

2023-25 Operating and Capital Budget Requests

Legislative Districts: 5, 11, 30, 31, 33, 37, 41, 47

Overview

Founded in 1965, Green River College is a comprehensive community college with academic transfer classes, professional-technical programs, adult basic skills classes and continuing education. Green River is one of the top transfer community colleges in the state. It also boasts one of the largest Worker Retraining and Running Start programs, and offers nine Bachelor and Bachelor of Applied Science degrees.

At a time when most jobs require education past high school, Green River College offers paths to solid careers. We are accessible to all kinds of students, are affordable, and are connected to both K-12 schools and universities.

Meet Vladyslav Boiko



Vladyslav Boiko is an International Student from the Ukraine studying IT Programming at Green River College. This has been his desire from a young age, and after studying in his home country, he knew he wanted to finish his studies in the United States, where he could get the best education possible. He has been creating websites for small companies and individuals to obtain more experience in the field of study. He plans to transfer to a four-year university in the US to complete his studies.

Legislative Priority: Expand Opportunity for Students and Employers

Fully funding our budget requests will have real returns for students like Vladyslav Boiko and for the communities and employers in our area. Students will learn from competitively-paid experts who choose to work at Green River College rather than pursue higher paying positions with private employers or K-12 schools. Our students will train for careers in robust workforce programs, with modern equipment and learning spaces that mirror their future work environments. We will be able to expand technology to bring a college education to more people in more ways, which is especially important for working adults. And, all our students will benefit from an inclusive environment where they are valued, supported and equipped to reach their goals.

Green River College will also receive funding to operate and maintain existing facilities.



Our Students

Total headcount.....	12,957
Total full-time equivalent (FTE).....	6,572
Full-time	50%
Part-time	50%
Students of color.....	58%

Operating Budget Estimate

If the system's operating budget request of \$353 million is fully funded, Green River College will receive approximately \$7.4 million in additional funding.

Capital Budget Estimate

If the system's request is fully funded, Green River College will receive approximately \$5,087,000 for operation, maintenance, infrastructure, repairs and minor improvements of its existing facilities.

