

**OFFICIAL SPECIAL MINUTES OF THE BOARD OF EDUCATION  
MUNDELEIN HIGH SCHOOL DISTRICT 120**

**SPECIAL MINUTES OF THE BOARD OF EDUCATION of Mundelein High School District 120  
held on the thirteenth day of January 2026, at 5:00 p.m.**

**Members of the Board of Education Mundelein High School District 120 present:**

**PRESENT:** Peter Rastrelli, President  
Mark Ponce, Vice President  
Aaron Wellington, Secretary  
Jennifer Hill  
Sean Hogan  
Laura Mellon  
Sophia Schneckloth

**ABSENT:** None

**D120 ADMINISTRATORS:**

Dr. Corey Tafoya, Superintendent  
Cathy Johnson, Assistant Superintendent of Finance and Operations  
Peter Gill, Director of Public Relations

**CALL TO ORDER**

Board of Education of Mundelein High School District 120 board members: Hill, Hogan, Mellon, Ponce, Rastrelli, Schneckloth and Wellington were present for the January 13, 2026, special board meeting.

All in favor by voice vote: 7-0

**QUESTIONS AND ANSWERS**

Board president Rastrelli stated that the board was holding a public hearing on its intent to issue up to \$149,500 million in voter-approved bonds to fund capital improvements approved in the November 5, 2024, election. The bonds will be issued in multiple series, with the first closing planned for March.

Following the hearing, the board may adopt a resolution authorizing issuance of up to \$75 million in voter-approved bonds, providing for a tax levy, sale to Bernardi Securities, and delegated final pricing approval with established parameters.

He also stated that the public could now present written or oral testimony regarding the voter-approved bonds and Bond Resolution.

He inquired if the board members had any comments.

**CITIZENS' COMMENTS**

No citizen or board member comments.

**Approval of Public Hearing**

It was moved by Board Member Hill, seconded by Board Member Hogan, that the Board of Education of Mundelein High School District 120 approve the Public Hearing concerning the intent of the Board to sell \$149,500,000 of voter-approved bonds.

Upon roll call, the following members voted:

AYE: Board members: Hill, Hogan, Mellon, Ponce, Rastrelli, Schneckloth and Wellington  
NAY: None

School Bonds Resolution

It was moved by Board Member Hogan, seconded by Board Member Wellington, that the Board of Education of Mundelein High School District 120 approve the Resolution providing for the issue of not to exceed \$75,000,000 General Obligation School Bonds, Series 2026, of the District for the purpose of paying the costs of those capital projects approved by referendum at the November 5, 2024, general election, providing for the levy of a direct annual tax sufficient to pay the principal and interest on the bonds, and authorizing the sale of the bonds to the purchaser thereof.

Upon roll call, the following members voted:

AYE: Board members: Hill, Hogan, Mellon, Ponce, Rastrelli, Schneckloth and Wellington  
NAY: None

ADJOURNMENT

It was moved by Board Member Wellington, seconded by Board Member Hill, that the Board of Education of Mundelein High School District 120 board members: Hill, Hogan, Mellon, Ponce, Rastrelli, Schneckloth, and Wellington moved all in favor that the Board adjourn from special board meeting on January 13, 2026, at 5:06 p.m.

Motion approved by voice vote: 7-0.

Respectfully submitted,

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PETER RASTRELLI, PRESIDENT  
DISTRICT 120, BOARD OF EDUCATION

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AARON WELLINGTON, SECRETARY  
DISTRICT 120, BOARD OF EDUCATION