

GATEWAY TECHNICAL COLLEGE DISTRICT BOARD  
Board Ad Hoc Meeting, October 20, 2025

The Gateway Technical College District Board met virtually on Monday, October 20, 2025, to establish an Ad Hoc Committee to oversee the Presidential Search. The meeting was called to order at 2:01 pm by Jason Tadlock, Chairperson.

**Open Meeting Compliance:** David Elliott confirmed the meeting was duly noticed in accordance with state statutes for open meeting compliance.

**Roll Call**

**Present:** None

**Virtual:** Ram Bhatia, Tamarra Coleman, Preston Gardner, Zaida Lange-Irison, Rebecca Matoska-Mentink, Nicole Oberlin, Scott Pierce, Michael P. Reader and Jason Tadlock

**Excused:** Caio Lisboa, student trustee

Also in attendance were Interim President Morgan Phillips, Recorder David Elliott and 10 virtual participants.

**Presidential Search – Establish Ad Hoc Committee**

T. Coleman, P. Gardner, S. Pierce and M. Reader volunteered to serve on the Ad Hoc Committee to oversee the Presidential Search.

**Following discussion, it was moved by Z. Lange-Irison, seconded by S. Pierce and carried to roll call vote to approve the Ad Hoc Committee members.**

**Aye: 9**

**No: 0**

**Abstaining: 0**

**Excused: 0**

Adjourn - At 2:15 pm, it was moved by R. Bhatia, seconded by S. Pierce and carried to adjourn the meeting.

Submitted by,

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read "Preston Gardner". The signature is stylized with a large, looped "P" and a cursive "Gardner".

Preston Gardner, Secretary  
Gateway Technical College Board of Trustees