## SPECIAL MEETING OF THE BOARD OF TRUSTEES OF THE EVERGREEN STATE COLLEGE

## October 14, 2009

**Trustees Attending:** 

Carver Gayton

Absent: Paul Winters

Irene Gonzales Denny Heck Kristin Hayden Dixon McReynolds Keith Kessler

Anne Proffitt

**Staff Present:** 

John Carmichael, Administrative Assistant to the President/Recording Secretary

to the Board of Trustees Thomas L. Purce, President

Steve Trotter, Executive Director for Operational Budget and Planning

Others:

Glen Anderson, Assistant Attorney General

Lowell "Duke" Kuehn, Pacific Northwest Consulting Services

The Board of Trustees conducted a goal-setting retreat in the Coach House of the State Capital Museum (211 SW 21st Avenue, Olympia, Washington).

Mr. Kessler convened the meeting at 9:00 and announced that the Board would move to executive session for 30 minutes to discuss litigation with legal counsel. The Board returned to an open public meeting at 9:30 a.m.

Duke Kuehn facilitated the retreat for the Board. Discussion included a review of Evergreen's strategy and goals. No actions were taken.

The meeting adjourned at 4:00 p.m.

Keith Kessler, Vice-Chair

Anne Proffitt, Secretary