



**REPORT OF THE
NCAA DIVISION II MEN'S AND WOMEN'S TENNIS COMMITTEE
FEB. 4, 2026, VIDEOCONFERENCE**

ACTION ITEMS.

1. Legislative items.

- None.

2. Nonlegislative items.

- **2028 championship finals site recommendation.**

- a. Recommendation. That the NCAA Division II Championships Committee approve the Tuscaloosa Tennis Center, in partnership with the University of Alabama and the University of West Alabama as co-hosts, to serve as the host site for the 2028 NCAA Division II Men's and Women's Tennis Championships.
- b. Effective date. 2028 championship.
- c. Rationale. With the cancellation of the 2028 Division II Festival, the Association was required to issue an open bid for the 2028 Division II tennis championships. The committee reviewed four bids and determined that the proposal from the Tuscaloosa Tennis Center, in collaboration with the University of Alabama and the University of West Alabama, best meets the needs and expectations of the championship. The committee believes this hosting partnership will deliver an outstanding experience for participating student-athletes and coaches. Accordingly, the 2028 national championship is recommended to be conducted at the Tuscaloosa Tennis Center.
- d. Estimated budget impact. No additional expenses are anticipated as a result of relocating the championship site.
- e. Student-athlete impact. The selected venue is expected to deliver a high-quality championship experience for all participating student-athletes.

INFORMATIONAL ITEMS.

- 1. Preliminary bid checklist.** The committee reviewed the preliminary bid checklist that will be sent to the membership inviting bids to host the 2026 preliminary rounds for the Division II Men's and Women's Tennis Championships. Committee members went through the checklist, made a few updates, and discussed the planned opening and closing dates for the bid portal, as well as when the materials that would be shared with the membership.
- 2. Regional Advisory Committee (RAC) training and timeline.** The tennis committee reviewed

the upcoming timeline for Regional Advisory Committee (RAC) training and ranking activities. Members discussed the planned dates for the RAC training sessions, the mock ranking, and the official ranking periods to ensure everyone is aligned and prepared for the season.

- 2026 national championship host updates.** The committee received an update from the initial host call with the Surprise Tennis Center and discussed several operational items, including banquet, signage, credentialing, and apparel for the 2026 national championships.

Committee Chair: Josh Cobble, Cameron University
Staff Liaison(s): Lindsey Eldred, Championships and Alliances

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Attendees:	
Jaime Browne, Central Intercollegiate Athletic Association.	
Josh Cobble, Cameron University.	
Jon Coles, Grand Valley State University.	
Spencer Shamo, Dominican University of California.	
Madeline Simmons, Missouri Western State University.	
Adrienne Singletary, Coker University.	
Christi Wade, University of West Alabama.	
Stefanie Whitby, Wilmington University (Delaware).	
Absentees:	
None.	
Guests in Attendance:	
None.	
NCAA Staff Liaison in Attendance:	
Lindsey Eldred, Championships and Alliances.	
Other NCAA Staff Members in Attendance:	
Sarah Shoffner, Championships and Alliances.	
Dallas Woods, Championships and Alliances.	