

Utah Board of Higher Education  
Virtual Conference via Zoom  
Thursday, November 6, 2025

EXECUTIVE COMMITTEE MEETING  
MINUTES

**Executive Committee Members Present**

Amanda Covington, Chair  
Jon Cox, Vice Chair  
Javier Chavez Jr.

**Office of the Commissioner**

Geoffrey Landward, Commissioner of Higher Education  
Alison Adams, General Counsel and Board Secretary  
Brynn Fronk, Executive Assistant to the Utah Board of Higher Education  
Angie Stallings, Deputy Commissioner and COO  
Nate Talley, Deputy Commissioner and CFO

Chair Covington called the meeting to order at 2:00 p.m.

**Executive Committee Meeting**

The Executive Committee convened to take action on behalf of the Board under Board Policy R120 subsection 3.9.5.2.

*Tooele Technical College Interim President Appointment*

**Vice Chair Cox moved to appoint Kent Thygerson as Interim President of Tooele Technical College, effective November 16, 2025. Board member Chavez Jr. seconded the motion. The Executive Committee members in attendance voted unanimously in favor, and the motion passed.**

*Weber State University Interim President Appointment*

**Board member Chavez Jr. moved to appoint Leslie Durham as Interim President of Weber State University, effective November 10, 2025. Vice Chair Cox seconded the motion. The Executive Committee members in attendance voted unanimously in favor, and the motion passed.**

**Chair Covington moved to adjourn. Vice Chair Cox seconded the motion. The Executive Committee members in attendance voted unanimously in favor, and the motion passed.**

The meeting adjourned at 2:10 p.m.



Alison A. Adams, Secretary

Date Approved: November 20, 2025