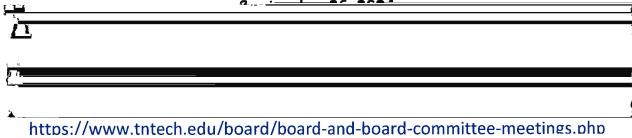
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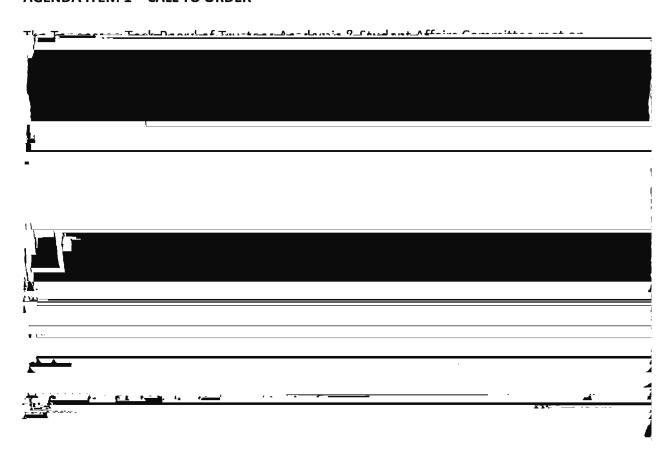
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AGENDA ITEM 1 – CALL TO ORDER



AGENDA ITEM 3 – ENROLLMENT REPORT

Karen Lykins, vice president for enrollment and communication, began her presentation by sharing the overall student headcount for fall 2024, which was one of the university's largest overall headcounts in recent years. She also indicated that the university slightly exceeded their set goal for first-time freshmen numbers. In addition, she noted that transfer numbers were slightly up, as well as graduate student numbers.

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academically strong incoming class. Next, Ms. Lykins presented information about out-of-state students and how this is an area that has potential for growth. She also shared information about the diversity of the incoming freshmen class, noting that the Hispanic population has shown a significant increase over the last few years.

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Dr. Liu concluded his presentation by highlighting Tennessee Tech's research centers and the (athletics), scholarships, and faculty support. He shared the goal amount for each area and the current amount raised. Dr. Braswell, then highlighted fundraising totals for the last ten fiscal years, pointing out that last fiscal year was one of Tennessee Tech's best fundraising years. He shared the amount of fundraising dollars committed for several major projects that help enhance student

graduates are career ready; exceeding national and accreditation performance benchmarks across graduate and undergraduate programs, passing exams with a very high first-time pass rate, and being employed within a year of graduation.

Dean Hanna then discussed enrollment challenges for nursing. She informed the Board that anglimant nations sida is dama for bath under and a sed and and in the base and