

**Minutes of the Special Called Meeting  
Horry-Georgetown Technical College Commission  
September 15, 2026**

**Members Present:** Joe T. Branyon, Jr.  
Fedrick D. Cohens  
Robert J. Farrar  
J. David McMillan

John G. Cassidy  
Richard F. Elliott  
Robert P. Hucks, II  
Orrie E. West

**Members Absent:** None

**Guests:** Kennon Briggs, ACCT Search Consultant

**Media:** None

The Horry-Georgetown Technical College Commission held a Special Called Meeting on Tuesday, September 15, 2026, at 4:45 p.m. in the Y. Melvin Nobles Conference Room, Grand Strand Campus of Horry-Georgetown Technical College. The meeting was relocated from the previously scheduled meeting room due to air conditioning issues.

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 serving Horry and Georgetown Counties.

Chairman Hucks called the meeting to order at 4:45 p.m. and asked for acceptance of the agenda. ***Mr. Branyon made a motion, seconded by Mr. Cohens, and unanimously carried to accept the agenda.***

***(8 yes 0 no)***

***M/S/C***

**Executive Session**

***Mr. Branyon made a motion, seconded by Mr. Cohens, and unanimously carried to enter Executive Session Pursuant to S.C. Code § 30-4-70(a)(1) – Discussion of Employment/Appointment of a college President, including Candidate Interviews at 4:46 p.m.***

***(8 yes 0 no)***

***M/S/C***

***Mr. Branyon made a motion, seconded by Mr. Cassidy, and unanimously carried to return to Open Session at 6:18 p.m. No action Taken.***

***(8 yes 0 no)***

***M/S/C***

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***There being no further business, Mr. Branyon made a motion, seconded by Mr. Cohens, and unanimously carried to adjourn at 6:19 p.m.***  
**(8 yes 0 no)**

**M/S/C**

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**Robert P. Hucks, II, Chairman**

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**Orrie E. West, Secretary**

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

**Date:** \_\_\_\_\_

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