

Highlights from Wednesday, May 20, 2026, Special Called Board of Trustees meeting



Trustees review 2026-2031 Strategic Plan, provide feedback

After approval of the minutes, Board of Trustees Chairwoman Dr. Pat Ashley transitioned the meeting to the 2026–2031 Strategic Plan Work Session. President Buxton and Sarah Devlin led the session, beginning with a high-level overview and framing discussion. Devlin, senior advisor to

the president, facilitated the remainder of the session by presenting the plan's framework and foundational success factors and guiding the Board through a dot-voting exercise.

Trustees provided insightful feedback on ways the College could strengthen the plan,

including opportunities for flexibility, development of clear and concise talking points, reporting updates, committee structure, financial sustainability, and resource development.

Upon completion of the work session, Chair Ashley invited Trustees to reflect on the process and asked whether the

Board members believed there had been sufficient discussion and engagement regarding the first draft of the plan prior to the June vote.

Trustees unanimously agreed that they were adequately engaged and prepared to vote on the Strategic Plan at the June business meeting.