Marble Falls Independent School District
Board Meeting Minutes
November 4, 2026 - Special Called Meeting

Alex Payson, President, called the special meeting to order at 6:01 p.m. at the Marble Falls Central Office at 1800 Colt Circle, Marble Falls, TX. A quorum was present; notice of this meeting was posted in accordance with the Texas Open Meetings Act, Texas Government Code Chapter 551.

Board Members Present:	Alex Payson, Mandy McCary, Crystal Tubig, Larry Berkman, Kevin Virdell
Board Members Present Remotely:	Gary Boshears, Kevin Naumann
Board Members Absent:	None
Administrators Present:	Dr. Jeff Gasaway, Stan Whittle, Yarda Leflet, Nathan Fink,
Citizen Comments	There were no Citizen Comments.
Information Items	There were no Information Items.

Presentation/Discussion Items & Possible Action

Virtual School Discussion

Dr. Jeff Gasaway and Yarda Leflet presented information regarding the potential implementation of a virtual school program for secondary students. The presentation included opportunities to retain and attract students, potential revenue generation, program options, financial considerations, and a proposed implementation timeline for the 2027–2028 school year. The Board discussed various considerations related to establishing a virtual school program. This item was presented for discussion only, and no action was taken.

Adoption of Legislative Priorities for the 90th Legislative Session

Dr. Jeff Gasaway presented the proposed Marble Falls ISD Legislative Priorities for the 90th Texas Legislative Session. The priorities focus on public education funding, school safety and security, local control, and teacher recruitment and retention. Dr. Gasaway noted that minor revisions were made based on feedback from the Board at the October meeting, particularly regarding public education funding and recapture. Two versions, Option A and Option B, were presented for the Board's consideration.

Upon a motion by Kevin Virdell, seconded by Mandy McCary, the Board approved the Marble Falls ISD Legislative Priorities Option B pending appropriate verbiage, language and punctuation as presented.

The Motion Passed 5-0

For:	Alex Payson, Mandy McCary, Crystal Tubig, Kevin Virdell, Larry Berkman
Against:	None
Abstain:	None
Absent:	Dr. Gary Boshears and Kevin Naumann

Executive Session

At **6:55 p.m.,** the Board adjourned into executive session to discuss professional personnel (TX Govt. Code 551.074)

The Board reconvened from executive session at **7:02 p.m.**

Discussion and Possible Approval of Action Arising from Executive Session

There was no action resulting from Executive Session.

Adjournment

Hearing no objection, the Board adjourned at **7:02 p.m.**

Approved:

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Alex Payson, President

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Crystal Tubig, Secretary