

**MINUTES
PUBLIC HEARING
Board of Education Meeting
District 201, Cook County
Wednesday, January 14, 2026**

1. CALL TO ORDER

The Public Hearing of the Board of Education of J. Sterling Morton High School, District 201 was called to order at 5:11 p.m. on Wednesday, January 14, 2026, in the Garden Terrace Room at Morton District Office by Member Pesek.

2. ROLL CALL

Board Clerk Chapman called the roll and the following were present:
Members Fernando Godinez, Mark Kraft, Jeffry Pesek and Sandra Tomschin

Absent: Members Maria A. Gallegos, Jessica Jaramillo-Flores and Dr. Margaret Kelly

Also, present Superintendent Dr. Michael Kuzniewski, Board Clerk Connie Chapman and Assistant Board Clerk Sally Walsh.

3. PLEDGE TO THE FLAG: President Pesek led the pledge.

4. ESTABLISHMENT OF A QUORUM

Board Clerk Chapman called the roll and the following were present:
Members Fernando Godinez, Mark Kraft, Jeffry Pesek and Sandra Tomschin

Absent: Members Maria A. Gallegos, Jessica Jaramillo-Flores and Dr. Margaret Kelly

A quorum has been established.

5. DISCUSSION OF THE PROPOSAL TO SELL ONE OR MORE SERIES OF BONDS OF THE DISTRICT IN AN AMOUNT NOT TO EXCEED \$102,000,000 FOR THE PURPOSE OF (I) CREATING OR INCREASING THE DISTRICT'S WORKING CASH FUND AND (II) PAYING THE COSTS OF ISSUANCE OF SAID BONDS.

6. AUDIENCE COMMENTS: None

7. ADJOURNMENT:

At 5:11 p.m., Member Tomschin moved to adjourn. Member Kraft seconded.

Ayes: Members Godinez, Kraft, Pesek, and Tomschin

Nays: none

Abstain: none

Absent: Member Gallegos, Jaramillo-Flores and Kelly

Motion carried.

Jeffry Pesek, President

Date

Jessica Jaramillo-Flores, Secretary

Date