

**MINUTES OF THE MEETING OF THE
BOARD OF REGENTS OF THE UNIVERSITY SYSTEM OF GEORGIA
Atlanta, Georgia
May 13, 2026**

CALL TO ORDER

The Board of Regents of the University System of Georgia met on Wednesday, May 13, 2026, in Room 8003 of the Board's offices, 270 Washington Street, S.W., Atlanta, Georgia. Board Chair David B. Dove called the meeting to order at 8:06 a.m. Present, in addition to Board Chair Dove, were Board Vice Chair Deep J. Shah; Regents Tom Bradbury; Chris Cannon; Samuel D. Holmes; James M. Hull; Cade Joiner; Patrick C. Jones; Lowery Houston May; Neil L. Pruitt, Jr.; Harold Reynolds; T. Dallas Smith; Haynes Maier Studstill; and Mathews D. Swift. Regent Richard T. Evans participated remotely. Regents Erin Hames; C. Everett Kennedy, III; and James K. Syfan, III were excused. Chancellor Sonny Perdue was also present.

EXECUTIVE SESSION

Upon a motion by Regent Haynes Maier Studstill and variously seconded, the Board members present voted unanimously to enter executive session at 8:07 a.m. An affidavit regarding this executive session is on file in the Office of the Secretary to the Board.

Upon a motion by Regent T. Dallas Smith and seconded by Regent Lowery Houston May, the Board members present voted unanimously to exit executive session at 12:36 p.m.

RECONVENE AND THE VALDOSTA STATE UNIVERSITY PRESIDENCY

Following the executive session, Board Chair David B. Dove reconvened the Board in its regular session and announced that no action had been taken.

Upon a motion by Regent Haynes Maier Studstill and seconded by Lowery Houston May, the Board members present voted unanimously to name Dr. Donald J. Green finalist for the presidency of Valdosta State University.

ADJOURNMENT

There being no further business to come before the Board, and upon a motion made by Regent Harold Reynolds and seconded by Regent T. Dallas Smith, the Board members present voted unanimously to adjourn at approximately 12:38 p.m.


David B. Dove
Chairman, Board of Regents
University System of Georgia


Christopher A. McGraw
Secretary, Board of Regents
University System of Georgia