

**NMAA Board of Directors Committee Eligibility Hearing
Manzano High School
February 19, 2026
8:00 a.m.- Zoom**

Welcome - Meeting called to order by Mr. Martin Madrid, NMAA Board of Directors Vice-President, at 8:06 a.m., Mrs. Alissa Wesbrook, NMAA Assistant to the Executive Director, conducted roll call and the following members were present:

- Mr. Martin Madrid (At-Large)- Chair
- Mr. Cody Diehl (Large Area A)
- Mr. Will Hawkins (Large Area C)
- Mr. Gene Strickland (Large Area B)
- Mr. Scott Affentranger (NMAA Commission Representative)

5 members were present representing a committee quorum.

Approval of the Agenda:

Mr. Madrid asked for a motion to approve the agenda. Mr. Strickland made a motion to approve the agenda as presented. Mr. Affentranger seconded. A roll call vote was taken and passed unanimously (5-0).

Yes/For	No/Against	Board Member Name
X		Mr. Martin Madrid (At-Large Member)
X		Mr. Cody Diehl (Large Area A)
X		Mr. Will Hawkins (Large Area C)
X		Mr. Gene Strickland (Large Area B)
X		Mr. Scott Affentranger (Commission Representative)

Approval of the Minutes:

Mr. Madrid asked for a motion to approve the minutes from the December 15, 2025, meeting. Mr. Hawkins made a motion to approve the minutes as presented. Mr. Strickland seconded. A roll-call vote was taken and passed unanimously (5-0).

Yes/For	No/Against	Board Member Name
X		Mr. Martin Madrid (At-Large Member)
X		Mr. Cody Diehl (Large Area A)
X		Mr. Will Hawkins (Large Area C)
X		Mr. Gene Strickland (Large Area B)
X		Mr. Scott Affentranger (Commission Representative)

Closed Session (unless family requests hearing to be in open session)

Mr. Madrid asked the appealing party if they wish for the hearing to be held in open session or closed session.

The appealing party requested the hearing be held in closed session.

Closed Session

Mr. Madrid asked for a motion to go into Closed Session. A motion was made by Mr. Hawkins and seconded by Mr. Diehl to go into Closed Session at 8:11 a.m. A roll call vote was taken and the motion passed unanimously with a vote of 5-0.

Yes/For	No/Against	Board Member Name
X		Mr. Martin Madrid (At-Large Member)
X		Mr. Cody Diehl (Large Area A)
X		Mr. Will Hawkins (Large Area C)
X		Mr. Gene Strickland (Large Area B)
X		Mr. Scott Affentranger (Commission Representative)

Executive Session

Mr. Madrid asked for a motion to go into Executive Session for discussion purposes only. A motion was made by Mr. Diehl and seconded by Mr. Strickland to go into Executive Session at approximately 9:17 a.m. A roll call vote was taken and the motion passed unanimously with a vote of 5-0.

Yes/For	No/Against	Board Member Name
X		Mr. Martin Madrid (At-Large Member)
X		Mr. Cody Diehl (Large Area A)
X		Mr. Will Hawkins (Large Area C)
X		Mr. Gene Strickland (Large Area B)
X		Mr. Scott Affentranger (Commission Representative)

Mr. Madrid asked for a motion to go back into closed session. A motion was made by Mr. Hawkins and seconded by Mr. Affentranger to reconvene into closed session at 9:46 a.m. A roll call vote was taken and the motion passed unanimously with a vote of 5-0. Mr. Madrid stated there was no action taken during Executive Session.

Yes/For	No/Against	Board Member Name
X		Mr. Martin Madrid (At-Large Member)
X		Mr. Cody Diehl (Large Area A)
X		Mr. Will Hawkins (Large Area C)
X		Mr. Gene Strickland (Large Area B)
X		Mr. Scott Affentranger (Commission Representative)

Mr. Madrid asked for a motion to go back into open session. A motion was made by Mr. Diehl and seconded by Mr. Hawkins to reconvene into open session at 9:46 a.m. A roll call vote was taken and the motion passed unanimously with a vote of 5-0.

Yes/For	No/Against	Board Member Name
X		Mr. Martin Madrid (At-Large Member)
X		Mr. Cody Diehl (Large Area A)
X		Mr. Will Hawkins (Large Area C)
X		Mr. Gene Strickland (Large Area B)
X		Mr. Scott Affentranger (Commission Representative)

Action Items

Vote On Student Eligibility: Mr. Madrid asked for a motion to uphold, amend or overturn the original decision. A motion was made by Mr. Strickland to overturn the Appeal Review Committee's Decision regarding the Manzano High School appeal. Mr. Hawkins seconded. A roll call vote was taken and the motion unanimously passed with a vote of 5-0.

Yes/For	No/Against	Board Member Name
X		Mr. Martin Madrid (At-Large Member)
X		Mr. Cody Diehl (Large Area A)
X		Mr. Will Hawkins (Large Area C)
X		Mr. Gene Strickland (Large Area B)
X		Mr. Scott Affentranger (Commission Representative)

Adjournment

Mr. Madrid asked for a motion to adjourn. A motion was made by Mr. Strickland and seconded by Mr. Diehl. A vote was taken and passed with a vote of 5-0. The meeting was adjourned at 9:48 a.m.