

OWLSCOR PULSE DELTA — PULSE #2

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Comparing September 2, 2026 → December 8, 2026

This report compares two dated intake snapshots for the same organization. It answers one question directly: what changed since the last Pulse, and is that change material. It is evidence of posture over time — not an audit, and not a legal opinion.

PRIOR PULSE 57.0 Watch	CURRENT PULSE 61.5 Developing	CHANGE ▲ 4.5 Watch → Developing	MATERIALITY Material Grade C → C+
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Reported Changes

Named an AI governance owner; wrote the Acceptable Use Policy; started board reporting cadence. Added a new vendor for contract review automation — governance review pending.

Category Score Movement

Category	Prior	Current	Change	Band
A AI System Inventory & Classification	84.0	84.0	▬ 0.0	On Track → On Track
B Governance & Accountability	28.0	60.0	▲ 32.0	Critical Gap → Developing
C Data Provenance & Quality	70.0	70.0	▬ 0.0	Developing → Developing
D Vendor / Third-Party AI Dependency	40.0	35.0	▼ 5.0	Watch → Critical Gap
E Bias, Explainability & Human Oversight	40.0	40.0	▬ 0.0	Watch → Watch
F Monitoring, Incident Response & Continuous Improvement	80.0	80.0	▬ 0.0	On Track → On Track

Findings Resolved Since Last Pulse

- ✓ No AI Risk Owner or governance committee has been formally designated. (Assessed maturity: aware but undocumented)
- ✓ No written AI Acceptable Use Policy exists, leaving employee AI use ungoverned by default. (Assessed maturity: partially documented)

New Findings This Quarter

No new findings surfaced this quarter.

Still Open

15 finding(s) flagged in the prior Pulse remain open and unresolved:

- Written AI governance/risk documentation has not been requested from critical AI vendors. (Assessed maturity: aware but undocumented)
- No documented fallback or exit plan exists if a critical AI vendor changes terms or discontinues support. (Assessed maturity: aware but undocumented)
- No override or appeal mechanism is available when AI recommendations affect individuals. (Assessed maturity: aware but undocumented)
- Roles and responsibilities for AI risk management are not documented or reviewed on a defined cadence. (Assessed maturity: partially documented)
- No defined process exists for escalating high-risk AI use cases for additional review or approval. (Assessed maturity: partially documented)
- Vendor AI commitments and known limitations are not tracked in a vendor risk register. (Assessed maturity: partially documented)
- High-risk AI systems have not been evaluated for disparate impact or fairness issues relevant to their use case. (Assessed maturity: partially documented)
- The organization cannot explain, at a meaningful level, how material AI outputs are generated. (Assessed maturity: partially documented)
- Shadow or unsanctioned AI tools are not identified or tracked, creating blind-spot exposure outside governance. (Assessed maturity: documented, not yet tested)
- Leadership and the board do not receive recurring AI risk reporting, limiting executive visibility into the risk. (Assessed maturity: documented, not yet tested)
- Data quality, bias, and representativeness checks are not performed or recorded prior to deployment. (Assessed maturity: documented, not yet tested)
- Synthetic data and third-party datasets are not disclosed or assessed for legal/IP risk. (Assessed maturity: documented, not yet tested)
- Vendor contracts lack AI-specific terms — data use, model updates, liability, and audit rights are unaddressed. (Assessed maturity: documented, not yet tested)
- Human-in-the-loop (or human-on-the-loop) oversight is not required or documented for consequential decisions. (Assessed maturity: documented, not yet tested)
- AI risk metrics and remediation progress are not reported on a defined cadence. (Assessed maturity: documented, not yet tested)

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