



Grays Harbor College provides meaningful and engaging learning opportunities and support services to enhance the knowledge, skills, and abilities of our students and support the cultural and economic needs of our community.

Grays Harbor College Board of Trustees Special Meeting

Board Meeting: The Board meeting was convened on July 14, 2025, at 4:02 PM.

Members Present on Zoom: Dr. Paula Akerlund, Astrid Aveledo, Aliza Esty, Dr. Harry Carthum

Others Present on Zoom: Dr. Carli Schiffner, Ja'Shona Cooks, Floyd Plemmons, Lizbeth Sanchez, Justin Kjolseth, Dierk Meierbachtol

I. Call to Order and Roll Call

Chair Dr. Paula Akerlund called the meeting to order at 4:02 PM. Roll call was taken by Ja'Shona Cooks.

II. Executive Session

The Board entered a closed executive session at 4:03 PM under RCW 42.30.110 to consult with legal counsel regarding ongoing litigation. The session was scheduled to last approximately 45 minutes. The Board reconvened in open session at 4:28 PM.

III. Action Items as a Result of the Executive Session

No action was had as a result of executive session.

IV. Adjournment/next meeting

There being no further business, Chair Dr. Paula Akerlund adjourned the meeting at 4:29 PM. The Board of Trustees will hold its next meeting on August 12, 2025 at 1:00 PM, at Grays Harbor College in Aberdeen and via Zoom.

Dr. Carli Schiffner, Secretary

Dr. Paula Akerlund, Chair