

FY25 BUDGET AND TUITION & FEES

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PRESIDENT'S REMARKS



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FY25 PROPOSED OPERATING BUDGET / TUITION & FEES



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BALANCED BUDGET

FY25 Budgeted Revenues: \$30,057,592

FY25 Budgeted Expenses: \$30,057,592



FY25 GOVERNOR'S PROPOSALS

State Appropriations	\$15,944,525

YoY Change + \$1,048,739

Specific Funding Initiatives:

Reserve Maintenance

Compliance Personnel	\$1,557,350
Financial Aid	\$2,346,080
Student Success Initiatives	\$300,000
Campus Safety & Security	\$150,000
Statesman Hall HVAC	\$1,331,654



\$804,094

BUDGET REVENUES

FY25 Budgeted Revenues

(in Millions)

Total	\$ 30.05	100.0%
Other	\$ 2.19	7.3%
Appropriations	\$ 15.94	53.0%
Auxiliary	\$ 5.29	17.6%
Tuition & Fees	\$ 6.63	22.1%



BUDGET ASSUMPTIONS - REVENUES

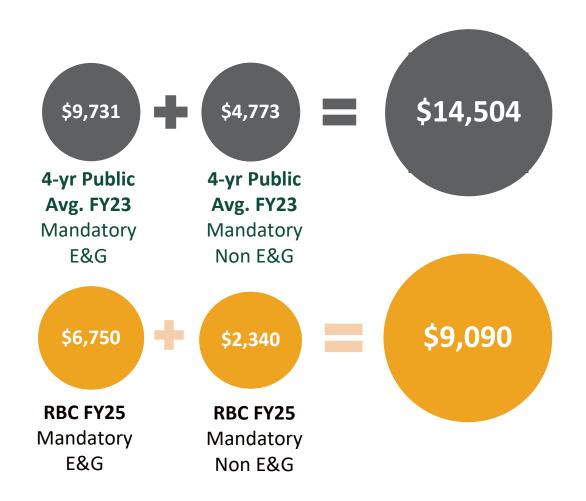
Proposed FY25 budgeted revenue assumes:

- 3% tuition and mandatory fee increase to partially offset direct costs & inflation
- 4.1% non-mandatory fee (housing & dining) increase to partially offset direct costs & inflation
- 21,000 credit hours
- 65% in-person, 35% online
- 85% (350) housing capacity
 5% increase in grant funding



FY25 TUITION AND FEE SUMMARY

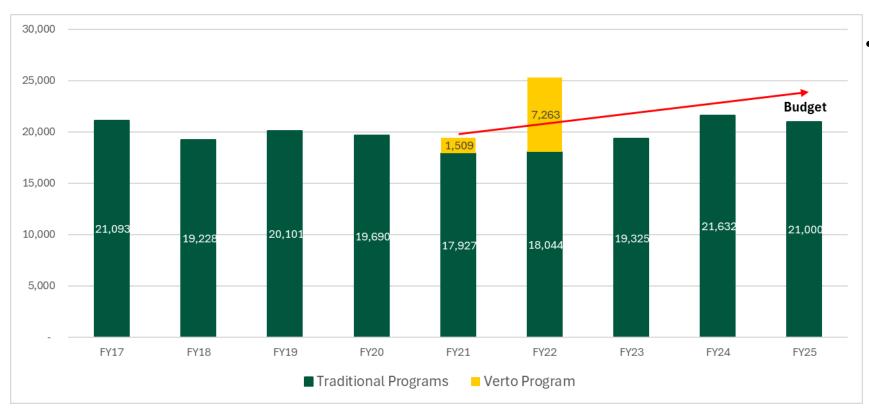
Per Student Annual Tuition & Fee Totals



PELL FY25 \$7,395



TRADITIONAL CREDIT HOURS



Post-pandemic, RBC has rebounded to pre-pandemic enrollment numbers



RESEARCH / GRANT FUNDING

Supplements funding gaps for mission-driven initiatives and innovation



STEM, Mental Health, Back-on-Track

Indirect fees cover additional employee and operational costs



Program Management

Provides funding resources for experiential learning

International Education, Faculty Research



BUDGET ASSUMPTIONS - EXPENSES

 Prioritization of mission-critical expenses

 Compliance Costs, IT Security, and Cloud-based Technologies

 4.1% CPI Inflation & 3% state salary increases





INFLATION/COST MITIGATION STRATEGIES

Salaries & Wage Inflation

F/T employees: mission-critical positions – multiple hats

P/T employees: operational & auxiliary services

Wage employees: 26% of workforce

57% of wage employees in:

- Food service
- Grounds
- Custodial
- Police/Campus Security

Proposed Salary Increases

\$100K: RBC's unfunded portion of 3% salary increase



INFLATION/COST MITIGATION STRATEGIES

Operations & Maintenance

Additional Expenses

Cost Mitigation

33% Utilities cost increase FY22 to FY23

10% Food cost increase FY22 to FY23

\$125K Move to Cloud Hosting

VITA ECOS oversight:
Time commitment by RBC staff

Utilization of part-time workforce for operations & auxiliaries

In-house dining and retail operations

Utilization of Ellucian Managed Services Contract

Tier 1 to Tier 2 move



FY25 PROPOSED BUDGET

			Change from Prior Year	
Revenue	FY24 Approved Budget	FY25 Proposed Budget	\$ Change	% Change
State General Fund ¹	14,895,787	15,944,525	1,048,739	7%
Tuition and E&G Fees	5,986,834	6,632,909	646,075	11%
Auxiliary Revenue ²	4,410,211	5,286,521	876,311	20%
Other Revenue ³	3,326,956	2,193,636	-1,133,320	-34%
Total Revenue	28,619,788	30,057,592	1,437,806	5%

Operating Expenditures			Change from Prior Year	
	FY24 Approved Budget	FY25 Proposed Budget	\$ Change	% Change
Personnel ⁴				
Instruction	3,852,484	3,926,896	74,412	2%
Research	0	431,172	431,172	
Academic Support	988,348	669,121	-319,227	-32%
Student Services	1,667,116	1,642,270	-24,846	-1%
Institutional Support	5,181,447	5,561,679	247,459	5%
Plant Operations	1,469,644	1,549,821	161,578	12%
Auxiliary Services	847,139	953,994	106,855	13%
Athletics	1,004,962	945,398	-59,564	-6%
Total, Personnel	15,011,140	15,680,351	617,839	4%
Total, Non-Personnel Services	11,541,568	12,031,161	540,966	5%
Financial Aid	2,067,080	2,346,080	279,000	13%
Total Expenditures	28,619,788	30,057,592	1,437,806	5%

¹ Includes Financial Aid.



² Represents increases in housing rate & occupancy percentage increase.

³ To be conservative, current external partnership revenue associated with the lease of Commerce Hall is excluded.

⁴ Variances are due to categorization changes based on program expense realignments.



