

09/09/2025 Marine Multigenerational Education District Advisory Committee Meeting Minutes

Attendees:

Bob Benishek - Neighborhood
Lisa White - Planning Commission
Dan Willenbring - City Council

Not Present:

Robin Brooksbank - Marine Mills Folk School
Tim Casey - Planning Commission
Julie McGarvie - Marine Mills Folk School
Bill Miller - City Council
Kitsi Vadheim - At Large

City Resident Survey

The survey has been created and is ready for distribution. The survey introduction, invitation to the October 25 open house, survey url, and QR code link have been provided to city staff. The committee has requested that this information be distributed via the following methods:

- Via the fall newsletter
- Via a reminder in the sewer/garbage invoice
- Via the city website
- Via the email list
- Posted to the Town Hall notice board

Informational Open House

Robin will work with Lon Pardun to create a welcome video. The video will provide a history of education in Marine, a history of the school property, the purpose of the MMEDAC committee, and an invitation to citizens to provide their input on the future of the property. The welcome video will run on a loop on the first floor of the Town Hall.

The open house will be set up like an IKEA store on the second floor of the Town Hall.

Participating residents will be led through the stations in the following order:

1. Welcome Video Bullet Point Recap
2. History of Education in Marine and History of the School Property
3. Current Use of the School Property
4. MVS/MMFS Collaborations
5. City Zoning Uses Defined
6. Comprehensive Plan and Comp Plan Survey Results
7. 2025 Marine School Citizen Survey Results
8. Maggie Raedeke Presentation
9. Community Ideas for Future Use

Dan will collect maps and property information that are of interest to residents and relevant to a discussion of the school property.

Lisa will draft information for bullet points 2,3,4,5,6,8

Lisa will ask the City Administrator to invite the City Planner to the Open House.

Nest Meeting - Thursday, October 2, 2025 - 6:00PM - Marine Town Hall