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**BOARD OF TRUSTEES RETREAT
HEARTLAND COMMUNITY COLLEGE
1500 W. RAAB ROAD, NORMAL, IL
COMMUNITY COMMONS BUILDING, ROOM 2012
JULY 29, 2025
5:00 PM**

Members Present: Mary Campbell, Josh Crockett, Janet Hood, Aemun Lopeyok, Becky Ropp, Tom Whitt, Angell Howard, Laurie Bergner

Members Absent: None

Others Present: Keith Cornille, Nora Dukowitz, Jim Reed (ICCTA), Mel Henriksen (NIU)

Chair Becky Ropp called the meeting to order at approximately 5:03 pm.

Trustee Janet Hood made a motion to adopt the agenda. Trustee Tom Whitt seconded the motion. The motion passed unopposed.

Trustee Angell Howard, who was selected to be appointed by the Board at a Special Meeting on Monday, July 21 to fill the vacancy left by Trustee Cecelia Long's recent resignation, took the Oath of Office and was seated.

There was no public comment.

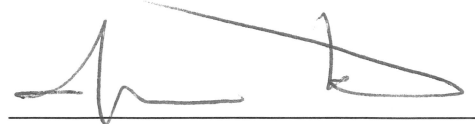
Trustee Tom Whitt made a motion to go into Closed Session, per Section 2(c)(16): Self Evaluation. Trustee Janet Hood seconded the motion. The motion passed unopposed, and the Board entered Closed Session at approximately 5:10 pm.

Trustee Mary Campbell made a motion to end Closed Session. Trustee Laurie Bergner seconded the motion. The motion passed unopposed.

Trustee Tom Whitt made a motion to return to Open Session. Trustee Janet Hood seconded the motion. The Board returned to Open Session at approximately 8:13 pm.

Having no further business, Trustee Tom Whitt made a motion to adjourn the meeting. Trustee Aemun Lopeyok seconded the motion. The motion passed unopposed, and the meeting adjourned at approximately 8:14 pm.


Becky Ropp, Chair


Joshua Crockett, Secretary