



**Galveston College, TX
Tentative Presidential Search Timeline and Search Plan**

October 13, 2025	Called meeting of the Board to consider RFP's for presidential search
October 15, 2025	Regular Meeting of Galveston Board of Regents to select search consultant
October 16 – November 6, 2025	Consideration of Membership for GC Search Committee
November 10, 2025	Regular Board Meeting to approve Search Committee Membership, Tentative Timeline and Search Plan
December 3, 2025	ACCT Search Consultants facilitate a series of in-person open Public Forums (Administrators, Staff, Faculty, Students, Community members invited to attend) to solicit feedback to inform the development of the draft Presidential Profile. Presidential Search Announcement with electronic survey distributed (approximately 10 days prior to the forum date) to solicit feedback to assist with the development of the Presidential Profile.
December 4, 2025	Presidential Search Committee Meeting #1: Training and Orientation; Committee receives Draft Presidential Profile and reviews and edits the draft Presidential Profile. (Approximately a 2 – 3 hour meeting).
December 10, 2025	Called Meeting of the Board of Regents to finalize the Presidential Profile
December 11, 2025	Presidential Profile goes public on multiple sites for promotion of the position
February 6, 2026	Target Date for Receipt of Applications. Position open until filled.
February 10 - 20, 2026	Presidential Search Committee members review and rate the confidential applications using ACCT's secure web portal.

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March 4, 2026	Presidential Search Committee Meeting #2: Presidential Search Committee meets to discuss and select approximately 7 – 10 confidential semifinalists. (5 – 6 hour meeting).
March 18-19, 2026	Search Committee Meeting #3: Presidential Search Committee meets for confidential semifinalist interviews. (Two-day Interview process via video or in-person). Search Committee deliberates and selects 3 - 5 finalists and forwards recommendations to the Board of Regents.
March 25, 2026	Called Meeting of the Board of Regents to name finalists for the position of president
Week of April 13, 2026	Finalists visit the College for tours, participate in public forums, meet with Direct Reports, etc. Finalists interview with the Board of Regents. During deliberations, ACCT provides oral in-depth reference reports on final candidates.
Week of April 20, 2026	Board of Regents meets to select a sole finalist. [Option: Board members visit #1 candidate's institution.] Board negotiates contract and then announces the sole finalist. Board waits 21 days to vote formally.
Week of May 11, 2026	Board meeting and formal vote: New President Galveston College is announced (21 days after the announcement of the sole finalist)
July 1, 2026	Tentative Target start date for next President of Galveston College or as agreed upon by the president-Elect and the Board of Regents.