



## Ag & Horticulture

**Advisory Committee**  
Spring 2025

**Meeting Date:** March 3, 2025  
**Time:** 4:00pm  
**Location:** Zoom

### Agenda

- I. Welcome & Introductions – 5 minutes**
- II. Program Update – 10 minutes**
  - A. Spring 2025 Enrollment
    - College increase 11.3% credit hours over Spring 2024
    - AGT increase of 11 credit hours (+157.1%) over Spring 2024
    - HOR increase of 95 credit hours (+51.4%) over Spring 2024
  - B. Department Updates
    - Student News, Field Trips/Experiences
    - Department Events
    - Facilities, Equipment, and Supplies
    - Other
- III. Employer Discussion & Feedback – 45 minutes**
  - A. Spring Job Fair
    - Feedback and Recommendations
  - B. Industry Update/Employer Needs– *Committee Members*
    - Trends – Industry Shifts?
    - Hiring – Employment Needs? Open Positions?
    - Skills – In-demand skills in industry? Recommended credentials/certifications? Gaps?
    - Technology and Tools – Any new trends with new tech, techniques, and tools? AI?
    - Kish Graduate/Students – How are our students and graduates doing?
  - C. Curriculum Guidance (if any) - *Faculty*
  - D. Open Discussion
- IV. Next Meeting Date & Focus**
  - A. Tentative Date – Monday, November 3, 2025 at 3:00pm. On-campus and Zoom