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## Magnolia Public Schools

### Minutes

#### Nominating/Governance Committee Meeting

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**Date and Time**

Monday March 29, 2021 at 5:30 PM

**Location**

<https://zoom.us/j/97536569821?pwd=bUVoL3JwTyt6ek1rYk1aekptbDVvdz09>

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Nominating Committee Members:

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Dr. Umit Yapanel, Chair  
Dr. Salih Dikbas  
Ms. Sandra Covarrubias  
Ms. Diane Gonzalez (alternate)

CEO and Superintendent:  
Mr. Alfredo Rubalcava

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### **Committee Members Present**

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

### **Committee Members Absent**

*None*

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## **I. Opening Items**

### **A. Call the Meeting to Order**

U. Yapanel called a meeting of the Nominating/Governance Committee of Magnolia Public Schools to order on Monday Mar 29, 2021 at 5:41 PM.

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

Refer to attendance information reported above.

### **C. Public Comments**

No public comments were given at this time.

### **D. Approval of Agenda**

U. Yapanel made a motion to approve the agenda as presented.

S. Covarrubias seconded the motion.

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

#### **Roll Call**

S. Dikbas	Aye
S. Covarrubias	Aye
U. Yapanel	Aye

### **E. Approve Minutes of Regular Nominating/Governance Committee Meeting from April 20, 2020**

U. Yapanel made a motion to approve the minutes from Regular Nominating/Governance Committee Meeting on 04-20-20.

S. Covarrubias seconded the motion.

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

**Roll Call**

U. Yapanel Aye  
S. Dikbas Aye  
S. Covarrubias Aye

**II. Recommended Action Items**

**A. Approval of the Creation of the Development/Fundraising Committee**

U.Yapanel, MPS Nominating/Governance Committee Board Chair expressed to the Committee Members and the public the significance of establishing a Development/Fundraising Committee to provide assistance and guidance in acquiring funds to invest in critical areas for Magnolia Public Schools to be successful. I.Soto, Director of Development & Communications, emphasized that creating a culture of giving has to start with our Board Members. I.Soto and U.Yapanel both expressed high hopes for the creation of this committee and its impact it can have to the organization. There was discussion surrounding the appropriate title and roles of the committee to which the Board Committee members agreed to rename it as Development & Outreach Committee. Further discussion will be held in the next meeting.

U. Yapanel made a motion to amend the original motion and to move for the Nominating/Governance Committee postpone approval of the creation of newly titled Development & Outreach Committee for further discussion at the next Nominating/Governance Committee meeting.

S. Dikbas seconded the motion.

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

**Roll Call**

S. Covarrubias Aye  
U. Yapanel Aye  
S. Dikbas 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 6:08 PM.

Respectfully Submitted,  
U. Yapanel