

# Magnolia Public Schools

### Development and Stakeholder Committee Meeting

### **Date and Time**

Tuesday February 8, 2022 at 5:00 PM PST

#### Location

https://zoom.us/j/93372532774?pwd=ektidFY3UWJEeVZQL0I2ZDRFWWdkZz09

Meeting ID: 933 7253 2774 Passcode: 001933

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Development/Stakeholder Committee Members:

Ms. Sandra Covarrubias, Chair

Dr. Umit Yapanel

Mr. Mekan Muhammedov (Alternate)

CEO & Superintendent:

Mr. Alfredo Rubalcava

### **Agenda**

	Purpose	Presenter	Time
I. Opening Items			5:00 PM
Opening Items			
A. Call the Meeting to Order			1 m
B. Record Attendance and Guests			1 m
C. Approval of Agenda	Vote		1 m
D. Public Comments			3 m
E. Announcements from CEO & Superintendent & Committee Members			3 m
<b>F.</b> Approve Minutes from the Development & Stakeholder Committee Meeting - January 13, 2022	Approve Minutes		1 m
II. Recommended Action Items			5:10 PM
<b>A.</b> Committee Approval of Findings to Conduct Virtual Meetings Pursuant to AB 361/Government Code Section 54953	Vote	A.Rubalcava	5 m
III. Closing Items			5:15 PM
A. Adjourn Meeting			1 m

# Coversheet

# Approve Minutes from the Development & Stakeholder Committee Meeting - January 13, 2022

Section: I. Opening Items

Item: F. Approve Minutes from the Development & Stakeholder Committee

Meeting - January 13, 2022

Purpose: Approve Minutes

Submitted by: Related Material:

Minutes for Development and Stakeholder Committee Meeting on January 13, 2022



# Magnolia Public Schools

### **Minutes**

### Development and Stakeholder Committee Meeting

### **Date and Time**

Thu Jan 13, 2022 at 5:00 PM

### Location

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Ms. Sandra Covarrubias, Chair

Dr. Umit Yapanel

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CEO & Superintendent:

Mr. Alfredo Rubalcava

### **Committee Members Present**

S. Covarrubias (remote), U. Yapanel (remote)

### **Committee Members Absent**

None

### I. Opening Items

### A. Call the Meeting to Order

S. Covarrubias called a meeting of the Educational Partners & Development Committee Committee of Magnolia Public Schools to order on Thursday Jan 13, 2022 at 5:02 PM.

### **B. Record Attendance and Guests**

Refer to attendance information stated above.

C.

### **Approval of Agenda**

- S. Covarrubias made a motion to approve the agenda as presented.
- U. Yapanel seconded the motion.

The committee **VOTED** unanimously to approve the motion.

#### **Roll Call**

S. Covarrubias Aye

U. Yapanel Aye

### **D. Public Comments**

No public comments were made.

### E. Announcements from CEO & Superintendent & Committee Members

No annoucements were made by CEO & Superintendent or Committee Members.

# F. Approve Minutes from the Development & Stakeholder Committee Meeting - December 9, 2021

- S. Covarrubias made a motion to approve the minutes from Development and Stakeholder Committee Meeting on 12-09-21.
- U. Yapanel seconded the motion.

The committee **VOTED** unanimously to approve the motion.

#### Roll Call

- U. Yapanel Aye
- S. Covarrubias Aye

# G. Approve Minutes from the Development & Stakeholder Committee Meeting - December 13, 2021

- S. Covarrubias made a motion to approve the minutes from Development and Stakeholder Committee Meeting on 12-13-21.
- U. Yapanel seconded the motion.

The committee **VOTED** unanimously to approve the motion.

### Roll Call

- S. Covarrubias Aye
- U. Yapanel Aye

### **II. Recommended Action Items**

# A. Committee Approval of Findings to Conduct Virtual Meetings Pursuant to AB 361/Government Code Section 54953

Development & Stakeholder Committee considered the circumstances of the State of Emergency related to COVID-19 inwhich meeting in person can directly impact the ability of the Board and public to meet safely. As such, local officials are still continuing to recommend measures to promote social distancing.

- S. Covarrubias made a motion to adopt the findings relating to the ability of the Magnolia Public Schools Development & Stakeholder Committee to conduct meetings due to teleconference during the State of Emergency, in reference to AB 361/Government Code Section 54953.
- U. Yapanel seconded the motion.

The committee **VOTED** unanimously to approve the motion.

### **Roll Call**

S. Covarrubias Aye

U. Yapanel Aye

### **III. Closing Items**

### A. Adjourn Meeting

There being no further business to be transacted, and upon motion duly made, seconded and approved, the meeting was adjourned at 5:07 PM.

Respectfully Submitted,

S. Covarrubias

# Coversheet

# Committee Approval of Findings to Conduct Virtual Meetings Pursuant to AB 361/Government Code Section 54953

Section: II. Recommended Action Items

Item: A. Committee Approval of Findings to Conduct Virtual Meetings Pursuant

to AB 361/Government Code Section 54953

Purpose: Vote

Submitted by:

Related Material: AB 361 Findings for Development\_Stakeholder Committee (Feb.8).pdf



Board Agenda Item #	II A: Recommended Action Item
Date:	February 8, 2022
То:	Magnolia Public Schools – Development & Stakeholder Committee
From:	Alfredo Rubalcava, CEO & Superintendent
Staff Lead:	Alfredo Rubalcava, CEO & Superintendent
RE:	Committee Approval of Findings to Conduct Virtual Meetings Pursuant to AB 361/Government Code Section 54953

### **Proposed Board Recommendation**

I move for the Development & Stakeholder Committee to adopt the findings relating to the ability of the Magnolia Public Schools Development & Stakeholder Committee to conduct meetings due to teleconference during the State of Emergency, in reference to AB 361/Government Code Section 54953.

### Introduction

In September 16, 2021, Governor Newsom signed executive order Assembly Bill (AB) 361 into law which gives local agencies, included local educational agencies (LEA) governing boards, flexibility in conducting public meetings virtually during a declared state of emergency. While AB 361 offers flexibilities similar to the expiring Executive Order N-29-20, there are some key difference in regards to public comment and meeting operations.

In order for Magnolia Public Schools (MPS) Board Meetings to trigger the AB 361 teleconferencing provisions, any of the following circumstances must follow:

- The legislative body holds a meeting during a proclaimed state of emergency, and state or local officials have imposed or recommended measures to promote social distancing
- The legislative body holds a meeting during a proclaimed state of emergency for the purpose of determining by majority vote whether, as a result of the emergency, meeting in person would present imminent risks to the health or safety of attendees
- The legislative body holds a meeting during a proclaimed state of emergency and has determined by majority
  vote that, as a result of the emergency, meeting in person would present imminent risks to the health or
  safety of attendees

Requirements under this new law include; notice of the meeting and post agendas as the Brown Act requires on our MPS websites and school sites; allow public to access the meeting and give notice for how the public can access the

meeting; include in the agenda an opportunity for all persons to attend via call-in or internet-based service; provides opportunity for the public to offer comment in the real time; provide public comment period; conduct meetings in a manner that protects the statutory and constitutional rights of the parties and the public appearing before the board; in an event of a disruption that prevents MPS from broadcasting the meeting or prevents members of the public from offering public comment, the meeting must stop and no action can be taken until access is restored.

MPS Board of Directors must make the following findings every 30 days by majority vote in order to continue utilizing the bills teleconferencing provisions which include:

- The legislative body has reconsidered the circumstances of the state of emergency
- Any of the following circumstances exist:
  - The state of emergency continues to directly impact the ability of the members to meet safely in person
  - o State or local officials continue to impose or recommend measures to promote social distancing

### **Background**

In March 2021, Governor Newsom issued Executive Order N-29-20, which, among other things, temporarily suspended certain Brown Act teleconference meeting requirements for as long as public health agencies have imposed or recommended social distancing measures, as the COVID-19 pandemic has made them unsafe. This law will sunset through September 30, 2021.

### **Analysis**

As recommended by MPS legal counsel, Young, Minney & Corr, LLP all MPS Committee's must vote on a separate findings for those Committee's to follow the provisions under AB 361.

### **Budget Implications**

N/A

### **Exhibits (Attachments):**

Findings for Development & Stakeholder Committee Pursuant to Government Code 54953(e)(3)



### EACH THIRTY DAYS THEREAFTER FOR DEVELOPMENT & STAKEHOLDER COMMITTEE

Magnolia Public Schools

# Magnolia Public Schools Development & Stakeholder Committee findings pursuant to Government Code Section

54953(e)(3)

The Magnolia Public Schools Development & Stakeholder Committee has reconsidered the circumstances of the State of Emergency declared by the Governor on March 4, 2020, and finds the State of Emergency continues to directly impact the ability of the Committee members to meet safely in person and/or that State or local officials continue to impose or recommend measures to promote social distancing.

DATE: February 8, 2022
VOTE
AYE:
NOES:
ABSENT:
DOADD SECRETARY.