DELTA STATE UNIVERSITY
UNIVERSITY LEADERSHIP COUNCIL
Minutes

Meeting date: July 20, 2026

Members in attendance: Dr. Eddie Lovin, Dr. Vicki Bingham, Dr. Joe Childs, Dr. Curtis Coleman, Dr. Edwin Craft, Dr. Leslie Griffin, Mr. Mike Kinnison, Ms. Fawn Ussery, Dr. Merideth Van Namen, Ms. Freddie Watt, Dr. Jon Westfall and Ms. Kelli Williams (recorder – Ms. Claire Cole)

Members not in attendance: Ms. Tijuana Harris, Ms. Tameka Curry-Bryant, Ms. Evelyn Greer, Dr. Suzette Matthews, Ms. Collins Phelps, and Ms. Sydney Pittman

Guests: None

Call to Order: A regular meeting of the University Leadership Council was held in Room 302A of the H. L. Nowell Union on July 20, 2026. The meeting convened at 1:30 p.m. with Dr. Lovin presiding.

APPROVAL OF THE MINUTES

On motion by Dr. Westfall and seconded by Dr. Craft, all University Leadership Council Members present and participating voted unanimously to approve the Minutes of the Meetings held on May 11, 2026.

BUSINESS

Action

None

Discussion

Housing and Residence Life policies ..... Dr. Lovin

Dr. Lovin announced the original Housing and Residence Life policy was expanded upon and separated into 37 individual policies. A majority of the policies are ready for review today, and several more are being reviewed by the Chief Legal Officer. To provide University Leadership Council members with adequate time to review the expanded upon policies, Dr. Lovin suggested no policies be reviewed today, and a Microsoft Teams meeting be scheduled for later in the week to review all policies approved by the Chief Legal Officer.

NEXT MEETING:

- Next Meeting – TBD

Adjournment: The meeting adjourned at 1:45 p.m.