



**Utah Board of Higher Education
Virtual Meeting
Monday, December 8, 2025**

**COMMITTEE OF THE WHOLE
MINUTES**

Board Members Present

Amanda Covington, Chair
Jon Cox, Vice Chair
Jeremy Hafen
Jodi Hart
Danny Ipson
Garrett Largent
Steve Neeleman
Cydni Tetro

Board Members Absent

Javier Chavez Jr.
Aaron Skonnard

Office of the Commissioner

Geoffrey Landward, Commissioner
Alison Adams, General Counsel and Board Secretary
Brynn Fronk, Executive Assistant to the Utah Board of Higher Education
Nate Talley, Deputy Commissioner and CFO

Vice Chair Cox called the meeting to order at 5:00 p.m.

Committee of the Whole

Board member Ipson moved to go into closed session for the purposes of discussing the character, professional competence, or physical or mental health of an individual; pending or reasonably imminent litigation; security personnel, devices, or systems; or the sale of real property. Board member Neeleman seconded the motion, and the Board members in attendance voted unanimously in favor. The motion passed.

Closed Session

Board member Largent moved to end closed session. Board member Tetro seconded the motion, and the Board members in attendance voted unanimously in favor. The motion passed.

Board member Hart moved to adjourn. Chair Covington seconded the motion, and the Board members in attendance voted unanimously in favor. The motion passed.

The meeting adjourned at 6:28 p.m.



Alison A. Adams, Secretary

Date Approved: January 9, 2026