

**FORT SCOTT COMMUNITY COLLEGE**  
**Minutes of the Board of Trustees Special Meeting**  
**December 12, 2025**

**PRESENT:** Ronda Bailey, John Bartelsmeyer, Bryan Holt, Chad McKinnis, Doug Ropp

**ALSO PRESENT:** Dr. Jack Welch - President, Juley McDaniel - Board Clerk, faculty, staff, and community

Bryan Holt called the meeting to order at 12:01 pm in the Cleaver-Burris-Boileau Agriculture Building.

The meeting was opened with the Pledge of Allegiance, Board prayer led by Dr. Welch, and Holt reading FSCC's mission statement.

Updates were provided by Larry Guerrero and Jack Welch.

The Board reviewed the agenda for the regularly scheduled board meeting to be held December 15, 2025. Each item in the agenda was discussed, and Board members were given an opportunity to ask questions regarding each item.

A motion was made by Holt, seconded by Bartelsmeyer, and carried by unanimous vote to adjourn to executive session for ten minutes to discuss matters relating to security measures, if the discussion of such matters at an open meeting would jeopardize such security measures, that protect a public body or agency, public building or facility or the information system of a public body or agency to protect the security of the facility, computer, staff, and students, to begin at 12:42 pm, with no action expected to follow. The board invited President Welch and Gina Shelton to join. A motion was made by Holt, seconded by Ropp, and carried by unanimous vote to return to open session at 12:52 pm.

A motion was made by Holt, seconded by Ropp, and carried by unanimous vote to adjourn to executive session for ten minutes to discuss personnel matters of non-elected personnel for the discussion of identifiable information of non-elected personnel, to begin at 12:53 pm, with no action expected to follow. The board invited President Welch and Gina Shelton to join. A motion was made by Holt, seconded by Bartelsmeyer, and carried by unanimous vote to return to open session at 1:03 pm.

A motion was made by Holt, seconded by Ropp, and carried by unanimous vote to adjourn to executive session for ten minutes to discuss personnel matters of non-elected personnel for the discussion of identifiable information of non-elected personnel, to begin at 1:04 pm, with no action expected to follow. The board invited President Welch to join. A motion was made by Holt, seconded by Bartelsmeyer, and carried by unanimous vote to return to open session at 1:15 pm.

**ADJOURNMENT:** There being no further business to come before the Trustees, a motion to adjourn was made at 1:18 pm by Bartelsmeyer, seconded by Ropp, and carried by unanimous vote.

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Chairman

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Clerk