



**REPORT OF THE JOINT
NCAA DIVISION I FOOTBALL BOWL SUBDIVISION AND FOOTBALL
CHAMPIONSHIP SUBDIVISION OVERSIGHT COMMITTEE
OCTOBER 2-3, 2023, MEETING**

Note: This document does not include items incorporated in the report of the October 3-4 [NCAA Division I Council](#) meeting.

ACTION ITEMS.

- None.

INFORMATIONAL ITEMS.

1. **NCAA Division I Governance update.** The football oversight committees received an update on the football pilot legislative process. The committees also received updates on Proposal No. 2023-40 (DIVISION MEMBERSHIP -- RECLASSIFICATION OF FOOTBALL SUBDIVISION -- FCS TO FBS -- APPLICATION FEE) and Proposal No. 2023-41 (DIVISION MEMBERSHIP -- FOOTBALL BOWL SUBDIVISION REQUIREMENTS -- FINANCIAL AID AND ATTENDANCE), which are scheduled to be voted on during the Council's October 3-4 meeting.
2. **Update from NCAA president.** The committees received an update from NCAA president Charlie Baker. Baker discussed several topics with the committees, including four-year college transfers and the importance of education related to sports wagering.
3. **Key issues update.** The FBSOC and FCSOC chairs provided updates on items their respective committees discussed during their October 2 meetings. During those updates, the committees agreed to form a subcommittee to examine football recruiting issues. The chairs asked committee members interested in serving on the subcommittee to notify the staff liaisons.
4. **Discussion of transfer issues/four-year transfer waiver update.** The committees received an update on undergraduate four-year college transfer legislative relief waivers.
5. **NCAA Sports Science Institute update.** Brian Hainline, senior vice president/chief medical officer of the NCAA, and John Parsons, Managing Director of the NCAA Sport Science Institute, provided an update from the NCAA Sport Science Institute.
6. **American Football Coaches Association update.** Todd Berry, executive director of the AFCA, provided an update to the football oversight committees on the upcoming 2024 AFCA convention and the search for the AFCA's next executive director. Berry also discussed the importance of maintaining a scholastic model in recruiting and continuing to involve coaches in the NCAA Division I governance process.
7. **NCAA Football Rules Committee update.** Steve Shaw, NCAA secretary-rules editor and national coordinator of football officials, provided an update on several topics related to competition, including the new clock management rules and use of technology. Shaw noted that the Football Rules Committee supports experimentation with in-game technology

during the 2023 bowl season and not during the College Football Playoff. Shaw also discussed a situation involving a student-athlete’s suspension that, despite being carried over from the end of the 2022-23 season, was not enforced by the student-athlete’s new school. The committees recommended that the Football Playing Rules Committee examine the current rules, which do not include any additional penalty for failing to enforce the suspension, and consider adding an additional penalty.

8. **Sports wagering update.** Mark Hicks, Managing Director of Enforcement, and Clint Hangebrauck, Managing Director of Enterprise Risk Management, provided an update on recent sports wagering collaborations with state and federal agencies, professional sports organizations, sports books. Hicks and Hangebrauck also noted sports wagering-related educational efforts being developed for student-athletes, coaches and administrators.
9. **NCAA Division I Football Student-Athlete Connection Group update.** Kris Richardson, Director of Academic and Membership Affairs, provided an update on the recent NCAA Division I Football Student-Athlete Connection Group videoconference. FBSOC and FCSOC members interested in serving as a liaison to the connection group were asked to notify the staff liaisons.
10. **Discuss priorities for 2023-24.** The football oversight committees had a preliminary discussion about strategic priorities for the 2023-24 and agreed to finalize those priorities at a future meeting.
11. **Future meeting date.**
 - Monday, June 24 and Tuesday, June 25, 2024; Indianapolis.

FBSOC Committee Chair: Heather Lyke, University of Pittsburgh.
FCSOC Committee Chair: Patty Viverito, Missouri Valley Football Conference.
Staff Liaisons: Ty Halpin, NCAA Championships and Alliances.
Kris Richardson, NCAA Academic and Membership Affairs.

NCAA Division I Football Bowl Subdivision and Football Championship Subdivision Oversight Committee October 2-3, 2023, Meeting.
Attendees:
Trev Alberts, University of Nebraska, Lincoln; Big Ten Conference.
Mark Alnutt, University of Buffalo, the State University of New York; Mid-American Conference.
Todd Berry, American Football Coaches Association.
Troy Dannen, Tulane University; American Athletic Conference.
Scott Draper, Big 12 Conference (alternate).
Jean Gee, University of Montana; Big Sky Conference.
Keith Gill, Sun Belt Conference.
Doug Gillin, Appalachian State University; Sun Belt Conference.
Chris Grant, Southland Conference.

Bill Hancock, College Football Playoff.
Kent Haslam, University of Montana.
Shawn Heilbron, Stony Brook University; Coastal Athletic Association.
Aaron Hosmon, The Ivy League.
James Knowlton, University of California; Berkeley, Pac-12 Conference.
Heather Lyke, University of Pittsburgh; Atlantic Coast Conference.
Frank Messina, University of Alabama at Birmingham.
Hakim McClellan, Mississippi Valley State University; Southwest Athletic Conference.
Judy Ann Riccio, Sacred Heart University; Northeast Conference.
Matt Roan, Eastern Kentucky University; ASUN Conference.
Jeff Roberts, Tennessee Technological University.
Michael Strickland, Atlantic Coast Conference.
Jermaine Truax, Bucknell University; Patriot League.
Terrance Tumey, California State University, Fresno, Mountain West Conference.
Hunter Yurachek, University of Arkansas, Southeastern Conference.
Greg Walter, Pioneer Football League.
Mark Wilson, Tennessee Technological University; Ohio Valley Conference.
Eric A. Wood, Louisiana Tech University, Conference USA.
Patty Viverito, Missouri Valley Football Conference.
Absentees:
Charles Brown, Jr., Delaware State University.
Josh Emmanuel, Texas State University.
Mike MacIntyre, Florida International University.
Mack B. Rhoades IV, Baylor University; Big 12 Conference.
Russell Wright, University of Tennessee at Chattanooga; Southern Conference.
Other Guests in Attendance:
Dr. Kendra Greene, North Carolina Central University.
NCAA Staff Liaisons in Attendance:
Ty Halpin and Kris Richardson.
Other NCAA Staff Members in Attendance:
DJ Brown, Amanda Conklin, Dr. Brian Hainline, Mark Hicks, Chris Howard, Clint Hangebrauck, Chris Johnson, Greg Johnson, Emanuel McGirt, Jr. and John Parsons.