

**Minooka Community Consolidated School District 201**  
Board of Education Meeting Minutes

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Committee of the Whole Meeting - Strategic Planning

Monday, February 23, 2026

**MEMBERS PRESENT:**

Stephen Blount  
Emily Conquest  
Thomas McGowan  
Jennifer Monson  
Adam Shainberg  
Katherine Tonelli

**ABSENT:**

Ed Cronin

**1.01 Call to Order**

The meeting was called to order at 5:30 p.m. by President Emily Conquest. Roll call was answered as indicated. Others present were: Rachel Kinder, Tiffany Staab, Sarah Massey (left at 5:40 p.m.), Adrienne McKerrow and Lori Shanholtzer

**2.01 Strategic Planning**

- Superintendent Kinder thanked the Board for their input and direction during the Special Board Meeting on February 10, 2026.
- Superintendent Kinder asked the board members for any final reflections on the current Strategic Plan mission, vision, goals, and strategies;
- The Board discussed specific areas that need to be reviewed or considered prior to District Leadership and Internal Steering Committee shaping the stakeholder engagement sessions.
- **Next Steps:** The Internal Steering Committee Readiness Session will take place on February 24 and the Internal Steering Committee Data and Vision Retreat will be held on March 10, 2026.

**3.01 Adjournment**

Moved by Tonelli, seconded by Blount to adjourn the meeting.  
Motion Carried at 5:56 p.m.



Emily Conquest, President



Stephen Blount, Secretary