

## May 2026 Minutes

### **State Budget Committee Minutes**

May 12, 2026, 4:30 PM ET

Indiana Statehouse

Senate Appropriations Room 431

200 W. Washington St., Indianapolis, IN 46204

#### **Members:**

Senator Ryan Mishler, Chair  
Senator David Niezgodski  
Representative Ed DeLaney  
Representative Jeff Thompson  
Chad Ranney, State Budget Director

#### **Alternate Members:**

Representative Craig Snow  
Senator Chris Garten  
Senator Fady Qaddoura  
Lisa Acobert, Deputy State Budget Director  
Courtney Everett, Deputy State Budget Director

Chairman Ryan Mishler called the meeting to order at 4:30 PM. Chairman Mishler placed the agenda on the table for consideration; there were no proposed amendments. Chairman Mishler introduced the agenda.

#### **University Projects**

##### Indiana University

Zach Smith Howard, Director of State Relations, presented the Musical Arts Center rehabilitation project. Following the presentation, there were no questions.

##### Indiana State University

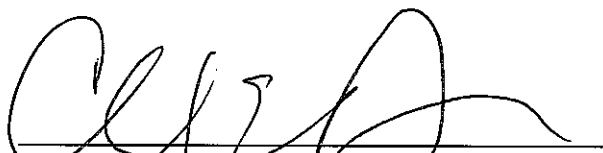
Seth Hinshaw, CFO, presented the Hulman Memorial Student Union commons renovations. Following the presentation, there were no questions.

Chairman Mishler asked if there were motions to remove items from the agenda. There were no such motions. Representative Jeffrey Thompson motioned to approve the agenda, Representative Gregory Porter seconded the motion to approve. The agenda passed unanimously. Representative Gregory Porter asked for the Indiana Department of Corrections (DOC) to be called to the next Budget Committee to provide an update to the Committee on receiving payment for housing detainees. Chairman Mishler clarified that Representative Porter wanted a census in State prisons and an update on the payment expected from the Federal Government. Representative Porter stated that was correct. Chairman Mishler adjourned the meeting at 4:40 PM.

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Senator Ryan Mishler, Chairman

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Chad Ranney, Budget Director

**State Budget Committee Agenda**  
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**I. University Projects**

1. **Indiana University (750)** \$15,700,000  
IU Bloomington Jacobs School of Music Musical Arts Center (MAC) Renovation  
A-1-26-2-01

The Indiana University Board of Trustees respectfully request authorization to proceed with the renovation and infrastructure upgrades for the Musical Arts Center (MAC), located on the IU Bloomington campus. The project will address essential improvements to the building's controls system, under-stage equipment, over-stage equipment, and electrical systems, including theatrical and performance lighting. Many of these foundational and theatrical systems are original to the 1972 facility or have undergone only limited replacement, resulting in impacts to student curricular activities and performance capabilities. The planned upgrades include modernization of lighting and electrical infrastructure, refurbishment of the stage floor, replacement of the under-stage tracking turntable and deck wagons, and overhaul of grid, portable point, and utility hoists.

CHE Review:	April 1, 2026	
Funding:	Campus Reserves	\$10,000,000
	Operating Revenue	\$5,700,000

2. **Indiana State University (770)** \$ 4,200,000  
Hulman Memorial Student Union Commons Renovations  
C-1-26-2-02

The Indiana State University Board of Trustees requests approval to proceed with the renovation of the Commons located within the Hulman Memorial Student Union. The renovation will address 16,000 gross square foot of aging infrastructure including mechanical, electrical, HVAC, and building envelope needs. The project will include the buildout of a new 7,000 GSF university bookstore within the existing building footprint and a 30% reduction in common area space.

CHE Review:	April 1, 2026	
Funding:	University Capital Plant Funds	\$ 3,950,000
	Private Donations	\$250,000

**Cost Summary**

Campus Reserves	\$10,000,000
Operating Revenue	\$5,700,000
University Capital Plant Funds	\$3,950,000
Private Donations	\$250,000
<b>Total</b>	<b>\$19,900,000</b>

**II. Reports Received**

1. Miami Correctional Facility Report, I.C. 11-8-11 – *Indiana Department of Correction* (4.27.26)
2. Miami Correctional Facility Report, I.C. 11-8-11 – *Indiana Department of Correction* (4.27.26)