# MINUTES OF THE UTAH PRIVACY COMMISSION MEETING

Tuesday, September 30, 2025 • 2:30 p.m. Virtual Meeting • Anchor Location: Room 220, East Building, Utah Capitol Complex

## **Participating Commission Members:**

Commissioner David N. Sonnenreich
Commissioner Don Wood
Commissioner Jason Shelton
Commissioner Micah Vorwaller

Commissioner Sam Smith
Commissioner Steve McCown

### **Absent Commission Members:**

Commissioner Tanner Jensen Commissioner J. Kent Millington
Commissioner Josh Daniels Commissioner Brandon Greenwood

### **Other Attendees:**

Tina Cannon, Utah State Auditor
Mark Meyer, Assistant State Privacy Auditor
Bon Lee, Privacy Audit Outreach
Brian Nelson, Office of Data Privacy
Mandy Teerlink, Office of the Utah State Auditor
Sydney Ohlensehlen, Office of the Utah State Auditor
Elliott Clark, Attorney General's Office
Shanna Durrant, Department of Public Safety
Laura Mendoza, Department of Natural Resources
Shelly Teuscher

Note: A copy of the meeting materials and an audio recording of the meeting may be found on the Public Meeting Notice website under the Utah Privacy Commission (listed as a public body under the State/State Auditor) on the September 30, 2025 meeting. These minutes may refer to the recording found on the Public Notice Website with the approximate number on the recording where an issue is being discussed.

#### 1. Welcome

Chair Sonnenreich called the meeting to order at 2:33 pm

### 2. Approval of minutes of the September 10, 2025 meeting

Chair Sonnenreich asked for a vote to approve the September 10, 2025 minutes.

**MOTION:** Commissioner Smith moved that September 10, 2025 meeting minutes be approved. The motion passed unanimously, with Commissioner Baker being absent. [Please refer to 00:01:25 in the recording to hear the motion.]

#### 3. Overview of Commission's Report to the Judiciary Interim Committee

Chair Sonnenreich shared the updated draft of the report and provided opportunities for comment on different changes that had been made since the September 10<sup>th</sup> meeting. Commissioner McCown and Smith raised objections about an item referring to engineered consent, requesting that the commission

have further discussions about the topic before reporting on it. The commission agreed to remove the language referring to it.

**MOTION**: Commissioner McCown made a motion to approve the draft contingent upon the changes discussed in the meeting. The motion passed unanimously. [Please refer to 00:16:10 in the recording to hear the motion.]

[Please refer to 00:03:00 in the recording to hear all comments and questions.]

## 4. Subcommittee Reports

There were no subcommittee reports. Chair Sonnenreich mentioned that several subcommittee reports will be happening in November, including discussion of issues associated with the purview of those subcommittees.

[Please refer to 00:17:10 in the recording to hear the discussion.]

### 5. Report from the State Privacy Auditor

Assistant State Privacy Auditor Mark Meyer presented the yearly report the State Privacy Audit Team must submit to the legislature. The report covers the transition from the State Privacy Officer to the State Privacy Auditor and the subsequent change in duties. Other items included in the report were privacy alerts released to government entities and bill reviews conducted during legislative session.

[Please refer to 00:18:48 in the recording to hear the report.]

## 6. Report from the Office of Data Privacy

Commissioner Vorwaller reported that the CPO will be mandating legislation in the annual report, but those recommendations may be delayed because of the shifting deadlines for privacy implementation. The ODP is also preparing for the Privacy Summit on October 17<sup>th</sup> at UVU.

[Please refer to 00:21:34 in the recording to hear the report.]

#### 7. Other Business

Administrator will send out approved version of the annual report. Commissioner Wood thanked the commission for attending the Utah Association of Counties Conference earlier in September.

## 8. Adjourn

Chair Sonnenreich called for a motion to adjourn the meeting.

**MOTION:** Commissioner Smith moved to adjourn the meeting. The motion passed unanimously.