



**REPORT OF THE
NCAA DIVISION II CHAMPIONSHIPS COMMITTEE
MARCH 4, 2021, ELECTRONIC VOTE**

ACTION ITEMS.

- **Legislative items.**
 - **None.**
- **Nonlegislative items.**

1. Ranking date adjustments for men’s golf.

- a. Recommendation. Adjust the ranking call dates for the 2021 spring season as follows:

Original Ranking Dates	Proposed Ranking Dates
Friday, March 12	Friday, April 2
Friday, March 26	Friday, April 9
Friday, April 9	Friday, April 16

The selection call date remains unchanged on Friday, April 23.

- b. Effective date. Immediate, and only for the 2021 championship.
- c. Rationale. Due to the disparity of the number of contests institutions have participated in this season, adjusting the dates of the rankings will provide more opportunity for teams to play, and the rankings to accurately reflect those contests.
- d. Estimated budget impact. None.
- e. Student-athlete impact. None.

2. Ranking date adjustments for women’s golf.

- a. Recommendation. Adjust the ranking call dates for the 2021 spring season as follows:

Original Ranking Dates	Proposed Ranking Dates
Thursday, March 11	Thursday, April 1
Thursday, March 25	Thursday, April 8
Thursday, April 8	Thursday, April 15

The selection call date remains unchanged on Monday, April 26.

- b. Effective date. Immediate, and only for the 2021 championship.
- c. Rationale. Due to the disparity of the number of contests institutions have participated in this season, adjusting the dates of the rankings will provide more opportunity for teams to play, and the rankings to accurately reflect those contests.
- d. Estimated budget impact. None.
- e. Student-athlete impact. None.

INFORMATIONAL ITEM.

- **Protocol for listing teams “under consideration.”** Due to the disparity of games likely to be played this season in spring sports, the committee agreed to allow spring sport committees to list schools “under consideration” in alphabetical order to help manage COVID-19-related scheduling challenges.

Committee Chair: Steve Card, Western Washington University; Great Northwest Athletic Conference.

*Staff Liaison(s): Roberta Page, Championships and Alliances.
Morgan DeSpain, Championships and Alliances.
Karen Wolf, Academic and Membership Affairs.*

Division II Championships Committee March 4, 2021, Electronic Vote
Attendees:
Reid Amos, Mountain East Conference.
Kristy Bayer, Emporia State University.
Steve Card, Western Washington University.
Dick Christy, University of North Carolina at Pembroke.
Marcus Clarke, Central Intercollegiate Athletic Association.
Courtney Lovely Evans, Palm Beach Atlantic University (Management Council vice chair).
Nathan Gibson, University of Colorado, Colorado Springs.
Terri Holmes, Northern State University.
Jim Johnson, Pittsburg State University (Management Council chair).
Matt Kilcullen, Mercy College.
Grace Martin, West Virginia State University (Division II SAAC representative).
Carrie Michaels, Shippensburg University of Pennsylvania.
Carol Rivera, California Collegiate Athletic Association.
Suzanne Sanregret, Michigan Technological University.

Absentees:
None.
Guests in Attendance:
Gary Brown, NCAA Contractor.
NCAA Staff Support in Attendance:
Morgan DeSpain, Championships and Alliances.
Roberta Page, Championships and Alliances.
Karen Wolf, Academic and Membership Affairs.
Other NCAA Staff Members in Attendance:
Leslie Havens.