



Preserving the Past, Enriching the Future
February 12, 2026 Board of Trustees

Special Board of Trustees Meeting Agenda

ISHS: Janet L. Gallimore, Patricia Hoffman			
Board of Trustees: Dr. Amy Canfield, Dr. Cheryl O'Brien, Justin Vipperman, Don Pischner, Mary Ann Arnold, Rick Phillips			
*times are estimated			
Thursday, February 12, 2026			
9:00 am	1.0	CALL TO ORDER	Dr. Cheryl O'Brien, Chair
	2.0	MOTION TO MOVE INTO EXECUTIVE SESSION – Idaho Code § 74-206(1)(a) Personnel – District 3 Board of Trustee	Dr. Cheryl O'Brien, Chair
	3.0	MOTION TO MOVE OUT OF EXECUTIVE SESSION	Dr. Cheryl O'Brien, Chair
	4.0	ACTION ITEM <u>Action:</u> Approve the ISHS Board of Trustees' recommendations for the District 3 Board of Trustees position and forwarded those names to the Governor's Office for final selection.	Dr. Cheryl O'Brien, Chair
	5.0	ADJOURN	

Interviews	District 3 – 40-50 minutes	Notes
Thurs Feb. 12		
9:00-9:40 am	Melinda Smyser, Parma	Senator 2008-2012, Regional Dir. for Senator Risch, Dir. Idaho Labor, Dir. Governor's Office of Drug Policy, Owner Capitol Cellars Restaurant
	JG/PH escorts MS out JG/PH escorts VH upstairs	
9:55-10:35 am	Vicki Holbrook, Nampa	Referred by Patti Lodge Middleton School District, Emmett School District -Public Information Director, Idaho Depart. Of Ed, City of Nampa-Communications Director, Idaho Press Tribune-Editor, Publisher, Reporter
	JG/PH escorts VH out JG/PH escorts DK upstairs	
10:45-11:25 am	Debbie Kling, Nampa	Former Mayor Nampa, Pres/CEO Nampa Chamber of Commerce, VP Author Relations & Legal Management Unity Media Group, Gen. Manager – Qwest Arena
	JG/PH escorts DK out JG/PH escorts DG upstairs	
11:35-12:15 am	Debbie Geyer, Caldwell	Referred by Brian Kida, City of Caldwell City Clerk of Caldwell
12:25-1:05 pm	Lori Steiniker, Nampa	Virtual Payette School District-Dir. Special Services, History Educator, Especial Ed
1:10–1:45 pm	Discussion	