank - *Scheduled 09/10/26*
- Steel Center

V. **Treasurer's Reports** - June /July 2026

VI. **Bills List** - July/August 2026

VII. **Old Business**

VIII. **New Business**

IX. **Administrative Agenda**

IX.A. Board action is requested to ratify notification to Ms. Makenzie Shandor, Secondary Mathematics Teacher, that the School Board will not renew her employment with the District for the 2026/2027 school year, effective June 30, 2026, as submitted.

IX.B. Board action is requested to accept the resignation of Kristen Hecker as Disney Manager effective July 2, 2026, as submitted.

IX.C. Board action is requested to accept the resignation of Tiffany Rendon, Paraprofessional/Special Education; Secondary, effective August 1, 2026, as submitted.

IX.D. Board action is requested to ratify the employment of Jasmine Howard as Paraprofessional/Special Education; Secondary for the 2026/2027 school year in accordance with the terms and conditions of the agreement between the District and Clairton Education Support Professionals (CESP), effective August 17, 2026.

IX.E. Board action is requested to ratify the employment of Sierra Harrington as Paraprofessional/Special Education; Secondary (One-On-One) for the 2026/2027 school year in accordance with the terms and conditions of the agreement between the District and Clairton Education Support Professionals (CESP), effective August 17, 2026.

IX.F. Board action is requested to ratify the employment of Kelley Mouzon as Paraprofessional/ Special Education; Elementary (K-5) for the 2026/2027 school year in accordance with the terms and conditions of the agreement between the District and Clairton Education Support Professionals (CESP), effective August 17, 2026.

IX.G. Board action is requested to approve the Day-To-Day Substitute Teacher, Certified School Nurse, Dean of Discipline and Secretary List for the 2026/2027 school year, as submitted.

IX.H. Board action is requested to ratify Jessica Burke as Year Book Sponsor for the 2026/2027 school year, in accordance with the terms and conditions of the agreement between the District and Clairton Education Association (CEA), effective August 17, 2026

IX.I. Board action is requested to ratify Laura Pavlik as Disney Manager Sponsor for the 2026/2027 school year, in accordance with the terms and conditions of the agreement between the District and Clairton Education Association (CEA), effective August 17, 2026.

IX.J. Board action is requested to acknowledge three consecutive years of satisfactory service and award tenure to Amy Repko, effective November 25, 2025, as submitted.

IX.K. Board action is requested to acknowledge three consecutive years of satisfactory service and award tenure to Carlee Karabinos, effective August 22, 2026, as submitted.

IX.L. Board action is requested to approve Intermittent FMLA for Leann Ruffing, Elementary Special Education Teacher under the guidelines of the Family and Medical Leave Act (FMLA), commencing on August 17, 2026 through the end of the 2026/2027 school year, in accordance with the terms and conditions of the agreement between the District and Clairton Education Association (CEA), as submitted.

IX.M. Board action is requested to approve Medical Leave for Amanda Lommock, Secondary Social Studies Teacher, effective November 6, 2026 with a return-to-work date pending receipt of medical documentation, in accordance with in accordance with the terms and conditions of the agreement between the District and Clairton Education Association (CEA), as submitted.

IX.N. Board action is requested to approve Medical Leave and FMLA for Jessica Bisogni, Paraprofessional, effective November 20, 2026, with an anticipated return of January 4, 2027, pending receipt of medical documentation and guidelines of the Family Medical Leave Act (FMLA) through the end of the 2026/2027 school year, in accordance with the terms of the agreement between the District and the Clairton Educational Support Professionals (CESP), as submitted.

IX.O. Board action is requested to approve the revision of the 2026/2027 District Calendar reflecting changes to August 21, 2026 In-Service and November 11, 2026 Parent Conference, as submitted.

IX.P. **Scheduled**	IX.Q. **Revised to:**	IX.R. **Information Calendar/Detail**
IX.S. August 21, 2026 In-Service	IX.T. Meet and Greet	IX.U. *(upload)*
IX.V. November 11, 2026 In-Service / Parent Conference	IX.W. AM - Asynchronous Half-Day ER 11:30 / PM – Parent Conference	IX.X. *(upload)*

IX.Y. Board action is requested to approve the 2026/2027 Textbook Inventory List, as submitted.

IX.Z. Board action is requested to approve the District's Emergency Operations Plan, which establishes procedures and protocols for preventing, preparing for, responding to, and recovering from emergencies that may affect students, staff, and school operations, as submitted.

IX.AA. Board action is requested to ratify Grace Vogtsberger, a student at Mansfield University, observation hours during the 2026 Extended School Year (ESY) Program, as a requirement for her coursework.

IX.BB. Board action is requested to approve Tenille Thomas, a student enrolled in the _________________ at Duquesne University, to start a Fall Term 2026 internship under the supervision of Dr. Allen-Thomas, Superintendent, as submitted.

IX.CC. Board action is requested to approve the Allegheny Intermediate Unit Comprehensive Services Agreement including Addendum A:

Special Education Services for the 2026/2027 school year, to provide services and programs, as submitted.

IX.DD. Board action is requested to ratify an Independent Contractor Agreement by and between Clairton City School District and Macik Educational Consulting LLC to provide consultation services in support of the District Federal Programs, effective July 1, 2026 and continues until June 30, 2027, as submitted. The consultant will assist with planning, implementation, compliance, and other activities related to the administration of federal programs, as needed. The cost of these services will be paid using Title II, Part A federal funds.

IX.EE. Board action is requested to ratify a Memorandum of Agreement between Matt's Maker Space, Inc. and Clairton City School District for the purpose of furnishing a makerspace effective August 1, 2026, as submitted.

IX.FF. Board action is requested to approve a Memorandum of Agreement by and between Clairton City School District and Women for a Healthy Environment to participate in Eco-Student Stewardship Program for students in grades 6-8 bimonthly beginning September 3, 2026 through the academic year ending June 3, 2027, as submitted.

IX.GG. Board action is requested to ratify Carlee Karabinos to attend the 5-Day Comprehensive Crisis Management (CCM) Train-the-Trainer course to be held at UPMC Quantum One Building, Pittsburgh, PA beginning July 13 through July 17, 2026, as submitted. Registration Fees and travel expenses to be paid by the District.

IX.HH. Board action is requested to ratify Kelley Majersky to attend the 2-Day Comprehensive Crisis Management (CCM) Trainer Refresher course to be held at UPMC Quantum One Building, Pittsburgh, PA beginning August 3 and 4, 2026, as submitted. Registration Fees and travel expenses are to be paid by the District.

IX.II. Board action is requested to ratify Sonia Ewell to attend the 5-Day Comprehensive Crisis Management (CCM) Train-the-Trainer course to be held at UPMC Quantum One Building, Pittsburgh, PA beginning August 10 through August 14, 2026, as submitted. Registration Fees and travel expenses are to be paid by the District.

IX.JJ. Board action is requested to ratify Western PA Youth Association use of the Stadium for referee training on Saturday, August 1, 2026 from 9:00 AM – 2:00 PM. Ms. Tanya Payne is responsible for this program. All fees have been waived.

IX.KK. Board action is requested to ratify use of the Auditorium for a funeral memorial service on Friday, August 7, 2026 from 10 AM to 3 PM. Ms. Natalie Jones and Ms. Marcel Ebo are responsible for this event. All fees have been waived.

IX.LL. Board action is requested to approve the use of the stadium, kitchen equipment, scoreboard, sound system by Clairton Youth Football Association (CYFA) for football games on the following Sundays:

08/16, 08/30, 09/13 and 10/03, 2026 from 7:00 a.m. – 7:00 p.m., as submitted. Admission of $5 adults / $3 students. It is understood that a school-sponsored activity may occur and the CYFA will be notified of the unavailability. CYFA is responsible for proper maintenance of the areas used. Dr. Rikell Ford is responsible for this program. All fees have been waived.

X. **Discussion Item:**

X.A. Reading Ready Pittsburgh and Clairton Library Art and Writing Workshop

XI. **Information Items:**

XI.A. *Field Trip Requests*:

- **Counseling Department** – to approve 4-7 students and 1 chaperone to go to attend Student Safety Ambassador Session at the Allegheny Intermediate Unit, Homestead, PA on Tuesday, September 29, 2026. There will be a second session for our students to attend and plan for ways to inform students about and improve safety procedures in the school setting. Organized by Dr. Caroline Johns, Superintendent of Northgate School. Request usage of the District van.
- **BotsIQ** – to approve 4 students and 2 chaperones to Teacher Professional Development Day at Commonwealth Academy, Homestead, PA on Wednesday, September 16, 2026. Requirement of BotsIQ. Request usage of the District van.
- **BotsIQ** – to approve 24 students and 2 chaperones to Plum Invitational:Electoral College Clash, Plum High School, Pittsburgh, PA on Tuesday, November 3, 2026. To help kickoff BotsIQ season. Request usage of the District van.

XI.B. *Fund Raiser Requests:*

- **K-2 Autistic Support Classroom** – to ratify a “Donors Choose” online fundraiser held July 15 – August 22, 2026. Funds will support a newly established K-2 Autistic Support Classroom by helping provide an educational setting that promotes learning, independence, communication, and social-emotional growth.
- **MicroSociety/Clairton Construction** – to approve a “Clairton Construction Company Supply Request” fundraiser to begin August 18, 2026. Emails will be sent to local construction businesses asking for supplies to be donated to Clairton Construction Company, one of our ventures in MicroSociety.

XI.C. *Grant Application Requests*:

- None

XII. **Business Administrator’s Agenda**

XII.A. Board action is requested to approve the following individuals as Sun Coach Lines and ETS bus/van drivers and monitors for the 2026/2027 school year:

Sun Coach

XII.B. **DRIVERS**	XII.C. **DRIVERS**	XII.D. **MONITORS**
XII.E. Dennis Callahan	XII.F. Diane Raine	XII.G. Darlene Blakley
XII.H. Lawrence Cupps	XII.I. Kelly Rush	XII.J. Mary Gaertner
XII.K. Michelle Fazek	XII.L. Tammy Rymarowicz	XII.M. Judith Kampert (Grimm)
XII.N. Charlene Grossic	XII.O. Jon Shields (Van)	XII.P. Cathy Nolder
XII.Q. Matthew Herrmann	XII.R. Bebe Slinski	XII.S. Enoch Nzila
XII.T. James Jones	XII.U. Tammy Snipes	XII.V. Helen Phelps
XII.W. Steven Malackany (Van)	XII.X. Jeffery Snyder	XII.Y. Tiana Simmons
XII.Z. Leah Micklo	XII.AA. Michelle Welsh	XII.BB. mma Snyder
XII.CC. Pamela Murphy	XII.DD. Cynthia Young (Van Driver & Monitor)	XII.EE. oseph Teasdale
XII.FF. Tracey Noble		XII.GG.
XII.HH. Andrew Pindro	XII.II.	XII.JJ.

XII.KK.

ETS Transportation:

XII.LL. **DRIVERS**	XII.MM. **DRIVERS**
XII.NN. Brian Estocin	XII.OO. James Korff
XII.PP. Carly Estocin	XII.QQ. Robert Korff
XII.RR. David Berinsky	XII.SS. James Murray
XII.TT. Lakia Clark	XII.UU. William Murray
XII.VV. Colin Colcombe	XII.WW. Ashley Reese
XII.XX. Edward Couch	XII.YY. Jason Reese
XII.ZZ. James Denillo	XII.AAA. Richard Seigfreid
XII.BBB. Eric Goodnack	XII.CCC. Ryan Tedder
XII.DDD. Kasey Jessell	XII.EEE. Christopher Thomas

XII.FFF.

TNF Logistics LLC:

XII.GGG. **DRIVERS**	XII.HHH. **MONITORS**
XII.III. Christine Cifone	XII.JJJ. Doris Koch
XII.KKK. Robert Cifone	XII.LLL. Jerome Koch
XII.MMM. Patrick McKinney	XII.NNN.
XII.OOO. Thomas Morrison	XII.PPP.
XII.QQQ. Thomas Roper	XII.RRR.

XII.SSS.

XII.TTT. Board action is requested to approve the use of Federal Funds to pay the salaries and benefits of the following Employees:

XII.UUU. **Employee**	XII.VVV. **rant**	XII.WWW. **of Salary/Benefit**
XII.XXX. Richard Barna	XII.YYY. A-013-27-0084	XII.ZZZ. 00
XII.AAAA. Lisa Bellon	XII.BBBB. A-013-27-0084	XII.CCCC. 00
XII.DDDD. Abbey Deegan	XII.EEEE. A-013-27-0084	XII.FFFF. 00
XII.GGGG. Kristen Hecker	XII.HHHH. A-013-27-0084	XII.IIII. 00
XII.JJJJ. Tori James	XII.KKKK. A-013-27-0084	XII.LLLL. 00
XII.MMMM. Michelle Menozzi	XII.NNNN. A-013-27-0084	XII.OOOO. 00
XII.PPPP. Michael Policastro	XII.QQQQ. A-013-27-0084	XII.RRRR. 00
XII.SSSS. Angela Recaldini	XII.TTTT. A-013-27-0084	XII.UUUU. 00
XII.VVVV. Joanna Soto	XII.WWWW. A-013-27-0084	XII.XXXX. 00
XII.YYYY. Jennifer Schlata	XII.ZZZZ. A-013-27-0084	XII.AAAAA. 00
XII.BBBBB. Jennifer Wells	XII.CCCCC. A-013-27-0084	XII.DDDDD. 00
XII.EEEEE. Danette Thompson (Stipend only)	XII.FFFFF. A-013-27-0084	XII.GGGGG. 00

XII.HHHHH. Board action is requested to approve renewal of Student Accident & Voluntary Accident Coverages, effective August 1, 2026 to August 1, 2027, as submitted.

XII.IIIII. Board action is requested to consent to the disposition of property at 232 N. 4th Street (Lot Block 764-C-331) and 0 N. 4th Street (Lot Block 764-C-329), Clairton, PA 15025 by the Tri-Cog Land Bank, as submitted.

XIII. **Discussion Item:**

XIII.A. Kuzma Law Group Letter - *Redevlopment Authority of the City of Clairton*

XIV. **Information Items:**

XIV.A. List of Payments 06/07/26 – 07/31/26; Bills Listing 2025-2026

XIV.B. Sun Coach Lines, ETS Transportation and TNF Logistics LLC. Employment requirements are currently being met for bus drivers and monitors listed, as submitted.

XV. **Athletic Agenda**

XV.A. Board action is requested to accept the resignation of Andrew Carr as Timekeeper-Varsity Football effective June 29, 2026, as submitted.

XV.B. Board action is requested to ratify awarding bids for Athletic Supplies for the 2026/2027 school year, as submitted.

XVI. **Discussion Items**

XVI.A. None

XVII. **Information Items:** *Refer to Athletic Director's Board Report*

XVIII. **Adjourn**

XIX. **Executive Session** (as needed)

XX. ***The Board of Directors of the Clairton City School District will meet for the Legislative Meeting on Monday, August 17, 2026 at 6:30 p.m. in the HS Library of the CEC.***

I pledge allegiance to the Flag
of the United States of America,
and to the Republic for which it stands,
one Nation under God, indivisible,
with liberty and justice for all.

CLAIRTON CITY SCHOOL DISTRICT

Board of Directors
Legislative Meeting Minutes
June 15, 2026
6:30 p.m.

(Board of Directors met in Executive Session following adjournment of the Work Session on June 8, 2026 to discuss personnel issues)

I. **Call to Order –** Richard Livingston, President of the Board of School Directors, called the meeting to order at 6:36 p.m.

II. **Roll Call:**

Rikell Ford	Present
Felix Fusco	Present
Richard Livingston	Present
Kailon Lyons	Present
Artrena McKenzie	Present
Jeff Potts	Present
Barbara Roberts	Present
Jonathan Robinson	Present
Roger Tachoir	Present

Board of Directors: 9 Present 0 Absent

III. **Salute to the Flag**

IV. **Approval of the Minutes – May 18, 2026 Legislative Meeting**

MOTION made by Ms. Roberts, seconded by Ms. McKenzie, to approve the Minutes of the May 18, 2026 Legislative Meeting.

Non-Roll Call Vote: 9 Ayes 0 Nays 0 Absent 0 Abstentions APPROVED

V. **Presentations:**

A. **"Technology & Engineering Education Association of Pennsylvania (TEEAP)"** – *Madelynn Livingston and Mark Smithers were recognized by the Board of Directors and Superintendent while being presented a certificate by Shannon Lynch. Ms. Lynch shared personal accolades regarding her reasons for selection of each of these outstanding students representing the District. Dr. Allen-Thomas commended Ms. Lynch for her dedication to the District.*

B. **"Proclamation, Jawanna Warren Memorial Head Start and Family Foundations Center"** - *Mr. Livingston recognized Ms. Warren for her four years of service as Board Director, thirty years employed by the Allegheny Intermediate Unit as the Director of the Family Foundations and twenty years helping the families and children of our community. The Proclamation was shared with family members indicating the renaming of Miller Avenue School as the Jawanna Warren Memorial Head Start and Family Foundations Center.*

VI. Reports:

A. Administration – None

B. Solicitor's Report – None

C. Board Committees:

a) **Personnel** – Met 05/11/2026
b) **Finance –** Met 06/15/26
c) **Budget** – Met 05/14/26
d) **Curriculum/Technology** – Met 06/15/26
e) **Building & Grounds/Security** – *Scheduled 08/17/26*
f) **School/City** – No Report
g) **Athletics –** No Report
h) **Stadium Project** – No Report
i) **Library** – Met 05/27/26
j) **Land Bank** – No Report
k) **Steel Center** – Met 06/05/26

(At this time Mr. Livingston made an announcement about changes to items on the agenda)

VII. New Business

A. **MOTION** made by Mr. Tachoir, seconded by Dr. Ford, to add an item to come before the Board regarding the language change for adoption of the Final Budget for the General Fund of Clairton City School District.

Non-Roll Call Vote: 9 Ayes 0 Nays 0 Absent 0 Abstentions APPROVED

B. **MOTION** made by Mr. Livingston, seconded by Mr. Lyons, to adopt the Final Budget for the General Fund of the Clairton City School District for the 2026-2027 fiscal year with millage rates of 111.6749 for Land, 10.56 for Buildings, Revenues of $22,697,818, and Expenditures of $26,480,207. Other Tax Rates and amounts remain unchanged, as follows:

1. Earned Income rate of .005 (1/2 percent)
2. Business Privilege Tax of .006 (6 mills)
3. Mercantile Tax on Retail of .00075 (3/4 mill) and Mercantile Tax on Wholesale .0005 (1/2 mill)
4. $5.00 per person for Local Services Tax

Roll Call:

Rikell Ford	Yes
Felix Fusco	Yes
Richard Livingston	Yes
Kailon Lyons	Yes
Artrena McKenzie	Yes
Jeff Potts	Yes
Barbara Roberts	Yes
Jonathan Robinson	Yes
Roger Tachoir	Yes

Roll Call Vote 9 Ayes 0 Nays 0 Absent 0 Abstentions APPROVED

VIII. Citizens Comments – None

IX. Treasurer's Report – May 2026

MOTION made by Ms. Roberts, seconded by Ms. McKenzie, to approve the Treasurer's Report for the month of May 2026.

Non-Roll Call Vote: 9 Ayes 0 Nays 0 Absent 0 Abstentions APPROVED

X. Payment of Bills – June 2026

MOTION made by Mr. Lyons, seconded by Ms. Roberts, to approve the Payment of Bills for the month of June 2026.

Non-Roll Call Vote: 9 Ayes 0 Nays 0 Absent 0 Abstentions APPROVED

XI. Old Business – None

Administrative Agenda

Personnel Committee – Dr. Ford, Chairperson

ON MOTION made by Ms. McKenzie, seconded by Ms. Roberts, the Board of Directors, by non-roll call vote, approved the following items designated A. through F.

A. Board approved the Settlement Agreement and Release by and Between Clairton City School District and Lawrence J. Nicolette effective June 15, 2026, as submitted.

B. Board approved notification to Mr. Matthew Hess, Secondary General Science Teacher, that the School Board will not renew his employment with the District, effective at the conclusion of the 2025/2026 school year, as submitted.

C. Board accepted the resignation of Joel Panach as Yearbook Sponsor effective June 8, 2026, as submitted.

D. Board accepted the resignation of Shannon Lynch as Junior Class Sponsor effective June 9, 2026, as submitted.

E. Board accepted the resignation of Alexis Trubiani as Yearbook Sponsor effective June 10, 2026, as submitted.

F. Board approved the Addendum to Act 93 Contract Employment between the Board of School Directors of the Clairton City School District and employees Alexis Trubiani, PIMS/Communications Coordinator for an interim reassignment of additional temporary administrative duties and responsibilities in accordance with the certain terms and conditions set forth beginning July 1, 2026 through June 30, 2027, as submitted.

Non-Roll Call Vote: 9 Ayes 0 Nays 0 Absent 0 Abstentions APPROVED
(Exception Item A. Mr. Tachoir voted Nay on item A. only; 8 Ayes and 1 Nay APPROVED)

Curriculum Committee – Ms. Roberts, Chairperson

ON MOTION made by Mr. Livingston, seconded by Mr. Potts, the Board of Directors, by non-roll call vote, approved the following items designated A. through D.

A. Board approved the Second Reading of Policy#339 Uncompensated Leave, revised to allow for more stringent guidelines for people using unpaid days. The parameters are necessary to promote positive attendance at work, as submitted.

B. Board approved the Elementary Handbook for the 2026/2027 school year, as submitted.

C. Board approved MS/HS Handbook for the 2026/2027 school year, as submitted.

D. Board approved Debra Maurizio to attend PA School Improvement Building Solutions Conference at PaTTAN, Harrisburg, PA held July 28-29, 2026.

Non-Roll Call Vote: 9 Ayes 0 Nays 0 Absent 0 Abstentions APPROVED

<u>Building & Grounds/Security Committee – Mr. Livingston, Chairperson</u>

ON MOTION made by Ms. Roberts, seconded by Mr. Lyons, the Board of Directors, by non-roll call vote, approved the following items designated A. through F.

A. Board approved opening the Tyler Boyd Stadium to the public from 6:30 AM to 3:00 PM beginning July 1, 2026, with times subject to change. Any children under the age of twelve (12) must be accompanied by an adult.

B. Board approved the City of Clairton use of the District Bike Stands for the Pool; returning them at the end of the summer season.

C. Board approved Youth Guidance – BAM use of the classroom and cafeteria on Monday, June 29 through Wednesday, August 6, 2026 from 8:00 a.m. – 2:00 p.m. for the purpose of BAM Summer Program, as submitted. All fees have been waived. Mr. Ethan Barnard has been named as the person responsible.

D. Board approved New Horizons Majorettes use of the Auditorium and Stage on Wednesday, July 8, 2026 from 5:00 p.m. – 9:30 p.m. for the purpose of Parent Show. Mr. Adam Livingston has been named as the person responsible, as submitted. All fees have been waived.

E. Board approved the Unity Group of Clairton access to the Lobby of the Clairton Education Center, use of the field next to the playground, tables and chairs on Saturday, July 11, 2026 from 7:00 a.m. – 7:00 p.m. for the 21st Annual Clairton Community Day Celebration. Security is requested. All fees have been waived.

F. Board approved Tyler Boyd use of the Stadium Field for Youth Football Camp Saturday, July 18, 2026 from 9AM – 4PM, as submitted.

Non-Roll Call Vote: 9 Ayes 0 Nays 0 Absent 0 Abstentions APPROVED

G. **MOTION** made by Ms. Roberts, seconded by Mr. Lyons, to rename the Miller Avenue Annex, housing the AIU Clairton Family Center and the AIU Head Start Program to "Jawanna Warren Memorial Head Start and Family Center", effective June 15, 2026.

Roll Call:

Rikell Ford	Yes
Felix Fusco	Yes
Richard Livingston	Yes
Kailon Lyons	Yes
Artrena McKenzie	Yes
Jeff Potts	Yes
Barbara Roberts	Yes
Jonathan Robinson	Yes
Roger Tachoir	Yes

Roll Call Vote 9 Ayes 0 Nays 0 Absent 0 Abstentions APPROVED

Business Administrator's Agenda

Finance Committee – Mr. Fusco, Chairperson

ON MOTION made by Mr. Lyons, seconded by Ms. Roberts, the Board of Directors, by non-roll call vote, approved the following items designated A. through I.

A. Board approved the 2026-2027 Steel Center Combined Budgets [General Operating, Administrative, SEASS Administrative Budget], as submitted.

B. Board approved the Resolution #08-26 authorizing the District to reduce Homestead property taxes by an amount of $784,141 to be received from the Commonwealth from gaming funds and the Sterling Act Tax Credit under the provisions of the Homestead Property Exclusion Program Act and the Taxpayers Relief Act, as submitted.

C. Board approved Resolution #09-26 for the sale of tax claims by Northwest Pennsylvania Incubator Association, as submitted.

D. Board approved a Consulting Agreement by and between Clairton City School District and EDM Financial LLC beginning July 1, 2026 and will continue until June 30, 2027, as submitted.

E. Board approved a Letter of Agreement with Devereux/tcv Community Services to provide Student Assistance Liaison Services for the 2026/2027 school year, as submitted.

F. Board approved STAT Staffing Agreement by and between STAT Staffing Medical Services, Inc. and Clairton City School District for the 2026/2027 school year, as submitted.

G. Board authorized Administration to apply for Title I, II, III, IV and the Ready to Learn Block Grant for the grant periods beginning July 1, 2026.

H. Board authorized Dr. Tamara Allen-Thomas to make all necessary budget transfers resulting from adjusting journal entries subsequent to June 30, 2026. When such transfers are made, adequate details will be provided to the Board.

I. Board authorized Dr. Allen-Thomas to pay necessary bills prior to the next Board meeting in lieu of a scheduled July 2026 meeting.

Non-Roll Call Vote: 9 Ayes 0 Nays 0 Absent 0 Abstentions APPROVED

Athletic Agenda

Athletic Committee – Mr. Lyons, Chairperson

ON MOTION made by Ms. Roberts, seconded by Mr. Robinson, the Board of Directors, by non-roll call vote, approved the following items designated A. and B.

A. Board approved Athletic Handbook for the 2026/2027 school year, as submitted.

B. Board approved the Institution Athletic Training Services Agreement by and between Premier Sports Medicine of FL, LLC and Clairton City School District for the purpose of providing a Licensed Athletic Trainer for sports medicine management and athletic training services from July 1, 2026 through June 30, 2027, as submitted.

Non-Roll Call Vote: 9 Ayes 0 Nays 0 Absent 0 Abstentions APPROVED

XII. MOTION made by Ms. Roberts, seconded by Mr. Lyons at 6:59 p.m. to ADJOURN.

(The Board of Directors adjourned to Executive Session to discuss the Act 44 School Safety and Security Coordinator Report and Personnel issues)

Respectfully submitted:
Gayle S. Colonna
Gayle S. Colonna
Secretary to the Board

CLAIRTON CITY SCHOOL DISTRICT

Board of Directors
Special Legislative Meeting Minutes
June 30, 2026
6:30 p.m.

I. **Call to Order** – Richard Livingston, President of the Board of School Directors, called the meeting to order at 6: 36 p.m.

II. **Roll Call**

Rikell Ford	Absent *(Personal)*
Felix Fusco	Present
Richard Livingston	Present
Kailon Lyons	Present
Artrena McKenzie	Present
Jeff Potts	Present
Barbara Roberts	Present
Jonathan Robinson	Absent *(Arriving Late)*
Roger Tachoir	Present

Board of Directors: 7 Present 2 Absent

III. **Salute to the Flag**

(At this time Mr. Livingston made an announcement about changes to items on the agenda)

IV. **New Business:**

A. **MOTION** made by Mr. Livingston, seconded by Mr. Tachoir, to add an item to come before the Board regarding a Resolution for a Public Facility Improvement grant.

Non-Roll Call Vote: 7 Ayes 0 Nays 2 Absent 0 Abstentions APPROVED

B. **MOTION** made by Ms. Roberts, seconded by Mr. Lyons, to approve Resolution #10-26 requesting a Public School Facility Improvement Grant of $612,000 from the Commonwealth Financing Authority, as presented.

Non-Roll Call Vote: 7 Ayes 0 Nays 2 Absent 0 Abstentions APPROVED

(Pastor Robinson entered the meeting at 6:38 p.m.)

V. Presentation: Solar Project

Mr. Carter Brown and Mr. Eric Petrazio from McClure Company shared updates and projected timelines to the Board. They suggested a need for follow-up with the Solar Project team with regard to the Solar Project Grant.

Administrative Agenda

Negotiations Committee – Mr. Livingston, President

ON MOTION made by Ms. Roberts, seconded by Ms. McKenzie, the Board of Directors, by non-roll call vote, approved the following items designated A. through C.

A. Board approved the Clairton City School District Act 93 Agreement with an extension for the period of July 1, 2026 to June 30, 2027, as submitted.

B. Board approved salary adjustments for Sonia Ewell and Maria Suss, effective July 1, 2026, as submitted.

C. Board ratified Joanna Soto as a Substitute Paraprofessional for the comprehensive Extended School Year (ESY) Program for grades K-12, beginning Monday – Thursday, June 29 through July 23, 2026 with clerical days Friday, June 26 and Friday, July 24, 2026 at a rate of $*rate per CESP contract*/hour for paraprofessionals, in accordance with the terms and conditions of the agreement between the District and Clairton Education Support Professionals (CESP). Expenses to be paid with District funds.

Non-Roll Call Vote: 8 Ayes 0 Nays 1 Absent 0 Abstentions APPROVED

Curriculum/Technology Committee – Ms. Roberts, Chairperson

ON MOTION made by Mr. Livingston, seconded by Ms. McKenzie, the Board of Directors, by non-roll call vote, approved the following items designated A. and B.

A. Board approved collaboration with Literacy of Pittsburgh to run a Literacy Under the Lights Program for the 2026/2027 school year. The District would receive a $5,000 check and a free scholastic book fair for children PreK-8th Grade, as submitted.

B. Board approved the renewal of the Service and Data Sharing Agreements by and between Pittsburgh Area Community Schools (PACS) and Clairton City School District to provide Integrated Student Supports for the 2026/2027 school year at no cost to the District, as submitted.

Non-Roll Call Vote: 8 Ayes 0 Nays 1 Absent 0 Abstentions APPROVED

Business Administrator's Agenda

Finance Committee – Mr. Livingston, President

ON MOTION made by Ms. Roberts, seconded by Mr. Tachoir, the Board of Directors, by non-roll call vote, approved the following items designated A. and B.

A. Board accepted the proposal for renewal from Arthur J. Gallagher & Co. for the District's insurance coverage for the 2026/2027 fiscal year, as submitted.

B. Board approved Dinsmore & Shohl LLP to represent Clairton City School District as Bond Counsel in connection with upcoming financing, as submitted.

Non-Roll Call Vote: 8 Ayes 0 Nays 1 Absent 0 Abstentions APPROVED

Athletic Agenda

Athletic Committee – Mr. Lyons, Chairperson

ON MOTION made by Ms. McKenzie, seconded by Ms. Roberts, the Board of Directors, by non-roll call vote, approved the following items designated A. and B.

A. Board accepted the resignation of Rashawd Hatten as Football Timekeeper-Varsity; Home effective June 17, 2026, as submitted.

B. Board accepted the resignation of Andre Carr as Football Varsity Assistant Coach effective June 23, 2026, as submitted.

Non-Roll Call Vote: 8 Ayes 0 Nays 1 Absent 0 Abstentions APPROVED

VI. MOTION made by Ms. McKenzie, seconded by Ms. Roberts, at 6:59 p.m. to ADJOURN.

(The Board of Directors adjourned to Executive Session to discuss Personnel and Safety issues)

Respectfully submitted:
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