

**Minutes of the Special Called Meeting
Horry-Georgetown Technical College Commission
May 21, 2026**

Members Present: Joe T. Branyon, Jr. John G. Cassidy
 Fedrick D. Cohens (Via Teams) Richard F. Elliott
 Robert J. Farrar Robert P. Hucks
 J. David McMillan (Via Teams) Orrie E. West (Via Teams)

Cathy Myers, Administrative Coordinator

Members Absent: None

Guests: None

Media: Charles Perry, Post and Courier

The Horry-Georgetown Technical College Commission held a special called meeting on Thursday, May 21, 2026, at 10:30 a.m. in the President's Board Room, Conway Campus of Horry-Georgetown Technical College.

In accordance with the South Carolina Freedom of Information Act, written notice of the meeting, including the date, time and location, was provided to all media outlets in Horry and Georgetown Counties.

Chairman Branyon called the meeting to order at 10:30 a.m. Roll call was made.

Chairman Branyon asked for acceptance of the agenda. ***Mr. Hucks made a motion, seconded by Dr. Farrar, and unanimously carried to accept the agenda.***
(8 yes 0 no) ***M/S/C***

Executive Session

Dr. Farrar made a motion, seconded by Mr. McMillan, and unanimously carried to go into Executive Session for the purpose of discussing personnel matters, and/or contractual arrangements/negotiations.
(8 yes 0 no) ***M/S/C***

Mr. Hucks made a motion, seconded by Ms. West, and unanimously carried to come out of Executive Session at 11:03 a.m.
(8 yes 0 no) ***M/S/C***

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Dr. Farrar made a motion, seconded by Mr. Elliott, and unanimously carried for the Board to authorize Mr. Hucks to enter negotiations with a presidential search firm to be determined.

(8 yes 0 no)

M/S/C

There being no further business, Mr. Hucks made a motion, seconded by Mr. Cohens, and unanimously carried that the Area Commission adjourn at 11:06 a.m.

(8 yes 0 no)

M/S/C

Tommy Branyon, Chairman

Orrie E. West, Secretary

**Respectfully Submitted,
Cathy L. Myers
Administrative Coordinator**

Date: _____