



# JOINT SCHOOL DISTRICT NO. 2

1303 E. CENTRAL DRIVE  
MERIDIAN, IDAHO 83642

DR. LINDA CLARK  
SUPERINTENDENT

## SCHOOL BOARD MEETING MINUTES

**Date, Place & Time** A special meeting of the Board of Trustees, Joint School District No. 2, convened on Monday, July 1, 2013 at 7:30 a.m. at the District Service Center, 1303 E. Central Drive, Meridian, Idaho.

**Trustees in Attendance** Chairman Mike Vuittonet, Janet Calinsky, Loraine Hand, Reid Olsen, Anne Ritter

**Staff in Attendance** Dr. Linda Clark (by phone), Dr. Bruce Gestrin, Barbara Leeds, Trish Duncan, Eric Exline

**CALL TO ORDER** Chairman Vuittonet

**EXECUTIVE SESSION** Chairman Vuittonet took a roll call vote of the board at 7:31 a.m. to move into executive session for negotiations. Trustee Olsen voted yes, Trustee Hand voted yes, Trustee Calinsky voted yes, Trustee Ritter voted yes, and Trustee Vuittonet voted yes.

The board recessed from executive session at 7:58 a.m. and reconvened in open session.

**Staff in Attendance** As above, Sue Darden

**Board Declares Impasse on Contract Negotiations for the 2013-14 School Year** Chairman Vuittonet opened the floor to public comment and Sue Darden read a prepared statement to the board (see Addendum A). Trustees discussed questions posed in the statement regarding the use and cost of an attorney during negotiations, what the union hopes to gain by continuing negotiations, and why the union has not been a part of the budgetary process.

Trustee Olsen moved, Trustee Hand seconded and the vote was unanimous to declare an impasse between the Meridian Education Association and the District on contract negotiations for the 2013-2014 school year.

Trustee Olsen moved, Trustee Ritter seconded and the vote was unanimous to direct staff to issue contracts based on the last District offer.

**ADJOURNMENT** Trustee Olsen moved, Trustee Calinsky seconded and the vote was unanimous to adjourn the meeting at 8:35 a.m.

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Chairman

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Clerk