



**REPORT OF THE
NCAA DIVISION II MEN'S AND WOMEN'S TRACK AND FIELD COMMITTEE
MAY 5, 2026, VIDEOCONFERENCE**

ACTION ITEMS.

- None.

INFORMATIONAL ITEMS.

1. **Altitude survey.** The committee discussed and reviewed a draft of the membership survey regarding altitude conversions in track and field. The survey is planned to be distributed later this month.
2. **Budget request review.** NCAA staff provided updates on the budget cycle. The Division II Championships Committee requested feedback from the Track and Field Sport Committee regarding several proposals. The committee continued discussion on key budget recommendations for Championships Committee to review regarding the three-day indoor format and preliminary round competition for outdoor.
3. **Electronic assistance.** The committee discussed concern of electronic assistance via SMART glasses and watches during competition. The committee will remind coaches during the administrative meeting that electronic assistance is not permissible and can result in disqualification. The committee will continue discussion on this topic with the secretary rules editor during their annual meeting.
4. **Annual meeting.** NCAA staff reminded committee members to schedule travel for the June 10 annual meeting and submit any topics for discussion by June 5.

Committee Chair: Tabitha Bemis, Slippery Rock University of Pennsylvania

Staff Liaison: Donisha Carter, Championships and Alliances

Division II Men's and Women's Track and Field Committee May 5, 2026, Videoconference	
Attendees:	
Tommy Barksdale, University of Montevallo.	
Bethany Blomquist, Azusa Pacific University.	
Tabitha Bemis, Slippery Rock University of Pennsylvania.	
Shane Drahota, Minnesota State University, Mankato.	
James Kearney, Lewis University.	
Katie Rees, Adelphi University.	
Samuel Viebrock, Clayton State University.	
NCAA Staff Liaison in Attendance:	
Donisha Carter, Championships and Alliances.	
Other NCAA Staff Members in Attendance:	
Dallas Woods, Championships and Alliances.	