

2026 Annual Accountability Report

Clemson University

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AGENCY'S DISCUSSION AND ANALYSIS

STATEWIDE ENTERPRISE STRATEGIC OBJECTIVES

The University has explicitly integrated three statewide enterprise strategic objectives into its own strategic planning, operations, resource allocation, and assessment processes. Through its teaching, research, service, and outreach missions, Clemson University advances the following statewide objectives:

- *Education, Training and Human Development*: The University advances this objective by preparing South Carolinians to lead productive, healthy, and engaged lives through high-quality education, workforce development, and lifelong learning. As South Carolina's land-grant research university, Clemson is committed to ensuring that students develop the knowledge, skills, and experiences necessary for success in their professions, leadership in their communities, and informed citizenship in a pluralistic society.
- *Public Infrastructure and Economic Development*: The University strengthens South Carolina's competitiveness by building and applying world-class knowledge, research capacity, innovation, and human capital. Through research, technology transfer, entrepreneurship, industry partnerships, and talent development, Clemson supports economic growth and helps position South Carolina as a globally competitive location for business, innovation, and quality of life.
- *Healthy and Safe Families*: The University contributes to the health, development, well-being, and safety of South Carolina's citizens through research education, outreach, and public service. These efforts include improving food security through agricultural research; strengthening PK-12 education through educator preparation and evidence-based educator leadership programs; and advancing individual and public health through scientific research, healthcare workforce preparation, and community health initiatives.

CLEMSON ELEVATE: A S.M.A.R.T PLAN

The statewide enterprise objectives and its S.M.A.R.T. (Specific, Measurable, Attainable, Relevant, and Time-bound) framework for objectives are integrated components of our Clemson Elevate strategic plan, which has three principal parts—each of which has quantitative targets.

Deliver the No. 1 Student Experience in the Nation: Every Student Thrives

- Excel in experiential learning
- Amplify academic success
- Promote the Clemson Experience

Double Research by 2035: Discovery Drives Success

- Build an AAU-aligned faculty that leverages existing and emerging research strengths and addresses societal needs.
- Create world-class research infrastructure.
- Leverage our Innovation Campuses and private sector partnerships.

Transform Lives Statewide and Beyond: Service Builds Community

- Enhance educational and economic opportunities for South Carolinians.
- Promote agricultural and natural resources excellence and lead animal health issues for the state.
- Improve the health outcomes of South Carolinians.

The inclusion of metrics tied to these strategic objectives into our Agency Accountability Report gauges our progress towards, and holds us accountable for, specific measurable targets associated with Clemson Elevate. These metrics comprise the Performance Measures in the Strategic Planning Results component of the University's Agency Accountability Report.

UNIVERSITY PERFORMANCE

Accountability Report Strategic Planning Measures

FY26 saw continued achievement in overall undergraduate student success. Our 6-year graduation rate achieved its second highest rate of 87.5, up 0.9 pct points from FY25. This success was supported by an historically high 4-year graduation rate of 74.9%. The gap in 6-year graduation rate between Pell-eligible and non Pell-eligible students rose 2.7 pct points to 10.9%. While our Pell-eligible 6-year graduation rate of 78.1% remains enviably high, the University pursued continuous improvement during FY26 by operating a no-cost summer early-start program for select Pell-eligible freshmen enrolling in Fall 2025.

Student completion-related metrics were mostly positive. Annual graduates completing health-related degrees, which support workforce needs and address societal challenges in the State, stood at 987. We remain very bullish on future increases given admissions/enrollment patterns and external market forces. Annual teacher preparation graduates hired by SC school districts rose by nearly 5% to 155—exceeding the 132 target value. Annual doctoral graduates climbed by roughly 6% to 342—exceeding the 280 target value; this increase has been supported by a 6-year doctoral completion rate that remains near historically high levels.

The University continued to surpass its ambitious total research expenditure goals. The $372 million in expenditures greatly exceeded the $283 million FY26 target value. This success has been underpinned by the success of our faculty in submitting more applications for grants, submitting applications for higher grant amounts, and achieving higher grant application success rates.

Scholarly impact, as measured by publication citations per faculty over 5 years, rose 4% from FY25 levels. The 155.3 citations per faculty exceeded the target value of 130. In supporting our productive faculty, the University has provided more of its college deans, associate deans, and department chairs with analytical tools that enable them to benchmark the scholarly productivity in their departments and academic doctoral programs over time and against national peers.

Accompanying these notable successes were a minimal number of strategic plan metrics that fell below our target for FY 26. In response, we have evaluated contributing factors and are implementing targeted mitigation strategies, including enhanced monitoring, strengthened processes, and focused interventions designed to improve outcomes. These actions, coupled with ongoing assessment and accountability, will position us to demonstrate meaningful progress and greater success in the future.

Clemson Elevate Key Enablers

The Key Enablers in our strategic plan comprise foundational elements and tactical initiatives that support and serve as accelerators. Broadly, these include: a) *Institutional Excellence* regarding product and service quality, efficiency, and relevance; b) strategic and entrepreneurial *Revenue Growth* building on recent successes in private giving and unique government/industry co-investments; c) *Strategic Enrollment* to sustain access to Clemson for SC residents, affordable paths for students with financial need, and quality learning and living

environments and d) *Physical Infrastructure* leveraging a long-range framework master plan to provide state-of-the-art facilities for learning, research, and outreach.

Notable progress related to these foundational elements was made during the past fiscal year. Examples include:

- Because of the General Assembly's investment in tuition mitigation, the University's Board of Trustees approved a tuition freeze for in-state undergraduate students for the seventh consecutive year, continuing a commitment to affordability helping South Carolina families plan for and invest in a Clemson education. The action reflects Clemson's focus on balancing affordability with the resources necessary to deliver an exceptional student experience, in addition to significant support for higher education from the SC General Assembly.
- FY26 saw the Clemson University Board of Trustees approve a new framework and organizational structure for online undergraduate degree programs. The initiative establishes dedicated leadership, technology, marketing, and quality assurance systems to support the development and delivery of fully online programs of study aimed at place-bound professionals seeking new skills and credentials.
- Work continued in FY26 on two initiatives aimed at the student experience: (a) an academic calendar revision designed to expand opportunities for short courses and experiential learning, and (b) focused reform of the University's sequencing and delivery of operations, processes, programs and schedules that deliver key elements for the new student experience.
- The University completed initial implementation of its new Workday ERP system to modernize and streamline core finance and human resources functions including talent acquisition, time/leave management, performance management, payroll, grants management, and procurement. This digital transformation, focused on modernizing how we work, makes everyday tasks faster, easier, and more efficient for faculty, staff, and student workers.
- The University continued the renewal of its Long-range Framework Plan that will establish a unified vision for campus growth through 2035, aligning physical development with the goals of the Clemson Elevate strategic plan. The updated framework prioritizes infrastructure, mobility, campus life, open space, and preservation of historic and cultural assets to enhance connectivity, student experience, and sustainability. FY26 work focused on compiling final recommendations for main campus and the initial development of strategies for innovation campuses and Research and Education Centers across the state.

Building Futures:
Building state-of-the-art facilities, renovating aging structures, and creating multi-functional spaces that support an engaged and productive academic community are critical to the success of Clemson Elevate. Significant activities enhancing our physical infrastructure during FY26 included:

- The beginning of calendar year 2026 witnessed the opening of South Carolina's most technologically advanced research facility, a 150,000 square foot Advanced Materials Innovation Complex (AMIC). This new building sits in the center of campus and provides classrooms and labs that support the University's three core advanced materials departments: Materials Science and Engineering, Chemistry, and Chemical and Biomolecular Engineering. AMIC centralizes materials science-related classes, offices, and labs into a sweeping new space designed to promote multidisciplinary research and education and to solidify South Carolina as a major player in the advanced materials industry.

- The end of FY26 saw the near completion of a new 77,000 square foot Forestry and Environmental Conservation Building set to replace Lehotsky Hall. The space will include classrooms, labs, collaboration spaces, offices and support areas across four levels, as well as an outdoor lab for easy access to Hunnicutt Creek, a garden courtyard, and an indoor-outdoor connection throughout the space.

- The Harvey S. Peeler Jr. College of Veterinary Medicine, South Carolina's first veterinary school, neared completion at the end of FY26—in time to welcome its inaugural class of students in fall 2026.

- The University and MUSC have partnered on a project that will bring a new medical office building to campus and replace the Redfern Health Center. Construction on the new 90,000 square foot facility began in November 2025.

- The beginning of FY26 saw construction commence on the Williamson Road Parking Garage. This six-story structure, which will accommodate as many as 1200 vehicles, is strategically placed near existing surface lots, transit hubs, and the center of campus, creating convenient access for both vehicular and pedestrian traffic.

- The Bryan Mall high rise renovations continued in FY2026. This $155 million residence hall renovation project supports the "No. 1 Student Experience" pillar of the Clemson Elevate strategic plan. The beginning of FY26 saw the reopening of Manning Hall (built in 1967), while the end of the fiscal year saw Lever Hall (built in 1968) ready to reopen. The project includes upgrade and replacement of these residence hall's mechanical, electrical and plumbing systems; movement of entrances to face each other and create a community courtyard; provision of social space on every floor; and replacement of community bathrooms with home-like private bath spaces.

- Construction of the Douthit Hills Expansion (Building H) began in December 2025. Scheduled for completion in summer 2027, this facility will expand the University's residential capacity by 372 beds—not only adding to housing inventory for first-year students, but expanding offerings for continuing students.

- At its final meeting of FY2026, the Clemson University Board of Trustees provided Phase 1 approval for a replacement of Martin Hall, a major capital project that would modernize facilities supporting the University's academic mission. The project encompasses the demolition of the existing structure and the construction of a new, 98,000 square foot state-of-the-art facility dedicated to mathematics and statistical sciences in alignment with the University's commitment to excellence in STEM education and research.

University Fundraising

Clemson continued its fourth and most ambitious capital campaign, Fiercely *Forward*, which has a $1.889 billion campaign goal in honor of the University's founding in 1889 and its first philanthropic gift as laid out in the will of Thomas Green Clemson. Fiercely *Forward* is currently the largest fundraising effort in the history of the state of South Carolina.

Fueled by an unwavering belief in Clemson University's future and mission, our remarkable community of alumni, parents, faculty, staff, students and friends came together in a year economic uncertainty and fluidity to contribute $202.4 million during FY2026. This is the University's tenth consecutive year eclipsing $150 million, and sixth consecutive year surpassing $200 million.

The $202.4M raised in academic and athletic philanthropic support was given by 38,120 individual alumni, faculty, staff, students, parents, friends, partners—26% of them new donors—who contributed a combined 100,907 gifts. Our fundraising included: $119.5 million cash, pledges, and gifts in kind; planned gifts amounting to over $35.7 million (up from $23.8 million last year); pledges and donations to IPTAY totaling $86.4 million (up from $81.3 million last year) in support of over 500 Clemson student-athletes; and unrestricted donations of $3.1 million.

The generous members of our Clemson University donor community showed their support with 31 gifts of $1 million or more. FY26 donors provided funds supporting initiatives that included 178 new scholarships (up from 110 in FY25), the creation of 138 new endowments (up from 111 in FY25), and the establishment of 9 endowed professorships.

Clemson celebrated our 11th annual Give Day (4/8/26), which produced $2.2 million from 4,397 donors. The gifts received make it possible for Clemson to provide the student support, academic resources, and facilities that are commensurate with its standing as one of the finest public universities in the country.

FY26 saw six new Academic Cornerstone gifts and one new Athletics Cornerstone gifts. These gifts—each of which represents a commitment of $2.5 million or more – underscore deep investment in Clemson's future by supporting students, faculty, and key facility projects.

These Cornerstone gifts included:

- Don Quattlebaum's $16.5 million gift is the Harvey S. Peeler Jr. College of Veterinary Medicine's largest private donation. This donation will support the Quattlebaum Hub, a state-of-the-art building featuring classrooms, conference rooms, a library, and a bookstore. His gift will also ensure the that the College will attract top-tier faculty members through the Don and Hayden Quattlebaum Endowed Professorship and through an unrestricted endowment to address the College's most pressing needs. The Quattlebaum gift came at a pivotal time for the College as it prepares to receive its first class of students in fall 2026.
- Bob and Kaye Stanzione donated their second Cornerstone gift, providing critical support of the ClemsonLIFE program, supporting the University to reach prestigious All-Steinway status, and funding veterinary medicine scholarships. The Stanzione investment has allowed us to more than double the number of students with intellectual disabilities that ClemsonLIFE serves. The All-Steinway designation is a game changer for our music program and for Clemson's reputation as comprehensive university; students of any major can have access to practice on these iconic instruments, which greatly enriches their Clemson Experience.

University Athletics

Clemson Athletics concluded FY26 with significant accomplishments across competition, academics, business operations, communications, and fan engagement. The department continued to advance its mission of sustained excellence while navigating a rapidly changing collegiate athletics landscape shaped by revenue sharing, NIL opportunities, and shifting conference and postseason dynamics.

Academically, Clemson Athletics posted another outstanding year. The department earned a 96 percent Graduation Success Rate (GSR) for the 2015–18 cohort, a mark tied for the second highest among public institutions. For the third consecutive year, at least nine programs achieved perfect 100 percent GSR scores: baseball, men's basketball, men's golf, men's tennis, women's golf, women's soccer, women's cross country/track, softball, and volleyball. Clemson's department-wide GSR has been at 91 percent or higher for 12 straight cohorts and at 95 percent or higher for five consecutive cohorts, making Clemson one of only three public Power Five schools nationally to reach that standard. Football recorded a 98 GSR, making Clemson the only FBS program to post a 98 or better in each of the last three cohorts and one of only two Division I football programs, alongside Harvard, to do so.

In the NCAA's latest Academic Progress Rate release, which includes the 2021–22 through 2024–25 academic years, Clemson Athletics posted a school-record 998 APR. A record 12 programs earned Public Recognition Awards, and 10 programs posted perfect 1,000 scores. Clemson also set or tied 14 program records in APR, including women's basketball, women's golf, women's gymnastics, women's lacrosse, women's soccer, softball, women's tennis, women's track & field, volleyball, men's basketball, men's cross country, men's golf, men's soccer, and men's tennis. Student-athletes continued to excel in the classroom as well, tying a semester record with a 3.35 cumulative GPA in Spring 2026 after a 3.33 in the fall—marking 16th consecutive semesters above a 3.0 GPA.

Clemson also enjoyed broad competitive success across the department. Three programs won conference championships: gymnastics, women's indoor track & field, and women's outdoor track & field. Gymnastics captured its first conference title in program history in just its third competitive season. Clemson earned NCAA Tournament or championship appearances in men's and women's basketball, men's and women's golf, gymnastics, lacrosse, men's and women's soccer, softball, men's and women's tennis, men's and women's indoor track, men's and women's outdoor track, and women's cross country, along with a bowl appearance in football.

Football extended its school-record bowl streak to 21 years, the longest active streak in the ACC and the fourth-longest in the nation. Gymnastics advanced to the Regional Final for the first time in program history, while Brie Clark became Clemson's first All-American and first athlete to compete at Nationals, where she earned a 9.900 on floor exercise. Men's basketball won 24 games and reached its third consecutive NCAA Tournament for the third time in school history. Women's basketball returned to the NCAA Tournament for the first time since 2018 and only the second time in 26 years, marking just the sixth season in which both Clemson basketball programs earned NCAA bids together.

Clemson Athletics continued to strengthen its communications, marketing, and brand presence. Social media performance remained strong, with more than 38,230 posts across platforms generating 644 million impressions, 62 million video views, and 17.4 million engagements. Clemson's licensing program remained in the Top 10 in the Collegiate Licensing Company royalty rankings, and the ClemsonTigers.com online store finished in the Top 10 in sales among Fanatics online stores. ClemsonTigers.com drew 3.9 million users and 16.1 million page views, while the ClemsonTigers app recorded 98,700 users and 3.0 million app sessions. Video Services broadcast nearly 200 live events, including press conferences and nearly all home soccer, volleyball, women's basketball, gymnastics, baseball, lacrosse, and softball contests.

Business operations and compliance work remained central priorities. Clemson continued navigating compliance considerations related to NIL programming and House settlement implementation, including the refocusing of department leadership to include governance. The department also maintained its NCAA rules education plan through regularly scheduled meetings with all 21 sport programs. On the business side, Athletics completed its

first year under the ACC settlement agreement, which generated an estimated $9.3 million in additional revenue attributable to football and men's basketball television viewership. Clemson also continued House settlement planning and implementation, along with the first year of revenue-share distribution via licensing agreements with student-athletes.

Entering FY27, Clemson Athletics objectives reflected a continued commitment to adapting the department's business model and organizational structure to the evolving college athletics landscape. Priority areas include the maturation of Clemson Ventures to grow commercial revenue opportunities, the development of an aggressive commercial NIL strategy in partnership with IPTAY, evaluation and transition planning for IPTAY as revenue generation continues to evolve, and sensible capital project planning that supports facility and program investment. The department also remains focused on long-term football excellence in the expanded CFP era and on positioning all 21 sports for sustained conference and national success through scholarship support, strategic revenue-share allocation, and strong leadership.

RISK ASSESSMENT AND MITIGATION STRATEGIES

The University's most significant enterprise priority is sustaining and strengthening its capacity to fulfill its public mission of educating students, advancing research and creative activity, and serving South Carolina. Clemson's continued success in these areas is essential to expanding the supply of highly qualified graduates entering critical workforce sectors, including health and education; accelerating research and innovation that support advanced manufacturing, agriculture, health care, education, energy, and other strategic industries; advancing statewide educational attainment goals; and enhancing the University's contributions to the economic, cultural, and civic vitality of South Carolina. From an enterprise risk perspective, maintaining the resources, capabilities, and conditions necessary to deliver on this mission is critical to ensuring that Clemson can continue to expand its impact and meet the evolving needs of the state.

Clemson mitigates risks to this continuity through an integrated framework of governance, planning, and operational oversight that includes:

- *Institutional governance and accreditation:* maintaining institutional accreditation and continuous improvement process as well as specialized accreditations where appropriate to ensure program quality and workforce readiness.
- *Financial stewardship:* prudent financial management, including transparent engagement with independent credit rating agencies and independent auditors.
- *External partnerships:* cultivating partnerships with industry, government, foundations, and alumni that strengthen education, research, and outreach activities and engender private sector financial support.
- *Data-informed decision-making* employing evidence-based planning supported by institutional data, analytics, and external benchmarking.
- *Enterprise risk management:* maintaining a comprehensive enterprise risk management and business continuity program to improve institutional resilience and provide a proactive posture to in the face of sudden or unforeseen events.

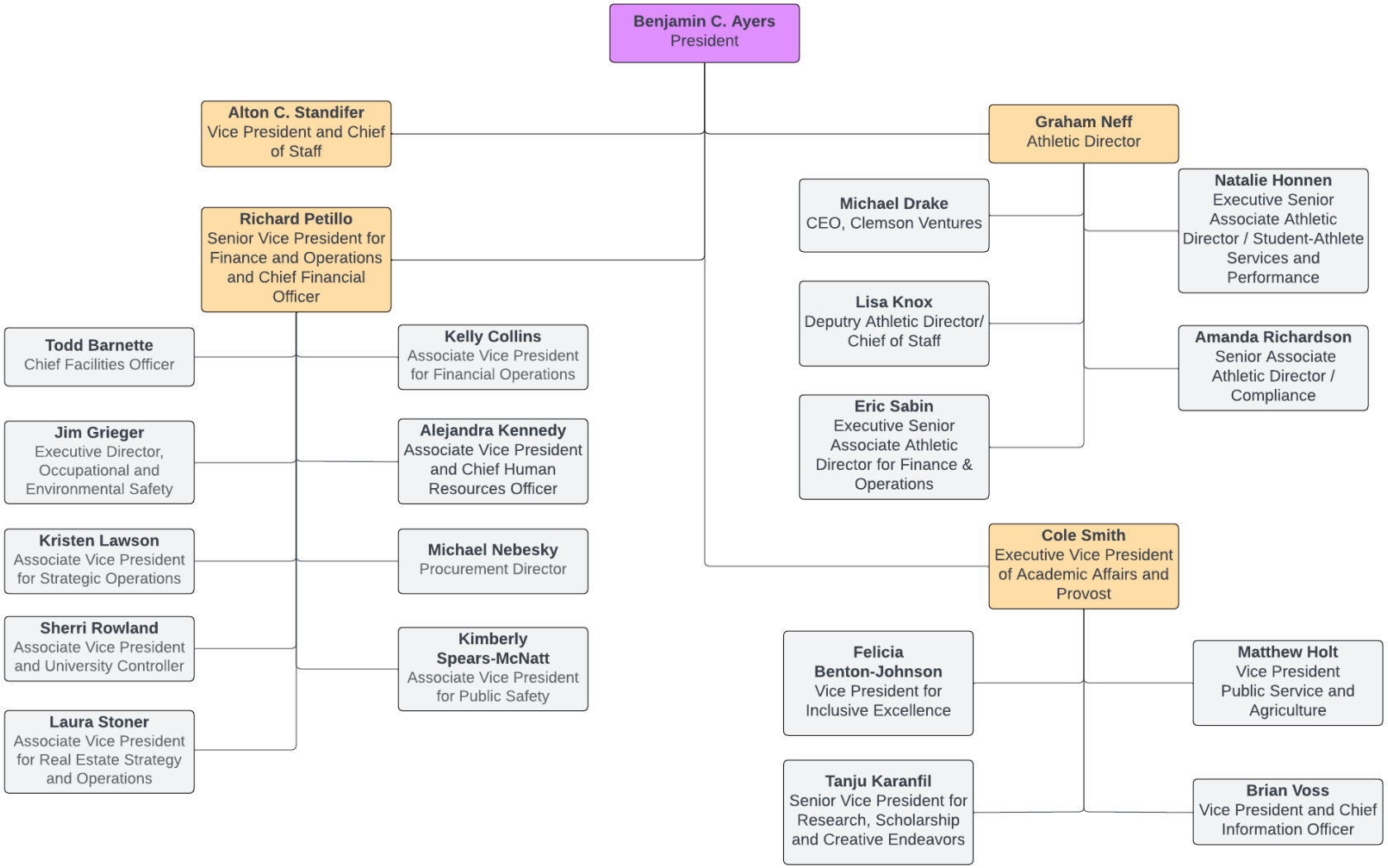
State actions that enhance institutional flexibility while maintaining accountability would further reduce these risks and improve Clemson's ability to serve South Carolina. Supportive actions by the State that would mitigate the risk of the potential most negative impact are those that provide flexibility and innovation space to Clemson for the benefit of its students, their families, and South Carolinians. Examples of these might include:

1) *Sustain and strengthen competitive state support for students and the University.* The University, its students, their families, and the State benefit significantly from direct State appropriations and State-supported scholarship programs. As Clemson works to prepare South Carolina to meet future workforce, research, and economic development needs, it does so on a highly competitive higher education landscape and with a moderate endowment relative to many public university peers. Continued progress toward competitive per-student state funding, coupled with strong State scholarship support, would enhance Clemson's ability to serve South Carolina students, maintain affordability, and advance the State's long-term priorities while the University continues to diversify revenue through philanthropy, research, and partnerships.

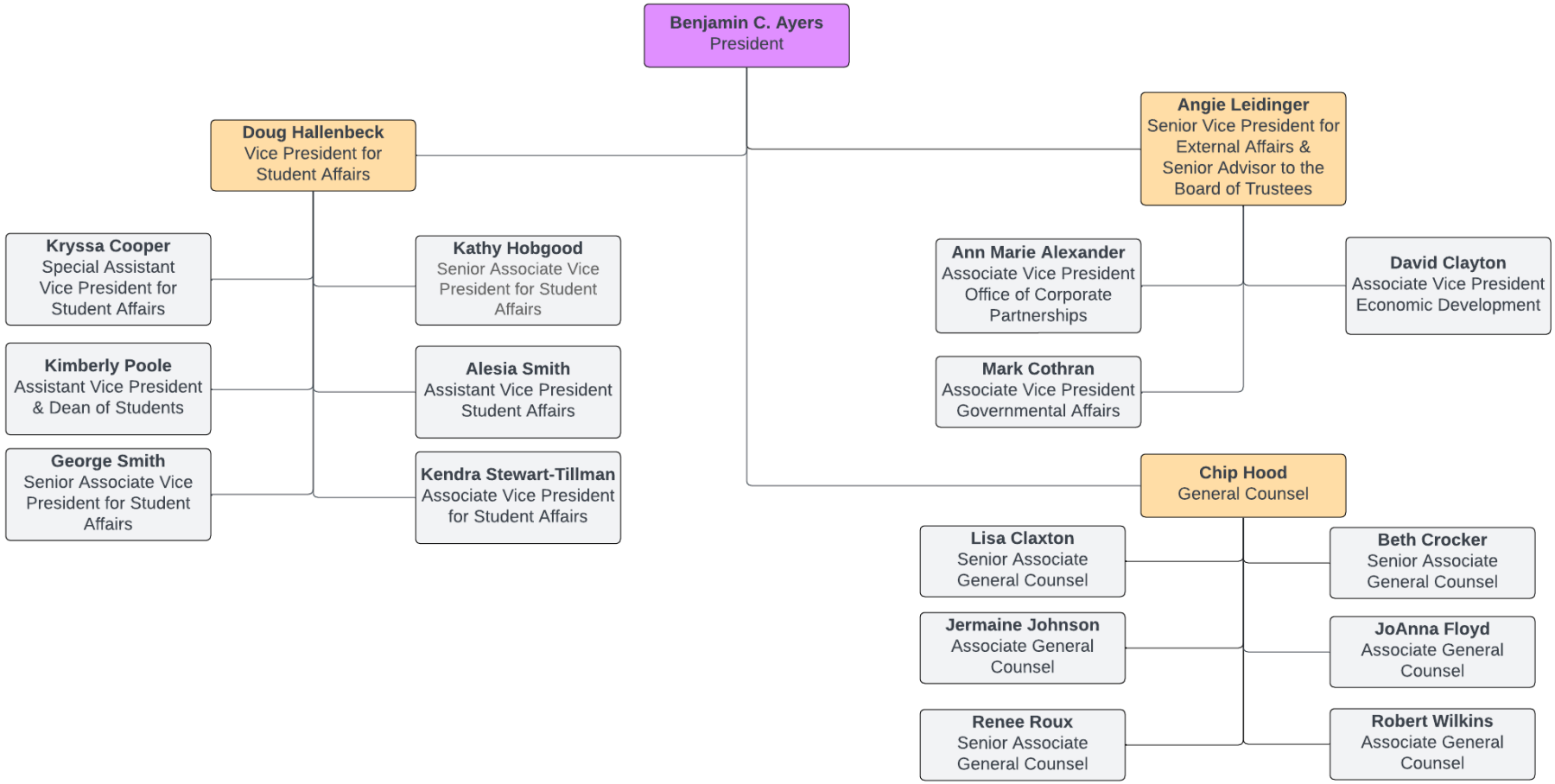
2) *Increase flexibility in institutional aid and State-supported scholarships*. Greater flexibility in how institutional and State scholarship resources are awarded and used could improve affordability, support student persistence and degree completion, and help Clemson maximize the impact of existing financial aid resources.

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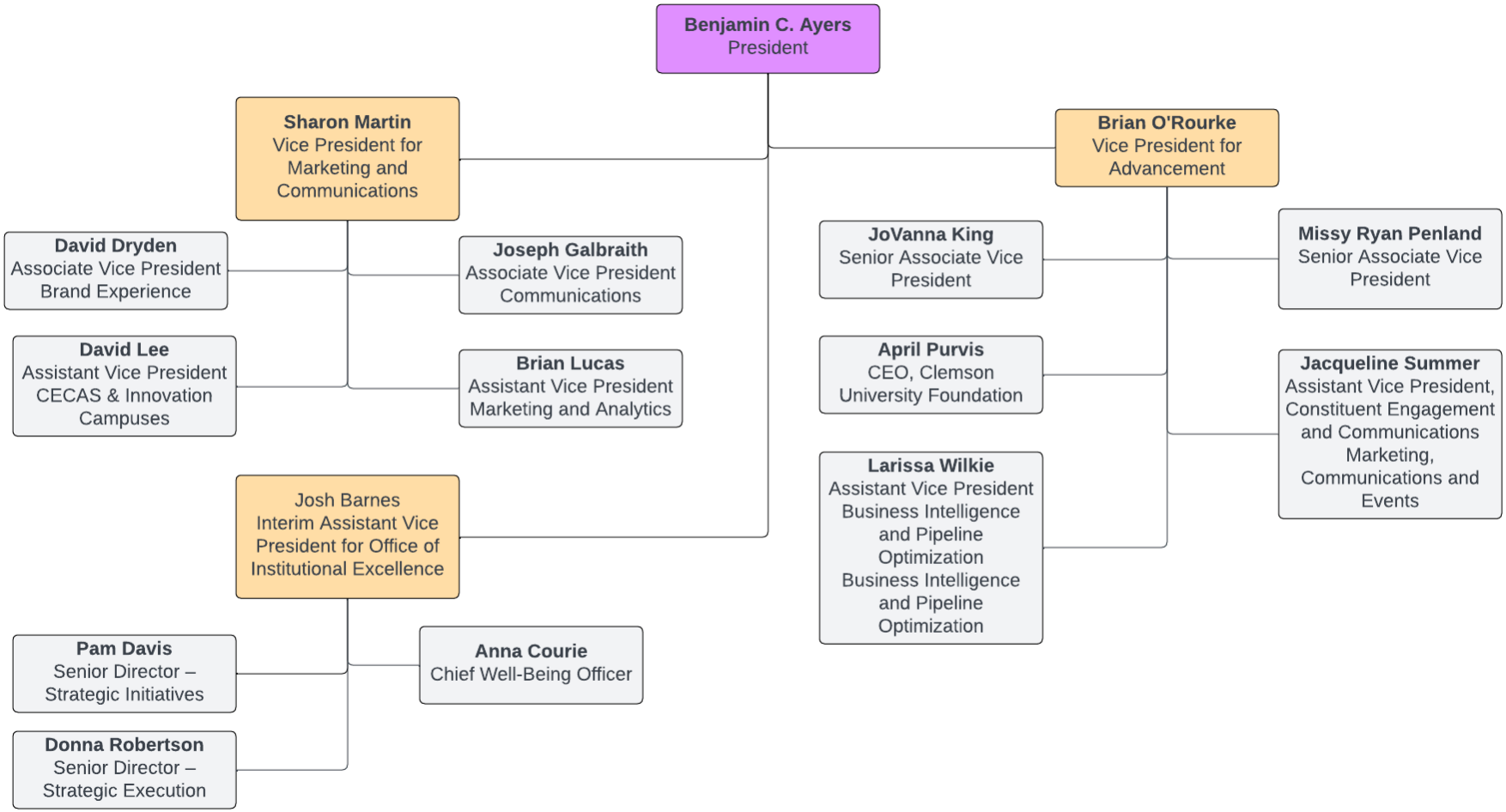
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Reorganization and Compliance

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Agency Mission	Adopted in:	2013

Clemson University was established to fulfill our founder's vision of 'a high seminary of learning' to develop 'the material resources of the State' for the people of South Carolina. Nurtured by an abiding land grant commitment, Clemson has emerged as a research university with a global vision. Our primary purpose is educating undergraduate and graduate students to think deeply about and engage in the social, scientific, economic, and professional challenges of our times. The foundation of this mission is the generation, preservation, communication, and application of knowledge. The University also is committed to the personal growth of the individual and promotes an environment of good decision-making, healthy and ethical lifestyles, and tolerance and respect for others. Our distinctive character is shaped by a legacy of service, collaboration, and fellowship forged from and renewed by the spirit of Thomas Green Clemson's covenant.

Agency Vision	Adopted in:	2013

Clemson will be one of the nation’s top-20 public universities.

Recommendations for reorganization requiring legislative change:

None

Agency intentions for other major reorganization to divisions, departments, or programs to allow the agency to operate more effectively and efficiently in the succeeding fiscal year:

None

Significant events related to the agency that occurred in FY2026

Description of Event	Start	End	Agency Measures Impacted	Other Impacts
No significant events affected performance measures.				

Is the agency in compliance with S.C. Code Ann. § 2-1-220, which requires submission of certain reports to the Legislative Services Agency for publication online and the State Library? (See also S.C. Code Ann. § 60-2-20).	Yes
Reason agency is out of compliance: (if applicable)	
Is the agency in compliance with various requirements to transfer its records, including electronic ones, to the Department of Archives and History? See the Public Records Act (S.C. Code Ann. § 30-1-10 through 30-1-180) and the South Carolina Uniform Electronic Transactions Act (S.C. Code Ann. § 26-6-10 through 26-10-210).	Yes
Does the law allow the agency to promulgate regulations?	Yes
Law number(s) which gives the agency the authority to promulgate regulations:	**59-119-50;59-119-310**

Has the agency promulgated any regulations?	Yes
Is the agency in compliance with S.C. Code Ann. § 1-23-120 (J), which requires an agency to conduct a formal review of its regulations every five years?	Yes
(End of Reorganization and Compliance Section)	

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Strategic Plan Results

as submitted for the Accountability Report by:

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Goal 1 No. 1 Student Experience

Goal 2 Double Research

Goal 3 Transform Lives

Perf. Measure Number	Description	Base	Target	Actual	Value Type	Desired Outcome	Time Applicable	Calculation Method	Data Source	Data Location	Stakeholder Need Satisfied	Primary Stakeholder	State Funded Program Number Responsible	Notes
1.1	**Academic Success**										**State Objective: Education, Training, and Human Development**			
1.1.1	Increase federal 6- yr graduation rate to 90%	86.60%	87.60%	87.50%	Percent	Equal to or greater than	Other	Federal government's National Center for Education Statistics IPEDS system defined methodology. See p. 34 of the IPEDS Keyholder Handbook 2016- 2017.	Graduation data, which comes from our student data warehouse, is updated 3 times per year	University's student data warehouse; CHE CHEMIS files; University Tableau server; Common Data Set report; IPEDS report; Clemson Elevate strategic plan dashboard	Direct and indirect benefits to agency clients including cost and time savings to clients and the agency, provisioning productive academic programs, and efficient use of budgeted funds.	Students; Families of Students; Agency Employees; Donors; State and Federal Regulators; Regional accreditor	0200.010100.000	The -0.1% deficit is well within the year-to-year stochastic variations of the metric; this year's result represents solid progress in completion rate.
1.1.2	Decrease federal 6-year graduation rate Pell gap to 4 pct pts	8.20%	6.00%	10.90%	Percent	Equal to or less than	Other	Federal government's National Center for Education Statistics IPEDS system defined methodology (See p. 34 of the IPEDS Keyholder Handbook 2016- 2017) applied to those members of an incoming cohort having and not having received a Pell grant.	Graduation data, which comes from our student data warehouse, is updated 3 times per year	University's student data warehouse; CHE CHEMIS files; University Tableau server; Common Data Set report; IPEDS report; Clemson Elevate strategic plan dashboard	Direct and indirect benefits to agency clients including cost and time savings to clients and the agency, provisioning effective academic programs and support services, and effective use of budgeted funds.	Students; Families of Students; Agency Employees; Donors; State and Federal Regulators; Regional accreditor	0200.010100.000	While disappointed in the Pell gap rise, we continue efforts to address it: a dedicated summer-start program for new Pell students, and data modeling initiatives aimed at understanding the varying influence of Pell status for SC resident versus non-resident students.
2.1	**AAU-aligned Faculty**										**State Objective: Public Infrastructure and Economic Development**			
2.1.1	Increase tenured/tenure-track instructional faculty	1,013	1,069	1,027	Count	Equal to or greater than	Other	Federal government's National Center for Education Statistics IPEDS system defined methodology.	Agency's ERP/personnel system.	Tableau-based public Factbook; IPEDS HR report; Clemson Elevate strategic plan dashboard	Benefits to agency clients including quality and timely delivery of academic programs, productive scholarship, and public outreach	Students; Families of Students; Public- and private-sector partners utilizing scholarly results; funding agencies and foundations; National Science Foundation; National Institutes of Health; NASA; Department of Energy; Agency employees	0200.010100.000	Select investments in additional tenured/tenure-track faculty remain muted in order to align agency goals with frameworks such as cluster hiring and building an AAU-like faculty as well as ongoing expenditure constraints.
2.1.2	Increase annual total research expenditures	$338,500,000	$283,000,000	$372,000,000	Dollar Amount	Equal to or greater than	State Fiscal Year	Sum of Clemson portion of expenditures from sponsored program award accounting chart strings	University's Office of Sponsored Programs data on expenditures from sponsored program award accounting chart strings; data updated continuously	University budget systems; annual VPR Report Card; NSF annual HERD survey reports; Clemson Elevate strategic plan dashboard	Direct and indirect benefits to agency clients including provisioning productive scholarship, enhancing agency operational processes, and effective use of budgeted funds.	Public- and private-sector partners utilizing scholarly results; private donors; funding agencies and foundations; National Science Foundation; National Institutes of Health; NASA; Department of Energy; Agency employees	0200.010100.000	

Perf. Measure Number	Description	Base	Target	Actual	Value Type	Desired Outcome	Time Applicable	Calculation Method	Data Source	Data Location	Stakeholder Need Satisfied	Primary Stakeholder	State Funded Program Number Responsible	Notes
2.1.3	Increase annual doctoral graduates	324	280	342	Count	Equal to or greater than	Other	Simple count of doctoral graduates over a full academic year	Graduation data, which comes from our student data warehouse, is updated 3 times per year	University's student data warehouse; CHE CHEMIS files; University Tableau server; Annual IPEDS report; Clemson Elevate strategic plan dashboard	Direct and indirect benefits to agency clients including cost and time savings to clients and the agency, provisioning productive academic programs, and efficient use of budgeted funds.	Students; Families of students; Agency employees; Donors; International governments providing financial support to their citizens for US graduate education; funding agencies supporting graduate education and/or graduate scholarship.	0200.010100.000	
2.1.4	Increase scholarly impact as measured through publication 5-yr citations per faculty member	149	130	153.3	Ratio	Equal to or greater than	Calendar Year	5-year trailing sum of citations to articles authored by Clemson faculty researchers (jointly identified by the University and Academic Analytics™) having Digital Object Identifiers that are scraped by Academic Analytics™ divided by the count of faculty researchers	Proprietary data from Academic Analytics™ calendar year database, with aggregation with a 1- 2 year lag; new data sets released yearly, but updated on a rolling basis	Vendor-provided cloud SaaS; Agency's Clemson Elevate strategic plan dashboard	Direct and indirect benefits to agency clients and the agency itself, including provisioning a program of productive and impactful scholarship and effective use of budgeted funds.	Donors; Prospective students; Funding agencies and organizations; Other universities seeking collaborators; Agency employees	0200.010100.000	
2.2	**Research Infrastructure**										**State Objective: Public Infrastructure and Economic Development**			
2.2.1	Increase assignable research space (sq ft)	1,074,000	1,200,000	1,089,000	Count	Equal to or greater than	State Fiscal Year	Sum of agency room square footage assignable for research purposes according to federal FICM-based and State CHEMIS-based classifications	Agency's AIM facilities database system	CHE CHEMIS files; Clemson Elevate strategic plan dashboard; NSF biannual research facilities survey report	Direct and indirect benefits to agency clients including provisioning translational scholarship, enhancing quality and quantity of agency impact, and effective use of budgeted funds.	Public- and private-sector partners utilizing scholarly results; private donors; funding agencies and foundations; National Science Foundation; National Institutes of Health; NASA; Department of Energy; Agency employees	0200.010100.000	The University continues its deliberate approach to facilities expansion via an evidence-based long-term framework. We anticipate a significant jump in space next FY given the openings of the new Advanced Materials Innovation Center and the new Forestry and Environmental Conservational Building
3.1	**Health Outcomes**										**State Objective: Healthy and Safe Families**			
3.1.1	Increase annual graduates with health-related degrees	1,025	1,013	987	Count	Equal to or greater than	Other	Academic year sum of completions or degrees that are health-related as designated by the agency	Graduation data, which comes from our student data warehouse, is updated 3 times per year	Agency's Tableau-based dynamic student completions report; Agency's Clemson Elevate strategic plan dashboard	Enhancing access, quality, and velocity of health care access; workforce preparation in in-demand occupations.	SC citizens; SC and federal health assistance programs; SC healthcare delivery organizations and facilities; Students and families of students	0200.010100.000	We remain strongly bullish on medium-to-long-term growth given secular factors relate d to health workforce growth and a very strong fall 2026 admissions cycle for our Health Science and Nursing baccalaureate programs.

Perf. Measure Number	Description	Base	Target	Actual	Value Type	Desired Outcome	Time Applicable	Calculation Method	Data Source	Data Location	Stakeholder Need Satisfied	Primary Stakeholder	State Funded Program Number Responsible	Notes
3.1.2	Increase annual # SC patients visiting Clemson Rural Health	14,505	15,552	10,166	Count	Equal to or greater than	State Fiscal Year	Count of SC patient-visits to Clemson Rural Health services	Agency internal database derived from joining and transforming data in SC Dept of Education database	Clemson Elevate strategic plan dashboard	Enhancing the health and quality of life of SC citizens, and reducing/controlling financial and economic costs associated with chronic health conditions	SC citizens; SC employers; SC healthcare institutions and practitioners	0200.010100.000	We experienced significant turnover (~50%) in our clinicians and mid-year conclusion of a few grants and projects. These factors led to a decreased visit volume. We have a few hires in process and several projects pending currently. We are looking forward to resuming growth in FY27.
3.2	**Educational & Economic Opportunities**										**State Objective: Education, Training, and Human Development**			
3.2.1	Increase annual Clemson teacher preparation graduates hired by SC school districts	147	132	155	Count	Equal to or greater than	Other	Count of May graduates of the agency's teacher preparation programs that were hired by public SC school districts the subsequent academic year	Agency internal database derived from joining and transforming data in SC Dept of Education database	Clemson Elevate strategic plan dashboard	Providing quality PK12 classroom leadership and instruction.	SC youth and families; SC School districts; SC Dept of Education; SC post-secondary institutions; SC employers.	0200.010100.000	
3.2.2	Increase annual Clemson college readiness program participants that enroll in any college	143	188	110	Count	Equal to or greater than	Other	Count of new fall first enrollments (excluding dual enrollment and coursework during HS) at any post-secondary institution by Clemson college readiness program participants	National Student Clearinghouse data joined with internal agency program participant data	Clemson Elevate strategic plan dashboard	Developing prepared and motivated HS students for successful post-secondary studies.	SC high school students and families; SC post-secondary institutions; SC employers.	0200.010100.000	The University continues its prom-otional marketing efforts associated with its summer college readiness programs as well as continuing to seek philanthropic support for these initiatives to ensure low costs for prospective students.

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Strategic Plan Development

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Goal 1 No. 1 Student Experience

Goal 2 Double Research

Goal 3 Transform Lives

Perf. Measure Number	Description	Base	Target	Value Type	Desired Outcome	Time Applicable	Calculation Method	Data Source	Data Location	Stakeholder Need Satisfied	Primary Stakeholder	State Funded Program Number Responsible	Notes
1.1	**Academic Success**								**State Objective: Education, Training, and Human Development**				
1.1.1	Increase federal 6- yr graduation rate to 90%	87.50%	88.40%	Percent	Equal to or greater than	Other	Federal government's National Center for Education Statistics IPEDS system defined methodology. See p. 34 of the IPEDS Keyholder Handbook 2016- 2017.	Graduation data, which comes from our student data warehouse, is updated 3 times per year	University's student data warehouse; CHE CHEMIS files; University Tableau server; Common Data Set report; IPEDS report; Clemson Elevate strategic plan dashboard	Direct and indirect benefits to agency clients including cost and time savings to clients and the agency, provisioning productive academic programs, and efficient use of budgeted funds.	Students; Families of Students; Agency Employees; Donors; State and Federal Regulators; Regional accreditor	0200.010100.000	
1.1.2	Decrease federal 6-year graduation rate Pell gap to 4 pct pts	10.90%	5.40%	Percent	Equal to or less than	Other	Federal government's National Center for Education Statistics IPEDS system defined methodology (See p. 34 of the IPEDS Keyholder Handbook 2016- 2017) applied to those members of an incoming cohort having and not having received a Pell grant.	Graduation data, which comes from our student data warehouse, is updated 3 times per year	University's student data warehouse; CHE CHEMIS files; University Tableau server; Common Data Set report; IPEDS report; Clemson Elevate strategic plan dashboard	Direct and indirect benefits to agency clients including cost and time savings to clients and the agency, provisioning effective academic programs and support services, and effective use of budgeted funds.	Students; Families of Students; Agency Employees; Donors; State and Federal Regulators; Regional accreditor	0200.010100.000	
2.1	**AAU-aligned Faculty**								**State Objective: Public Infrastructure and Economic Development**				
2.1.1	Increase tenured/tenure-track instructional faculty	1,027	1,096	Count	Equal to or greater than	Other	Federal government's National Center for Education Statistics IPEDS system defined methodology.	Agency's ERP/personnel system.	Tableau-based public Factbook; IPEDS HR report; Clemson Elevate strategic plan dashboard	Benefits to agency clients including quality and timely delivery of academic programs, productive scholarship, and public outreach	Students; Families of Students; Public- and private-sector partners utilizing scholarly results; funding agencies and foundations; National Science Foundation; National Institutes of Health; NASA; Department of Energy; Agency employees	0200.010100.000	
2.1.2	Increase annual total research expenditures	$372,000,000	$289,000,000	Dollar Amount	Equal to or greater than	State Fiscal Year	Sum of Clemson portion of expenditures from sponsored program award accounting chart strings	University's Office of Sponsored Programs data on expenditures from sponsored program award accounting chart strings; data updated continuously	University budget systems; annual VPR Report Card; NSF annual HERD survey reports; Clemson Elevate strategic plan dashboard	Direct and indirect benefits to agency clients including provisioning productive scholarship, enhancing agency operational processes, and effective use of budgeted funds.	Public- and private-sector partners utilizing scholarly results; private donors; funding agencies and foundations; National Science Foundation; National Institutes of Health; NASA; Department of Energy; Agency employees	0200.010100.000	

Perf. Measure Number	Description	Base	Target	Value Type	Desired Outcome	Time Applicable	Calculation Method	Data Source	Data Location	Stakeholder Need Satisfied	Primary Stakeholder	State Funded Program Number Responsible	Notes
2.1.3	Increase annual doctoral graduates	342	287	Count	Equal to or greater than	Other	Simple count of doctoral graduates over a full academic year	Graduation data, which comes from our student data warehouse, is updated 3 times per year	University's student data warehouse; CHE CHEMIS files; University Tableau server; Annual IPEDS report; Clemson Elevate strategic plan dashboard	Direct and indirect benefits to agency clients including cost and time savings to clients and the agency, provisioning productive academic programs, and efficient use of budgeted funds.	Students; Families of students; Agency employees; Donors; International governments providing financial support to their citizens for US graduate education; funding agencies supporting graduate education and/or graduate scholarship.	0200.010100.000	
2.1.4	Increase scholarly impact as measured through publication 5-yr citations per faculty member	153.3	136.5	Ratio	Equal to or greater than	Calendar Year	5-year trailing sum of citations to articles authored by Clemson faculty researchers (jointly identified by the University and Academic Analytics™) having Digital Object Identifiers that are scraped by Academic Analytics™ divided by the count of faculty researchers	Proprietary data from Academic Analytics™ calendar year database, with aggregation with a 1-2 year lag; new data sets released yearly, but updated on a rolling basis	Vendor-provided cloud SaaS; Agency's Clemson Elevate strategic plan dashboard	Direct and indirect benefits to agency clients and the agency itself, including provisioning a program of productive and impactful scholarship and effective use of budgeted funds.	Donors; Prospective students; Funding agencies and organizations; Other universities seeking collaborators; Agency employees	0200.010100.000	
2.2	**Research Infrastructure**								**State Objective:**	**Public Infrastructure and Economic Development**			
2.2.1	Increase assignable research space (sq ft)	1089000	1300000	Count	Equal to or greater than	State Fiscal Year	Sum of agency room square footage assignable for research purposes according to federal FICM-based and State CHEMIS-based classifications	Agency's AIM facilities database system	CHE CHEMIS files; Clemson Elevate strategic plan dashboard; NSF biannual research facilities survey report	Direct and indirect benefits to agency clients including provisioning translational scholarship, enhancing quality and quantity of agency impact, and effective use of budgeted funds.	Public- and private-sector partners utilizing scholarly results; private donors; funding agencies and foundations; National Science Foundation; National Institutes of Health; NASA; Department of Energy; Agency employees	0200.010100.000	
3.1	**Health Outcomes**								**State Objective:**	**Healthy and Safe Families**			
3.1.1	Increase annual graduates with health-related degrees	987	1,041	Count	Equal to or greater than	Other	Academic year sum of completions or degrees that are health-related as designated by the agency	Graduation data, which comes from our student data warehouse, is updated 3 times per year	Agency's Tableau-based dynamic student completions report; Agency's Clemson Elevate strategic plan dashboard	Enhancing access, quality, and velocity of health care access; workforce preparation in in-demand occupations.	SC citizens; SC and federal health assistance programs; SC healthcare delivery organizations and facilities; Students and families of students	0200.010100.000	
3.1.2	Increase annual # SC patients visiting Clemson Rural Health	10,166	17,034	Count	Equal to or greater than	State Fiscal Year	Count of SC patient-visits to Clemson Rural Health services	Agency internal database derived from joining and transforming data in SC Dept of Education database	Clemson Elevate strategic plan dashboard	Enhancing the health and quality of life of SC citizens, and reducing/controlling financial and economic costs associated with chronic health conditions	SC citizens; SC employers; SC healthcare institutions and practitioners	0200.010100.000	
3.2	**Educational & Economic Opportunities**								**State Objective:**	**Education, Training, and Human Development**			

Perf. Measure Number	Description	Base	Target	Value Type	Desired Outcome	Time Applicable	Calculation Method	Data Source	Data Location	Stakeholder Need Satisfied	Primary Stakeholder	State Funded Program Number Responsible	Notes
3.2.1	Increase annual Clemson teacher preparation graduates hired by SC school districts	155	138	Count	Equal to or greater than	Other	Count of May graduates of the agency's teacher preparation programs that were hired by public SC school districts the subsequent academic year	Agency internal database derived from joining and transforming data in SC Dept of Education database	Clemson Elevate strategic plan dashboard	Providing quality PK12 classroom leadership and instruction.	SC youth and families; SC School districts; SC Dept of Education; SC post-secondary institutions; SC employers.	0200.010100.000	
3.2.2	Increase annual Clemson college readiness program participants that enroll in any college	110	188	Count	Equal to or greater than	Other	Count of new fall first enrollments (excluding dual enrollment and coursework during HS) at any post-secondary institution by Clemson college readiness program participants	National Student Clearinghouse data joined with internal agency program participant data	Clemson Elevate strategic plan dashboard	Developing prepared and motivated HS students for successful post-secondary studies.	SC high school students and families; SC post-secondary institutions; SC employers.	0200.010100.000	

2026 Budget Data

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State Funded Program No.	State Funded Program Title	Description of State Funded Program	(Actual) General	(Actual) Other	(Actual) Federal	(Actual) Total	(Projected) General	(Projected) Other	(Projected) Federal	(Projected) Total
0200.010100.000	E&G-Unrestricted	The Instruction activity at the University prepares both undergraduate and graduate students with the knowledge and skills that they need to complete their degrees and be prepared for life long learning. Clemson established under 59-119-10 et.seq of S.C. Code of Laws. The Research activity of the University provides opportunity for the faculty and students to maintain and enhance their scholarship, to advance new knowledge and to create economic development. Public Service is a component of faculty activities and includes lectures, concerts, conferences, special programming and other activities in which the student, faculty and staff are available to the citizens of the state. The University is committed to sharing new knowledge to the citizens of South Carolina. The faculty, staff, and students engage in community service and service learning activities.	$ 146,335,355.56	$ 420,794,853.24		$ 567,130,208.80	$ 184,676,834.00	$ 564,935,642.00	$ 40,536,527.00	$ 790,149,003.00
0200.050100.000	E&G-Restricted	Sponsored Research refers to public and private funding support of faculty research. These activities are an essential component of a research university and provide a foundation for economic development, creation of new knowledge and application of research findings. Graduate student support is an essential component of sponsored research.		$ 167,641,362.34	$ 181,980,981.06	$ 349,622,343.40	$ -	$ 223,850,455.00	$ 243,574,246.00	$ 467,424,701.00
0304.000000.000	Auxiliary Enterprises	Housing operations provides for the on-campus living environments for students. Other auxiliaries include bookstore, food services, intercollegiate athletics, telecommunications, contract computing services, student health center, parking services, and other activities.		$ 260,595,709.69		$ 260,595,709.69	$ -	$ 368,529,302.00	$ -	$ 368,529,302.00
9500.050000.000	State Employer Contributions	Contributions required by the State to provide employee benefits.	$ 54,100,903.48	$ 141,776,614.76	$ 16,631,033.98	$ 212,508,552.22	$ 42,028,687.00	$ 270,164,375.00	$ 12,413,956.00	$ 324,607,018.00

State Funded Program No.	State Funded Program Title	Description of State Funded Program	(Actual) General	(Actual) Other	(Actual) Federal	(Actual) Total	(Projected) General	(Projected) Other	(Projected) Federal	(Projected) Total
1002.050100.000	Veterinary Medicine Unrestricted	Supports operational and strategic execution of mission driven activities such as faculty, research, clinical operations, distributed delivery model, student success, and administrative support specific to the College of Veterinary Medicine.	$ 5,590,622.30	$ 571,883.58		$ 6,162,505.88	$ 14,461,000.00	$ 4,800,000.00	$ -	$ 19,261,000.00
1005.200000.000	Veterinary Medicine Employee Benefits	Contributions required by the State to provide employee benefits, specifically for the College of Veterinary Medicine.	$ 2,159,732.77	$ 107,408.37		$ 2,267,141.14	$ 1,439,000.00	$ -	$ -	$ 1,439,000.00

*FY26 actuals are subject to change as final audits and all post-closing adjustments are not complete at time of submission of this document

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Legal Data

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Law number	Jurisdiction	Type	Description	Purpose the law serves:	Notes:	Changes made during FY2026
P33.21	State	FY25-26 Proviso	DHHS Rural Health Initiative regarding provisioning primary care access in rural and underserved areas	Funding agency deliverable(s)		Reenacted
P11.15	State	FY25-26 Proviso	State-supported IHLs must submit to CHE the total number of out-of-state undergraduate students that received abatement of rates, as well as the total dollar amount of the abatements received	Report our agency may/must provide		Reenacted
P105.5	State	FY25-26 Proviso	Requires the State Auditor to identify certain long-term obligations by state IHLs and report findings to the General Assembly, and requires state IHLs to respond to formal requests for information from the State Auditor	Requires a service		Reenacted
P108.12	State	FY25-26 Proviso	For FY21-22, certain earnings limitations do not apply to retired members of SCRS	Not related to agency deliverable	We believe the omission of a 2021 Act number with which the Proviso is not intended to conflict as designated in the language of the Proviso is a scrivener's error and does not reflect an amendment	Reenacted

Law number	Jurisdiction	Type	Description	Purpose the law serves:	Notes:	Changes made during FY2026
P117.133	State	FY25-26 Proviso	IHLs shall utilize a portion of appropriated/authorized funds to develop enrollment and retention plans promoting diversity in their student body	Requires a service	FY25-26 Part IB lists P.117.133 as RESERVED. The prior diversity enrollment/retention provision was therefore not carried as an operative FY25-26 proviso under that number.	Reserved
P117.137	State	FY25-26 Proviso	Restricts IHLs from requiring proof of COVID-19 vaccination as a condition of enrollment, attendance, or residence on campus	Requires a manner of delivery	Carried forward from prior 117.140	Amended Proviso number only
P117.140	State	FY25-26 Proviso	For FY21-22, SC National Guard members may qualify for college assistance program grants for more than 130 credit hours	Requires a manner of delivery	FY24-25 P117.148 was renumbered and the current text should control	Amended and amended proviso number
P117.68	State	FY25-26 Proviso	State IHLs not required to submit certain printed reports during the FY	Not related to agency deliverable		Reenacted
P117.70	State	FY25-26 Proviso	Each state agency must provide and release to the public a report of all aggregate amounts of fines or fees in the prior FY.	Report our agency must/may provide		Reenacted
P33.26	State	FY25-26 Proviso	DHHS Brain Health Initiative. USC shall partner and collaborate with Clemson University to leverage existing programs to meet unmet dementia care needs of citizens in rural SC.	Requires a manner of delivery	Carried forward from prior 33.28	Amended Proviso number only

Law number	Jurisdiction	Type	Description	Purpose the law serves:	Notes:	Changes made during FY2026
P37.5	State	FY25-26 Proviso	Clemson, USC, MUSC, DAODAS, and the Department of Public Health will collaborate on research, training, programming, and services for preventing and addressing opioid and substance use disorders.	Requires a manner of delivery		Reenacted
P117.136	State	FY25-26 Proviso	Statewide strategic personnel budgeting- budget request due dates and compliance with Division of State Human Resources rules and regulations	Requires a manner of delivery	FY24-25 P117.137 was renumbered	Amended Proviso number only
P117.141	State	FY25-26 Proviso	Plan details for state agencies to provide for employee pay increases	Requires a manner of delivery	FY24-25 P117.142 was renumbered and the current text should control	Amended and amended proviso number
P117.152	State	FY25-26 Proviso	Appropriation of recurring funds to institutions of higher learning to mitigate tuition and fee increases	Requires a manner of delivery	FY24-25 P117.154 was renumbered	Amended Proviso number only
P117.162	State	FY25-26 Proviso	Admissions revenue from an athletic event of an accredited college or university to be remitted to the Department of Revenue	Requires a manner of delivery	FY24-25 P117.167 was renumbered	Amended Proviso number only
P117.169	State	FY25-26 Proviso	The Director of Clemson Rural Health (or their designee) to serve on the South Carolina Prostate Cancer Study Committee	Board, commission, or committee on which someone from our agency must/may serve	FY24-25 P117.176 was renumbered	Amended Proviso number only

Law number	Jurisdiction	Type	Description	Purpose the law serves:	Notes:	Changes made during FY2026
P117.157	State	FY25-26 Proviso	While living in the State, individuals enrolled in a public higher education institution and receiving educational assistance under US Code Chapter 35, Title 38 shall pay in-state tuition and fees	Requires a manner of delivery	FY24-25 P117.155 was renumbered	Amended Proviso Number Only
P117.165	State	FY25-26 Proviso	Monies not to be withheld from students otherwise eligible for their second year of LIFE Scholarship funding based solely upon a grade earned in a dual enrollment class	Requires a manner of delivery	FY24-25 P117.172 was renumbered	Amended Proviso Number Only
P117.170	State	FY25-26 Proviso	Public institutions of higher education to provide information regarding education, awareness programs, policy training, and prevention initiatives related to sexual violence to the SC Institute on the Prevention of Sexual Violence on College Campuses to produce an annual report.	Report our agency may/must provide	FY24-25 P117.177was renumbered. Current amended language restructures/clarifies the reporting and information-gathering responsibility.	Amended and amended proviso number
P117.172	State	FY25-26 Proviso	Agencies awarded a grant from any source shall maintain an itemized list of matching funds provided by the agency. Agencies shall provide a summary of conditions associated with a grant to the Chairmen of the House Ways and Means Committee and Senate Finance Committee.	Report our agency may/must provide	FY24-25 P117.179 was renumbered	Amended Proviso Number Only
P117.178	State	FY25-26 Proviso	Institutions of higher education are to provide detailed analysis of any requests for tuition mitigation, including detailed information on cost savings and efficiency initiatives.	Report our agency may/must provide	FY24-25 P117.187 was renumbered	Amended Proviso Number Only
P117.183	State	FY25-26 Proviso	When booking out-of-state air travel for official state business, preference shall be given to the closest in-state Class I airport	Requires a manner of delivery	FY24-25 P117.193 was renumbered	Amended Proviso Number Only
P117.184	State	FY25-26 Proviso	Appropriated funds shall not be spent for outside attorney expenses, exit fees, or entry fees associated with athletic conference affiliations.	Requires a manner of delivery	FY24-25 P117.195 was renumbered	Amended Proviso Number Only

Law number	Jurisdiction	Type	Description	Purpose the law serves:	Notes:	Changes made during FY2026
P118.22	State	FY25-26 Proviso	Disbursement of appropriations for purposes that include the Clemson University College of Veterinary medicine	Distribute finding to another entity	FY24-25 P118.20 was renumbered	Amended and amended proviso number
P3.7	State	FY25-26 Proviso	Appropriations from the Education Lottery Account for various education purposes and programs that include, inter alia: experiential learning at Clemson University, the CHE Nursing Initiative, and the CHE College Transition Program Scholarships.	Requires a manner of delivery	FY24-25 P3.6 was renumbered	Amended and amended proviso number
P117.192	State	FY25-26 Proviso	Prohibits public colleges and universities from using state appropriated funds to require domestic undergraduate student to have health insurance as a condition of application or enrollment	Requires a manner of delivery		Added
P117.194	State	FY25-26 Proviso	Authorizes IHLs to offer an additional 4% of educational fee waivers that benefit undergraduate SC residents.	Requires a manner of delivery		Added
P11.23	State	FY25-26 Proviso	Requires CHE to review calculation of tuition-mitigation funding in collaboration with public IHLs	Requires a manner of delivery		Added
59-119-10 et seq	State	Statute	Provides that Clemson University is a public institution of higher education in South Carolina, formed to establish and maintain an agricultural and mechanical college in accordance with the terms of Thomas G. Clemson's last will and testament. This includes the management of land resources and related properties.	Requires a service	The University is implicitly expected to offer academic and administrative services in supporting coherent programs of study that lead to students being able to pursue and be awarded academic awards (degrees or certificates). The University manages land resources and related properties associated with the University.	No Change

Law number	Jurisdiction	Type	Description	Purpose the law serves:	Notes:	Changes made during FY2026
59-119-100	State	Statute	The State Treasurer shall securely invest and reinvest the funds in his hands derived from the Clemson bequest in such manner as shall be directed by the Governor, the Comptroller General and the State Treasurer or any two of them.	Funding agency deliverable(s)		No Change
59-119-110	State	Statute	One half of the land scrip fund once vested in the board of trustees of the University of South Carolina having by due authority of law been vested in the six members of the board of trustees of Clemson University elected by the General Assembly and the State Treasurer having issued a certificate of State stock in the sum of ninety-five thousand nine hundred dollars, bearing interest at the rate of six per cent per annum, payable semiannually, to such six members of such board of trustees, to be held as a perpetual fund, the capital of which shall forever remain undiminished, the income of such fund shall be used by the board of trustees for the building and maintenance of Clemson University, in accordance with the purposes for which such land scrip was donated by the act of Congress in relation thereto	Funding agency deliverable(s)		No Change
59-119-120	State	Statute	All sums which shall be received by the State from the United States Government under the provisions of the act of Congress, approved August 30, 1890 entitled "An Act to Apply a Portion of the Public Lands to the more Complete Endowment and Support of Colleges for the Benefit of Agriculture and Mechanical Arts Established under the Provisions of an Act of Congress approved July second, eighteen hundred and sixty-two," shall be equally divided between South Carolina State College and Clemson University to be applied to the purposes specified in such act.	Funding agency deliverable(s)		No Change
59-119-140	State	Statute	The board of trustees shall make to the General Assembly an annual report of the university, of all farming operations and tests and experiments and of all receipts and expenditures, with a statement of the condition of the property and funds of such university and of all receipts and expenditures of money appropriated thereto by the State.	Report our agency must/may provide		No Change
59-119-160	State	Statute	Establishes a South Carolina Anergy Research and Development Center located at or in conjunction with the University. Requires Clemson to establish an advisory board for the center with general membership prescriptions.	Requires a service		No Change

Law number	Jurisdiction	Type	Description	Purpose the law serves:	Notes:	Changes made during FY2026
59-119-165	State	Statute	The State Fiscal Accountability Authority, in conjunction with the Department of Education, shall transfer all federal funds associated with Agricultural Education at the Department of Education to Clemson-PSA (Public Service Activities) no later than July fifteenth of each fiscal year. Notwithstanding any other provisions of law, funds and positions transferred to Clemson-PSA from the Department of Education for Agricultural Education shall be used for personnel positions and related office and travel expenses to provide overall leadership, coordination, and structure for agricultural education programs, and South Carolina Association of Young Farmers activities in the public schools of this State. Clemson-PSA shall provide a report to the Department of Education on the use and expenditure of the federal funds transferred by the Department of Education to Clemson-PSA no later than December first of each fiscal year.	Requires a service	Also Funding Agency deliverables and Report the agency must/may provide	No Change
59-119-20	State	Statute	The deed and transfer of such property to the State having been duly executed and made by the executor, in accordance with the provisions of the will, an agricultural and mechanical college has been established in connection with the aforesaid devise and bequest, styled The Clemson Agricultural College of South Carolina and situated at Fort Hill, in Oconee County, on the plantation so devised. In the college shall be taught all branches of study pertaining to practical and scientific agricultural and other industries connected therewith and such other studies as are not inconsistent with the terms of such will.	Requires a service		No Change
59-119-30	State	Statute	Changed the institution name from The Clemson Agricultural College of South Carolina to Clemson University.	Not related to agency deliverable		No Change
59-119-40	State	Statute	Requires the university to be under the managerial control of a board of thirteen trustees, and specifies the number, structure, and terms of those trustees.	Board, commission, or committee on which someone from our agency must/may serve		No Change

Law number	Jurisdiction	Type	Description	Purpose the law serves:	Notes:	Changes made during FY2026
59-119-50	State	Statute	Clemson University Board of Trustees shall elect a president of the university, as well as declaring professorship, setting forth professors' duties and salaries. Furthermore, it shall employ such staff persons to carry out the functions of the University, its farms, grounds, shops, etc., and fix their compensation and salaries as well.	Requires a service	The Board of Trustees is expected to employ faculty and staff necessary to execute the functions of the University, and establish personnel salaries and compensation. The Board is also expected to select a President of the University.	No Change
59-119-60	State	Statute	The University's Board of Trustees is a body politic and corporate, under the name and style of Clemson University. It shall have a corporate seal, which it may change at its discretion, and in its corporate name it may contract for, purchase and hold property. It may sue and be sued and plead and be impleaded in its corporate name and may do all things necessary to carry out the provisions of Sections 59-119-10 to 59-119-70 and may make bylaws for this purpose if it deems it necessary.	Not related to agency deliverable		No Change
59-119-70	State	Statute	The University's Board of Trustees may sell and make title to, upon such terms and conditions as it deems advisable, any real estate held by it.	Not related to agency deliverable		No Change
59-119-710	State	Statute	Provides that Clemson University shall have the authority to incur debt, acquire, construct, renovate and equip auxiliary facilities in support of the educational environment at Clemson and to support and benefit the present and potential students at Clemson University.	Not related to agency deliverable		No Change
59-119-720	State	Statute	Deines "bonds", "Clemson", "Facilities", "Revenues", "Authority", and "Trustees"	Not related to agency deliverable		No Change

Law number	Jurisdiction	Type	Description	Purpose the law serves:	Notes:	Changes made during FY2026
59-119-730	State	Statute	The trustees are authorized to acquire additional facilities and to improve and renovate existing facilities to the extent they determine to be necessary; and the proceeds of bonds authorized by this article are made available for that purpose. The trustees also are authorized to refund bonds that may from time to time be outstanding pursuant to this article by exchange or otherwise.	Not related to agency deliverable		No Change
59-119-740	State	Statute	Upon receiving the approval of the State Fiscal Accountability Authority or the Department of Administration, as appropriate, and upon review by the Joint Bond Review Committee, the trustees may from time to time borrow such sums as may be necessary to accomplish the purpose of this article and to evidence these borrowings by bonds issued pursuant to this article	Not related to agency deliverable		No Change
59-119-750	State	Statute	Bonds issued pursuant to this article must be payable from the revenues or the net revenues derived by Clemson from these facilities as designated by the trustees with respect to the bonds. The trustees may abandon the use of any portion of the facilities or sell or dispose of any portion of the facilities upon receipt of a written recommendation by the chief financial officer of Clemson to the effect that the action will not adversely affect the ability of Clemson to discharge its obligations to the holders of bonds issued pursuant to this article and upon the further conditions as prescribed in the resolution of the trustees providing for the issuance of bonds. The bonds issued pursuant to this article may be further secured by the additional pledges of other revenues or fees of Clemson as it may be authorized to grant pursuant to other laws of this State.	Not related to agency deliverable		No Change
59-119-760	State	Statute	Specifies that bonds are not guaranteed by the State, and that trustees are not personally liable	Not related to agency deliverable		No Change

Law number	Jurisdiction	Type	Description	Purpose the law serves:	Notes:	Changes made during FY2026
59-119-770	State	Statute	Sets forth that trustees shall adopt resolutions providing for the issuance of bonds of Clemson, within the limitations mentioned in this article which must prescribe the tenor, terms, and conditions of the bonds. The bonds must be issued as serial or term bonds, maturing in equal or unequal amounts, at such times and on such occasions as the trustees determine. The last maturing bonds of any issue must be expressed to mature not later than fifty years from their date, and the first maturing bonds of any issue, issued pursuant to this article, falls due within five years from their date. They must bear such rates of interest, payable on such occasion, as the trustees prescribe, and the bonds must be in such denominations, payable in such medium of payment, and at such place as such resolutions prescribe. All bonds may be issued with a provision permitting their redemption on any interest payment date before their respective maturities. Bonds made subject to redemption before their stated maturities may contain a provision requiring the payment of a premium for the privilege of exercising the right of redemption, in such amount or amounts as the trustees prescribe in the resolutions authorizing their issuance. All bonds that are subject to redemption must contain a statement to that effect on the face of each bond. The resolutions authorizing their issuance must contain provisions specifying the manner of call and the notice of call that must be given.	Not related to agency deliverable		No Change
59-119-780	State	Statute	Specifies that the bonds authorized by this article and all interest to become due on them have the (State) tax exempt status	Not related to agency deliverable		No Change
59-119-790	State	Statute	Specifies that it is lawful for all executors, administrators, guardians, and fiduciaries, all sinking fund commissions, the Public Employee Benefit Authority and the State Fiscal Accountability Authority, as cotrustees of the South Carolina Retirement System, and all other governmental entities within this State to invest any monies in their hands in the bonds.	Not related to agency deliverable		No Change
59-119-80	State	Statute	Requires a two-thirds vote of the board of trustees to authorize the expenditure of any monies appropriated to the university by the State or to authorize the sale, transfer or reinvestment of any property or monies arising from the sale of any property under the provisions of this chapter.	Not related to agency deliverable		No Change

Law number	Jurisdiction	Type	Description	Purpose the law serves:	Notes:	Changes made during FY2026
59-119-800	State	Statute	The bonds and coupons, if any, attached to the bonds, are executed manually or by facsimile in the name of Clemson in the manner and by persons as the trustees from time to time determine, and the seal of Clemson must be affixed to or impressed or reproduced on each bond. Any coupons attached to the bonds must be authenticated by the facsimile signature of one or more of the persons signing the bonds. The bonds, in the discretion of the trustees, may be registerable as to principal and interest on books kept for them by or on behalf of Clemson, including by a corporate registrar. The delivery of the executed bonds is valid notwithstanding changes in officers or in the seal occurring after the execution. Notwithstanding the foregoing, the bonds, in the discretion of the trustees, may be issued as fully registered noncertificated book-entry securities.	Not related to agency deliverable		No Change
59-119-810	State	Statute	Requires that bonds must be disposed of in such manner as the trustees determine, except that no sale, privately negotiated without public advertisement, may be made unless the approval of the State Fiscal Accountability Authority is obtained. If the trustees elect to sell the bonds at public sale, at least one advertisement of them must appear in some newspaper of general circulation in this State not less than seven days before the date fixed for the opening of bids. The bonds may be sold at such discount or for such premium as may be determined by the trustees or their designee as being in the best interest of Clemson.	Not related to agency deliverable		No Change
59-119-820	State	Statute	Describes the Trustees' powers or purposes of securing principal and interest of bonds	Not related to agency deliverable		No Change

Law number	Jurisdiction	Type	Description	Purpose the law serves:	Notes:	Changes made during FY2026
59-119-830	State	Statute	Specifies no time limit is set for the issuance of bonds pursuant to this article.	Not related to agency deliverable		No Change
59-119-90	State	Statute	The State Treasurer having by due authority of law invested certain funds which were turned over to him as a part of the Clemson bequest in Brown consols of this State and having been issued a certificate of State stock in a sum equal to the value of such Brown consols, bearing interest at the rate of six per cent per annum, payable semiannually, to the board of trustees of Clemson University, the same shall be held as a perpetual fund, the capital of which shall forever remain undiminished and the interest on which shall be used by such board of trustees for the uses of the university.	Not related to agency deliverable		No Change
59-29-130	State	Statute	REACH Act, requiring credits and pedagogical materials as a requirement for receiving a baccalaureate degree	Requires a manner of delivery		No Change
2-47-52	State	Statute	Permanent improvement projects up to $10M for public research universities are exempt from certain requirements; institutions must submit an annual report of projects under the exemption.	Report our agency may/must provide	Act 214 of 2024 (S.314) made exemptions in P117.136 prior to FY24-25 part of permanent law.	No Change
PL 118-173	Federal	Statute	Implements new federal hazing transparency and Clery-related reporting requirements related to hazing.	Requires a manner of delivery		Added

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EO 14173	Federal	Executive Order	Requires IHLs to agree to terms in federal contracts and grants relative to compliance with federal antidiscrimination law, and requires certification concerning programs that violate applicable antidiscrimination law.	Requires a manner of delivery		Added
EO 14188	Federal	Executive Order	Federal civil rights enforcement directive regarding antisemitism	Requires a manner of delivery		Added
EO 14279	Federal	Executive Order	Reform of federal recognition of accreditation, focuses accreditation more heavily on student outcomes, and takes action concerning accreditor requirements seen as unlawful discrimination	Requires a manner of delivery		Added
EO 14282	Federal	Executive Order	More aggressive enforcement of HEA S117 foreign gift and contract disclosure, requiring more detailed information concerning the source and purpose of foreign funding; treats compliance as material to federal funding	Requires a manner of delivery		Added
EO 14201	Federal	Executive Order	Title IX enforcement based on sex-based interpretation of eligibility for women's athletics and directs federal agencies to review grants for consistency with that policy.	Not related to agency deliverable		Added

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34 CFR 668.401-668.409	Federal	Regulation	Requires IHLs to report detailed program- and student-level data to the U.S. Dept of Education so ED can calculate and publish measures of economic outcomes of academic programs.	Report our agency must/may provide		No Change

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Services Data

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Description of Service	Description of Direct Customer	Customer Name	Others Impacted by Service	Division or major organizational unit providing the service.	Description of division or major organizational unit providing the service.	Primary negative impact if service not provided.	Changes made to services during FY2026	Summary of changes to services
Application development and maintenance, quality assurance, project management, and business application support functions.	State agency	MEDS and MMIS in SC DHHS	SC citizens and residents	Clemson Computing and Information Technology	Medicaid IT Services in CCIT provides operational support for the Medicaid Eligibility Determination System (MEDS) and the Medicaid Management Information System (MMIS) with the Department of Health and Human Services (DHHS) in South Carolina.	Declines in personal and public health; financial strain on medical institutions and practices.	No Change	
Research, scholarship, creative activity and other contracted provisions in response to agency or department need.	Various federal and State agencies		SC citizens and residents	Office of Sponsored Programs, Academic Colleges, Centers & Institutes, Individual Faculty Members	Clemson University receives pass-through funding via grants and contracts with numerous federal departments and agencies including USDA, the Department of Commerce, DoD, the Department of the Interior, the Department of Justice, the Department of Labor, the Department of State, the Department of Transportation, the Appalachian Regional Commission, NASA, the Institute of Museum & Library Services, NSF, VA, EPA, NRC, the Department of Energy, the Department of Education, the Vietnam Education Foundation, HHS, Homeland Security, USAID, and the CIA.	Decrease in innovative discoveries and translational research with concomitant effects on a knowledge-based economy	No Change	
Development of military leadership personnel to fulfill officer positions in the U.S. Armed Forces.	U.S. Armed Forces	United States Army and United States Air Force	US citizens and residents	ROTC Programs	Clemson University's Army and Air Force ROTC programs	Decrease in supply of leadership in US Armed Forces	No Change	
Career services and professional development, disability services, GreenZone Training, veteran orientation, health services, a veteran-dedicated newsletter, tutoring, and a veterans writing group.	Students that are veterans	myriad various	U.S. Armed Forces	Student Veteran Resource Center, Student Affairs, Redfern Health Center	Clemson University and its Student Veteran Resource Center provides an accessible and convenient space for veterans to access resources and interact with fellow veterans	Declines in productive reassimilation of veterans into civilian society and workforce roles	No Change	

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Our academic programs lead to teaching licensure in early childhood, elementary, special, and agricultural education, and to middle level and secondary level in English, mathematics, science, social studies, and modern languages. Our Master's and specialist degrees produce human resources for schools in the areas of clinical mental health, school counseling, and administration/supervision that lead to licensure. Other Master's degrees fulfill workforce needs in athletic leadership, student affairs, and human resource development. Additional coursework counts toward state granted add-on licensure for teachers in areas such as ESOL and early childhood, as well as in-service teacher coursework and professional development through programs such as Reading Recovery.	State agency	SC Dept of Education	PK12 schools, SC children and families	College of Education	Clemson University College of Education's numerous academic programs (undergraduate and graduate) and additional add-on licensure and in-service coursework	Further exacerbation of teacher shortage in SC with concomitant impact on PK12 education of SC children	No Change	
Our academic nursing programs prepare nurses for professional practice, leadership in health care, and advancing nursing knowledge. These programs and our graduates optimize the health and quality of life for the people of South Carolina, the nation, and the global community.	Medical/Patient Care	myriad various	US and SC citizens and residents	School of Nursing	Clemson University School of Nursing's numerous baccalaureate, mater's, doctoral, and certificate programs educate health care professionals who advance scientific knowledge and evidence-based practice through research and outreach.	Further strain on the tight qualified nursing labor pool, with concomitant impact on convenient access to quality impactful public health and medical care.	No Change	
Educational opportunities, degrees, certifications, workforce development, cultural offerings, basic and applied research and derivative products/services	Enrolled students and auditing students, and their parents and families--these encompass all demographic groups and their associated full ranges.	myriad various	Employers; post-baccalaureate institutions; US citizens and residents	Academic Affairs	Our academic colleges and their associated academic programs, faculty, and staff provide education, degrees, certifications, and other products and services for the benefit of our students and their parents/families.	Declines in supply of educated workforce, qualified post-baccalaureate enrollees, and an educated citizenry	No Change	
Educational programs, degrees, certifications, workforce and professional development, basic and applied research and derivative products/services.	Myriad diverse industries	myriad various	US citizens and residents	Academic Affairs	Our academic colleges and their associated academic programs, faculty, and staff provide education, degrees, certifications, and other products and services for the benefit of national and state industries.	Declines in qualified labor pool for knowledge- and information-based industries	No Change	

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Competitive collegiate athletic programs devoted to quality, compliance, integrity, representing the citizens of SC, and the personal and educational development of student-athletes.	Enrolled students and auditing students, their parents and families, and SC citizens--these encompass all demographic groups and their associated full ranges.	myriad various	US citizens and residents	Athletics	Our athletic programs enrich the educational experience of our student body, and create important ties with South Carolinians	Declines in leisure activity opportunities for US residents, and declines in meaningful personal/professional development opportunities and scholarship opportunities that college athletics provides student athletes.	No Change	
Educated, engaged, enthusiastic students in the role of temporary workers. Opportunity for customer entities to market, evaluate, and recruit long-term workforce.	Various public and private industries/organization, both profit and non-profit	myriad various	US citizens and residents	Cooperative education and internship programs	Clemson's Cooperative Education Program partners with various entities of various natures to provide our undergraduate students with mentored work experience in their chosen field while benefiting the organizations where they work.	Declines in available pool of qualified workers in niche labor market positions; stunted professional development of young workers with implications for long-term career progression and long-term talent pools	No Change	
Artistic and cultural programming	SC citizens; University students, faculty, and staff	myriad various	Practicing artists	The Clemson University Brooks Center and numerous University instrumental and vocal organizations	The University's Brooks Center for the Performing Arts hosts a regular, robust, and diverse program of musical, theatrical, and dance performances open to the public. The University's student-based musical and vocal groups provide performances open to the public throughout the year.	Erosion in vitality and accessibility of the Upstate cultural environment.	No Change	
Libraries and information services	SC citizens and global populations	myriad various	Authors, publishers, professional agencies and societies	Clemson University Libraries	The Clemson University Libraries welcomes visitors from the community and also extends borrowing privileges to them. This allows SC citizens access to millions of books, articles, audio books through the Libraries and its State and national network of library affiliations. The Libraries also hosts several niche digital collections of scholarly material available to anyone with an internet connection.	Lack of free access by the general public to publications and public information	No Change	

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Improving health outcomes among underserved and rural SC communities	SC citizens	myriad various	State agencies and private sector health/medical organizations	Clemson Rural Health	Clemson Rural Health is the organizing framework for the University's health service delivery and prevention efforts statewide. These efforts improve individual and community health outcomes among underserved and rural communities throughout South Carolina by increasing access to quality health care and improving impact through innovative, evidence-based approaches and strategic partnerships	Decline in individual and community health outcomes in underserved and rural communities in SC	No Change	
Offering academic, athletic, outdoor, and day camps to engage and develop (primarily SC) youth.	SC youth	myriad various	families, K12 schools, and community and secondary athletics programs	Youth Learning Institute, Clemson University Learning Institute, Clemson University Outdoor Lab, Clemson Honors College, Clemson Science Outreach Center, SC Botanical Gardens et al.	Various units at Clemson organize and deliver summer camps, depending on the camp focus. However, a primary unit responsible for overseeing and operating many of our youth development programs, including several summer camps, is the Youth Learning Institute.	Reduction in opportunities for the high-impact physical and intellectual development of SC youth	No Change	
Supporting entrepreneurship through educational, networking, and support resources that enable collisions, foster collaborations, and create companies that will impact SC and beyond.	SC citizens and upstate community members	myriad various	individuals, existing businesses, emerging private sector entities	Brooke T. Smith Launchpad	The Launchpad advances statewide economic development by supporting entrepreneurship, business formation, innovation, and workforce talent development. It does so by providing mentoring, startup assistance, industry engagement, networking, and entrepreneurial programming that transforms ideas into new companies, supports existing businesses, and strengthens South Carolina's innovation ecosystem.	Reduced support for entrepreneurship, business formation, innovation, and commercialization that would diminish economic development, job creation, and startup activity in South Carolina	Add	Omitted from previous FY report

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Partnerships Data

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Type of Partner Entity	Name of Partner Entity	Description of Partnership	Change to the partnership during the past fiscal year
Higher Education Institute	Academic Global Partnerships (various)	Clemson University, through its Office of Global Engagement, has existing partnerships and exchange agreements in over 60 countries that fulfill the strategic educational, research, economic, and public service goals of the University. These partnerships, that are established and operate through memoranda of understanding, student exchange agreements, and activity agreements, may be viewed via the database at https://alpha.ucosmic.com/	No Change
Professional Association	Accreditation Council for Education in Nutrition and Dietetics	Clemson's partnership with the ACEND accrediting body ensures standards-based evidence-backed quality in our academic degree programs in Nutrition and Dietetics.	No Change
Non-Governmental Organization	Accrediting Board for Engineering and Technology, Inc.	Clemson's partnership with the ABET accrediting body ensures standards-based evidenced-backed quality in our academic degree programs in Computer Science and the Engineering disciplines.	No Change
Professional Association	American Camp Association	Clemson's partnership with the ACA accreditation process ensures standards-based evidence-backed quality in our Parks, Recreation, and Tourism Management BS degree program.	No Change

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Professional Association	American Chemical Society	Clemson's partnership with the ACS certification process ensures standards-based evidence-backed quality in our Chemistry BS degree program.	No Change
Professional Association	American Council for Construction Education	Clemson's partnership with the ACCE accrediting body ensures standards-based evidence-backed quality in our academic degree programs in Construction Science Management.	No Change
Professional Association	American Society of Biochemistry and Molecular Biology	Clemson's partnership with the ASBMB accreditation process ensures standards-based evidence-backed quality in our Biochemistry BS degree program.	No Change
Professional Association	American Society of Landscape Architects	Clemson's partnership with the ASLA accrediting body ensures standards-based evidence-backed quality in our academic degree programs in Landscape Architecture.	No Change
Professional Association	Association for Childhood Education International	Clemson's partnership with the ACEI certification process ensures standards-based evidence-backed quality in our Elementary Education BA degree program.	No Change
Professional Association	Association for Middle Level Education	Clemson's partnership with the AMLE certification process ensures standards-based evidence-backed quality in our Middle Level Education MAT degree program.	No Change

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Professional Association	Association to Advance Collegiate Schools of Business - International	Clemson's partnership with the AACSB accrediting body ensures standards-based evidence-backed quality in our academic degree programs in business administration, management, and accounting.	No Change
Local Government	City of Clemson	Clemson University's partnership with the City of Clemson, which is realized through their Joint City-University Advisory Board and their joint membership in the International Town Gown Association, functions on a daily basis to ensure provision of essential services to both City residents and University citizens, co-fund joint projects and programming initiatives that serve both entities' missions, facilitate comprehensive strategic planning by both entities, and provide an attractive environment in which City residents and University citizens can thrive.	No Change
Non-Governmental Organization	Clemson Alumni Association	The Clemson Alumni Association is a non-profit organization that builds connections between Clemson University alumni and with the University to extend the Clemson Experience beyond graduation.	No Change
Non-Governmental Organization	Clemson University Foundation	The Clemson University Foundation is an independent not-for-profit 501(c)(3) organization that promotes the welfare and future development of Clemson University	No Change

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Non-Governmental Organization	Clemson University Real Estate Foundation	The Clemson University Real Estate Foundation, Inc., is an independent, non-profit, tax-exempt public charity incorporated under Section 501(c)(3) of the Internal Revenue Code. The foundation advances Clemson University through gifts of real estate and property, provides stewardship of real estate in support of the University, and assists/advises any college or department that includes a concentration in real estate as part of its academic offerings.	No Change
Non-Governmental Organization	Clemson University Research Foundation	The Clemson University Research Foundation is a 501(c)(3) corporation founded exclusively for charitable, education, and scientific purposes that manages the process of moving Clemson University's innovative technologies from the laboratory into commercial markets via patent protection, marketing, education, material transfer, license negotiation, and providing support for Clemson University inventors and entrepreneurs.	No Change
Professional Association	Commission on Accreditation of Allied Health Education Programs	Clemson's partnership with the CAAHEP accreditation process ensures standards-based evidence-backed quality in our Health Science BS degree program.	No Change
Professional Association	Commission on Collegiate Nursing Education	Clemson's partnership with the CCNE accrediting body ensures standards-based evidence-backed quality in our academic degree programs in Nursing.	No Change

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Professional Association	Committee for Recreational Therapy Education	Clemson's partnership with the CARTE accreditation process ensures standards-based evidence-backed quality in the Recreational Therapy options of our BS Parks, Recreation & Tourism Management degree program.	No Change
Private Business Organization	Corporate/Business partnerships (various)	Clemson University has myriad partnerships with international, national, regional, state, and local businesses that fulfill mutual goals regarding education, workforce development, research and intellectual property, service, and economic development.	No Change
Professional Association	Council for Accreditation of Counseling and Related Education Programs	Clemson's partnership with the CACREP accrediting body ensures standards-based evidence-backed quality in our academic graduate degree programs in counseling and student affairs practice.	No Change
Professional Association	Council for Exceptional Children	Clemson's partnership with the CEC certification process ensures standards-based evidence-backed quality in our Special Education MAT and BA degree programs.	No Change
Professional Association	Council of Education for Public Health	Clemson's partnership with the CEPH accreditation process ensures standards-based evidence-backed quality in our Health Science BS degree program.	No Change

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Private Business Organization	EAB	Clemson's partnership with EAB's Student Success Collaborative facilitates the use of big data and analytical tools to increase student success, retention, and graduation rates.	No Change
Professional Association	Educational Leadership Constituent Council (ELCC)	Clemson's partnership with the ELCC certification process ensures standards-based evidence-backed quality in our Administration & Supervision MEd and EdS Special Education MAT and BA degree programs.	No Change
Non-Governmental Organization	Greenwood Genetics Center	The Clemson-GCC partnership provides a core campus for recruiting research and development companies engaged in human diagnostics, cognitive development, central nervous system, autism, birth defects, cancer and inflammatory diseases. The collaborative seeks new discoveries in genetic diagnostics and epigenetic therapeutics, and will expand Clemson University's existing doctoral program in genetics, create an internationally competitive research and development team and expand research capabilities at the GCC's J.C. Self Institute.	No Change
Professional Association	Human Factors and Ergonomics Society	Clemson's partnership with the HFES accreditation process ensures standards-based evidence-backed quality in the Human Factors track of our PhD Psychology degree program.	No Change

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Individual	Individual and Private Foundation Partnerships (various)	Clemson University has myriad partnerships with individual donors and philanthropic organizations that fulfill mutual goals and interests regarding education, research, economic development, public service and engagement, and athletics.	No Change
Professional Association	Institute of Food Technologists Higher Education Review Board	Clemson's partnership with this program accrediting body ensures standards-based evidence-backed quality in the Food Technology concentration our BS Food Science and Human Nutrition baccalaureate program.	No Change
Professional Association	International Literacy Association (ILA)	Clemson's partnership with the ILA certification process ensures standards-based evidence-backed quality in our MEd Literacy degree program.	No Change
Non-Governmental Organization	IPTAY	IPTAY is a nonprofit public benefit corporation that provides scholarships for Clemson University student-athletes and non-athletes, helps Clemson University student-athletes be top competitors on the field and in the classroom, funds Tiger Band member uniforms and all travel expenses, and provides support for programs and facilities that maintain Clemson University's competitiveness in collegiate sports.	No Change

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Higher Education Institute	Medical University of South Carolina	The Clemson-MUSC Bioengineering Program is an educational and research partnership between Clemson University and the Medical University of South Carolina. The partnership's mission is to bridge engineering and physical sciences with the life sciences disciplines to better understand fundamental biological and disease processes.	No Change
Non-Governmental Organization	National Architectural Accrediting Board, Inc.	Clemson's partnership with the NAAB accrediting body ensures standards-based evidence-backed quality in our academic professional degree programs in Architecture.	No Change
Professional Association	National Association for the Education of Young Children (NAEYC)	Clemson's partnership with the NAEYC certification process ensures standards-based evidence-backed quality in our Early Childhood Education BA degree program.	No Change
Professional Association	National Association of Schools of Arts and Design	Clemson's partnership with the NASAD accrediting body ensures standards-based evidence-backed quality in our academic degree programs in Art & Design.	No Change
Professional Association	National Council for Accreditation of Teacher Education	Clemson's partnership with the NCATE (now CAEP) accrediting body ensures standards-based evidence-backed quality in our academic degree programs in elementary and secondary education that prepare teachers and other school professional personnel	No Change

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Professional Association	National Council for the Social Studies (NCSS)	Clemson's partnership with the NCSS certification process ensures standards-based evidence-backed quality in our Secondary Education: Social Studies BA degree program.	No Change
Professional Association	National Council of Teachers of English (NCTE)	Clemson's partnership with the NCSS certification process ensures standards-based evidence-backed quality in our Secondary Education: English BA degree program.	No Change
Professional Association	National Council of Teachers of Mathematics (NCTM)	Clemson's partnership with the NCSS certification process ensures standards-based evidence-backed quality in our Secondary Education: Mathematics BA, Secondary Education MAT, and Mathematics Teaching BS degree programs.	No Change
Federal Government	National Laboratories (various)	Clemson University has multiple partnerships with various national laboratories and federal agencies that fulfill mutual goals regarding research, development, and public engagement. An example is our partnership with Svannah River National Laboratory, the Pacific Northwest National Laboratory, Oak Ridge National Laboratory, and the Department of Defense to enhance and protect the U.S. national electrical grid.	No Change

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Professional Association	National Recreation and Parks Association	Clemson's partnership with the COAPRT accrediting body ensures standards-based evidence-backed quality in our academic degree programs in Parks, Recreation, and Tourism Management.	No Change
Professional Association	National Science Teachers Association (NSTA)	Clemson's partnership with the NSTA certification process ensures standards-based evidence-backed quality in our Secondary Education MAT, Science Teaching BS, and Science Teaching BA degree programs.	No Change
Professional Association	PGA of America	Clemson's partnership with the PGA of American ensures practical- and standards-based preparation of certified PGA professionals via our PGA Professional Golf Management program.	No Change
Professional Association	Planning Accreditation Board	Clemson's partnership with the PAB accrediting body ensures standards-based evidence-backed quality in our academic graduate degree program in City and Regional Planning.	No Change

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Non-Governmental Organization	Prisma Health	Clemson University's School of Health Research (CUSHR) has developed strategic partnerships with health care systems that give our faculty and students opportunities to engage in applied research, professional learning, and immersion experiences. One of CUSHR's important strategic partners is Prisma Health, which named Clemson its primary health care research partner in 2013. Prisma and other partners are key to CUSHR's efforts to affect positive change in health care, understanding that our efforts are better together.	No Change
Professional Association	Society of American Foresters	Clemson's partnership with the SAF accrediting body ensures standards-based evidence-backed quality in our academic degree programs in Forestry.	No Change
State Government	South Carolina Commission on Higher Education	Clemson University works with the CHE via the latter's planning and approval authority to ensure institutional goals, student needs, and taxpayer interests are aligned as we deliver efficient, quality education. The partnership also ensures transparency of operations, coordination of information for the benefit of South Carolinians. Additionally, Clemson and CHE work cooperatively to facilitate the critical investments in research and economic development that benefit all South Carolinians.	No Change
Professional Association	Southern Association of Colleges and Schools Commission on Colleges	Clemson's partnership with our regional higher education institutional accrediting body helps ensure our institutional effectiveness, quality of education, and eligibility for federal financial aid funds.	No Change

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Non-Governmental Organization	The Clemson University Land Stewardship Foundation	The Clemson University Land Stewardship Foundation, Inc., is an independent, non-profit, tax-exempt public charity incorporated under Section 501(c)(3) of the Internal Revenue Code. The foundation seeks to support Clemson through the development and related activities associated with real property, and to support Clemson University's economic development activities in communities throughout the state.	No Change
Higher Education Institute	Tri-County Technical College	The Clemson-TCTC partnership is the foundation of our Clemson Bridge program. This program allows certain students not directly admitted to Clemson to enroll at TCTC for their freshman year, and (subject to satisfying certain academic requirements) subsequently enroll at Clemson the following fall semester without being required to resubmit a Clemson admissions application.	No Change
Federal Government	U.S. Department of Education/National Center for Education Statistics	Clemson University's work with NCES staff and reporting systems ensures that we collect, synthesize, analyze and interpret data that provides critical insight on the effectiveness and quality of our programs and the University as a whole.	No Change
	Various	Clemson's Cooperative Education Program partners with various entities of various natures to provide our undergraduate students with mentored work experience in their chosen field while benefiting the organizations where they work.	No Change

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K-12 Education Institute	Various SC elementary, middle, and high schools	Clemson faculty, staff, and students in our Center of Excellence for Innovation in Mathematics and Science Education, National Dropout Prevention Center/Network, and Reading Recovery and Early Literacy Training Center for South Carolina partner with K-12 teachers, administrators, and students to explore and initiate programs and methods that enhance K-12 student access and success, and disseminate valuable information, research, and results to the K-12 community.	No Change
Higher Education Institute	Medical University of South Carolina	Clemson University and MUSC have a professional pathways program allowing Clemson students to begin matriculation at MUSC after their junior year in various professional medical programs, and utilize that MUSC credit to complete their baccalaureate degrees.	No Change
Non-Government Organization	PASCAL	Clemson University is an active member of PASCAL, the Partnership Among South Carolina Academic Libraries that is a consortium of 56 college and university libraries across the state providing access and information resources to students, faculty, and staff in the SC higher education community as well as members of the public having borrowing privileges at institution libraries.	No Change

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Non-Government Organization	Tigers United University Consortium	Clemson University is the founding member of the Tigers United University Consortium, a group of tiger mascot universities in the Southeastern U.S. comprising Clemson University, Auburn University, Louisiana State University and the University of Missouri, working to help save the world's remaining population of wild tigers.	No Change
Federal Government	Library of Congress	Clemson is part of the Library of Congress' Veterans' Oral History Project. In this partnership, Clemson students record interviews and first-hand accounts of veterans and submit those recordings to the Library for their archives.	No Change
Federal Government	National Park Service	Clemson hosts The Open Parks Network, a partnership between Clemson Libraries and the National Park Service to digitize images, artifacts and documents related to the history of national parks and other national heritage sites. The Network now has more than 1 million scanned images and other items in its collection, all freely available to the public.	No Change

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Non-Government Organization	Osher Lifelong Learning Institute	The Osher Lifelong Learning Institute at Clemson University is a membership community of nearly 1,100 Upstate residents dedicated to lifelong learning. OLLI offers 350 academic and recreational programs per year. Clemson Libraries partners with OLLI to offer a community outreach center at its local headquarters. The partnership allows OLLI members and other community residents access to a selection of library materials and other resources. Items selected for the small satellite library will relate to OLLI course offerings, allowing OLLI members to enhance what they are learning and enabling community residents to take advantage of other resources and services available at Clemson Libraries. The collection will also feature books related to the history of Clemson University and the surrounding area, as well as South Carolina history. Community residents and OLLI members can also request and return other Clemson Libraries materials from this location.	No Change
Federal Government	United States Space Force	Clemson University as an official member of its University Partnership Program (UPP). The USSF — the sixth and newest branch of the U.S. Armed Forces — established the UPP to identify, develop and retain a diverse, STEM-capable workforce to further its mission to protect U.S. and allied interests in space. As modern warfare is increasingly fought via satellite control networks, the need for creative workers proficient in the STEM fields is at an all-time high. Through the partnership, the USSF will seek to recruit new members and create educational and leadership development programs for existing Space Force employees.	No Change

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Private Business Organization	Abbeville Area Medical Center	The Clemson Rural Health (CRH) and Abbeville Area Medical Center (AAMC) innovative and collaborative partnership enhances patient access to high quality health care and improves health outcomes for Abbeville County residents.	No Change
Federal Government	National Aeronautics and Space Administration	Clemson University and NASA's Johnson Space Center's Space Act Agreement opens the door to unique research and education opportunities aimed at advancing space exploration. The agreement paves the way for Clemson faculty and NASA to identify and pursue mutual research that fosters innovation in aerospace engineering, space and Earth science, advanced materials, computer and data science, advanced manufacturing, human health in space, and numerous other fields.	No Change
Non-Government Organization	STEM Global Action	The University and STEM Global Action have launched the STEM South Carolina (STEM SC) initiative as part of the University's mission to enhance educational access to all students for success in Science, Technology, Engineering and Math.	No Change

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Higher Education Institute	University Council for Educational Administration	Clemson University serves as the host institution for UCEA's Center for Innovative Rural Collaborative Leadership Education (CIRCLE), which involves faculty from Clemson, ECU, NCSU, and Kansas State U. CIRCLE focuses on the preparation and practice of educational leaders in rural contexts with the goal of improving learning opportunities and outcomes for rural students across the country.	No Change
Private Business Organization	Trilith Studios	Clemson is partnering with Trilith Studios' Trilith Institute to offer semester-long work-based immersive experiential learning semesters for film/cinema, performing arts, and English majors (at Clemson and other institutions) on-site at Trilith Studios site location in Georgia.	No Change
Private Business Organization	Steppingblocks	Clemson's partnership with Steppingblocks facilitates the use of big data and analytical tools by students, faculty, and staff to understand the longitudinal career outcomes of Clemson graduates (by major, employer, etc.).	No Change
Higher Education Institute	Medical University of South Carolina	Clemson and MUSC have entered a partnership where MUSC provides enhanced student and employee access to key health services delivered from an MUSC-operated health facility on the Clemson campus. This partnership builds on MUSC's provisioning of vital urgent care to Clemson and Clemson Bridge program students.	Add

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Private Business Organization	Michelin	Michelin has renewed and enhanced its support of Clemson's Center for Career and Professional Development that houses career services, the Cooperative Education Program, and the University Professional Internship and Co-op Program .	Amend
Non-Government Organization	Pickens County United Way	Clemson University and Pickens County United Way continue to grow their partnership where University organizations provide vital volunteer services to PCUW programs, and PCUW provides services to select University populations (e.g. free tax filing for graduate students)	Amend

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11.14 Other Funded FTE Revenue		Prepared and submitted by the CU Budget Office, includes documentation that all requested Other Funded FTEs can be fully funded by CU Other Fund sources. Part of Governor's hearing presentation.	November-25	Annually	South Carolina state agency or agencies	Electronic copy available upon request	Primary: Kelly Collins, Clemson University Office of Financial Planning ; Secondary: David Bailey, Clemson University Office of Financial Planning	No change	
117.26 - Agency Travel Report		Minimum of top 10% of employees of whom travel expenses and registration fees were paid within the agency, not to exceed the top twenty-five travelers	November-25	Annually	Legislative entity or entities	Available on agency's website	https://cg.sc.gov/financial-reports/travel-reports	No change	
117.33 Debt Collection Reports		Reporting outstanding debt and all methods the agency used to collect the debt.	February-26	Annually	Legislative entity or entities AND South Carolina state agency or agencies	Electronic copy available upon request	Primary: Dionne Simmons, Clemson University Accounting Services ; Secondary: Elizabeth LeCroy Clemson University Accounting Services	No change	
117.58 - Year-End Financial Statements		Final Audited Financial Statement/Report	September-25	Annually	South Carolina state agency or agencies	Available on agency's website	Primary: Dionne Simmons, Clemson University Accounting Services; Secondary: Noah Sherrill, Clemson University Accounting Services; Hyperlink: https://www.clemson.edu/finance/controller/annualreports/	No change	
117.73 - Fines & Fees Report		All aggregate amounts of fines and fees that were charged and collected by the state agency in the prior fiscal year.	August-25	Annually	Legislative entity or entities	Available on agency's website	https://www.clemson.edu/finance/controller/resources.html	No change	
3 Year Financial Plan		Estimate planned general fund expenditures for the next three fiscal years.	October-25	Annually	South Carolina state agency or agencies	Electronic copy available upon request	Primary: Kelly Collins, Clemson University Office of Financial Planning ; Secondary: David Bailey, Clemson University Office of Financial Planning	No change	

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3.1 Expenditure of Lottery Funds		Prepared and submitted by the CU Budget Office, in conjunction with Financial Aid, letter stating policy for expenditure of lottery funds	October-25	Annually	South Carolina state agency or agencies	Electronic copy available upon request	Primary: Elizabeth Milam, Director of Student Financial Aid ; Secondary: Jennifer Williams, Senior Associate Director of Student Financial Aid	No change	
Academic Degree Program Productivity		The Academic Degree Program Productivity process entails identifying academic degree programs (by CIP code) who do not meet the enrollment and completions standards set by CHE.	February-26	Annually	South Carolina state agency or agencies	Electronic copy available upon request	Primary: Jeremy King, Clemson University Institutional Effectiveness ; Secondary: Rob Essaf, Clemson University Institutional Effectiveness	No change	
Academic Performance Program		Academic and Academic Eligibility data on all scholarship athletes	October-25	Annually	Other	Available on another website	https://www.ncaa.org/	No change	
Accredited Unit Annual Report		Physical support areas, organizational structure, animal numbers used	January-26	Annually	Other	Electronic copy available upon request	Primary: Robin Tyndall, Director Clemson University Office of Research Compliance ; Secondary: n/a	No change	
Affirmative Action Plan		Affirmative Action Plan support data is prepared annually but not submitted unless plan is audited		Annually	Entity within federal government	Electronic copy available upon request	Primary: Jeremy King, Clemson University Institutional Effectiveness ; Secondary: Juan Xu, Clemson University Institutional Research	No change	Per State guidance, since there was no cost savings only a notification was submitted, rather than a report.
Affirmative Action Planning File and Employee Roster		Affirmative Action Plan support data		Annually	South Carolina state agency or agencies	Electronic copy available upon request	Primary: Jeremy King, Clemson University Institutional Effectiveness ; Secondary: Juan Xu, Clemson University Institutional Research	No change	Reporting opens June, closes in August.
Agency Accountability Report	§1-1-810	The report "must contain the agency's or department's mission, objectives to accomplish the mission, and performance measures that show the degree to which objectives are being met." Agencies must "identify key program area descriptions and expenditures and link these to key financial and performance results measures."	September-25	Annually	Governor or Lt. Governor AND Legislative entity or entities	Provided to LSA for posting online	Primary: Jeremy King, Clemson University Institutional Effectiveness ; Secondary: Rob Essaf, Clemson University Institutional Effectiveness	No change	

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America's Water Infrastructure Act: Emergency Response Plan (ERP)Certification		Certification of update of ERP for community (drinking) water system is due to US-EPA every 5 years		Every 5 years	Entity within federal government	Electronic copy available upon request	Primary: Todd Barnette, Clemson University Facilities Support Services ; Secondary: Tony Putnam, Clemson University Campus Utilities	No change	Report not due till 12/16/2026
America's Water Infrastructure Act: Risk and Resilience Assessment (RRA)Certification		Certification of update of RRA for community (drinking) water system is due to US-EPA every 5 years	June-26	Every 5 years	Entity within federal government	Electronic copy available upon request	Primary: Todd Barnette, Clemson University Facilities Support Services ; Secondary: Tony Putnam, Clemson University Campus Utilities	No change	
Annual Application for Registration Exemption		Required filing to verify that the University is classified as a "public charity" as a political subdivision and agency of the State	November-25	Annually	South Carolina state agency or agencies	Electronic copy available upon request	Primary: Dionne Simmons, Clemson University Accounting Services ; Secondary: Noah Sherill, Clemson University Accounting Services	No change	
Annual Comprehensive Financial Report (ACFR)		Audited financial statements of the University and its Component Units	September-25	Annually	South Carolina state agency or agencies	Available on agency's website	https://www.clemson.edu/finance/controller/annualreports/	No change	
Annual Report of Research Facility APHIS form 7023	7 U.S.C	USDA/APHIS requires annual report of numbers of animals used which are covered by the Animal Welfare Act	December-25	Annually	Entity within federal government	Electronic copy available upon request	Primary: Robin Tyndall, Director Clemson University Office of Research Compliance ; Secondary: n/a	No change	
Authorization of Federal Funds Fiscal Year Appropriation Act		Review of federal projects - grants. See SC Federal and Other Funds Oversight Act (Title 2, Chapter 65 of the SC Code of Laws, 1976 as amended)	November-25	Annually	South Carolina state agency or agencies	Electronic copy available upon request	Primary: Tracy Walters, Clemson University Grants and Contracts Administration ; Secondary: Cynthia Duncan	No change	
Bonuses	Section 117.52 of the 2025-2026 Appropriations Act (Employee Bonuses)	Section 117.52 of the 2025-26 General Appropriations Act - Name, Funding Sources, and reasons for any employee bonuses. The employing agency must report this information on or before August thirty-first of each year and must include the total amount and source of the bonus received by the employee during the preceding fiscal year (July first through June thirtieth).	August-25	Annually	South Carolina state agency or agencies	Electronic copy available upon request	Primary: Ale Kennedy, Clemson University HR ; Secondary: Heather Humphreys, HR	No change	
CAEP Annual Report	SCDE Required	A yearly update submitted through the accreditation platform by an educator preparation provider (EPP) in which the EPP provides CAEP with a summary of information such as (1) provider; (2) program completer counts; (3) substantive changes; (4) analyses and display of annual reporting measures on its website; (5) progress remediating any areas for improvement, weaknesses, or stipulations; (6) data-informed improvement efforts; 7) transition to CAEP standards from legacy standards, if applicable, and 8) authorization acknowledging CAEP policy.	April-26	Annually	Other	Electronic copy available upon request	Primary: Michelle Cook, Clemson University College of Education ; Secondary: Kent Ellison, Clemson University College of Education	No change	

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CAEP Annual Report	SC Reg 43-90	Teacher Preparation program effectiveness, alumni satisfaction, completer numbers, graduation rates, employability, etc.	April-26	Annually	Other	Available on another website	https://www.clemson.edu/education/about/annual-reporting/caep-reporting.html	No change	
Census Annual Report		Count of employees	June-26	Annually	Entity within federal government	Electronic copy available upon request	Primary: Jeremy King, Clemson University Institutional Effectiveness ; Secondary: Juan Xu, Clemson University Institutional Research	No change	
CHE 100 Report		Required Tuition and Fees for Full-Time Students for the requested academic year	August-25	Annually	South Carolina state agency or agencies	Electronic copy available upon request	Primary: Kelly Collins, Clemson University Office of Financial Planning ; Secondary: David Bailey, Clemson University Office of Financial Planning	No change	
CHE Institutional Effectiveness Report	59-101-350	By statute (Section 59-101-350): Student scores on professional examinations with detailed information on state and national means, passing scores, and pass rates, as available, and with information on such scores over time, and the number of students taking each exam.	July-25	Annually	South Carolina state agency or agencies	Available on agency's website	https://open.clemson.edu/oier/	Amend	Update contact
CHE Management Information System		Data on students enrolled, course enrollment, course scheduling, course instructors, faculty data, facility data, scholarship data, free credits summary, and degrees awarded	March-26	Twice a year	South Carolina state agency or agencies	Available on another website	https://www.che.sc.gov/che-data-and-reports	No change	
CHE Request - Tuition and Fees Analysis		Summarized financial data (tuition and fees, including fees waived and/or discounted) reported to the Commission on Higher Education	November-25	Annually	Other	Electronic copy available upon request	Primary: Dionne Simmons, Clemson University Accounting Services ; Secondary: Noah Sherill, Clemson University Accounting Services	No change	
Class II Landfills per SC Hazardous Waste Management Act Title 44 - Health, Chapter 56	S.C. Solid Waste Policy and Management Act of 1991	Maintain Daily records of the actual weight in tons of waste received; and the particular grid location of the area currently being used. Fiscal year report (July 1 to June 30) due to DHEC September 1 identifying the actual weight in tons or volume in cubic yards of wastes received. Maintain records for 3 years.	August-25	Annually	South Carolina state agency or agencies	Electronic copy available upon request	Primary: Dave VanDeventer, Solid Waste & Recycling Manager; Secondary: Brian Davidson, Director University Facilities	No change	
Clean Air Act - Major Stationary Source Title V Permit No. 1880-0010		Air emissions inventory report for previous 12 months.	October-25	Every 3 years	South Carolina state agency or agencies	Electronic copy available upon request	Primary: Todd Barnette, Clemson University Facilities Support Services ; Secondary: Tony Putnam, Clemson University Campus Utilities	No change	
Clean Air Act - Major Stationary Source Title V Permit No. 1880-0010		Annual and Semiannual NESHAP Reports must be prepared for monitoring periods of January 1 through June 30, and July 1 through December 31 with report submissions to SCDHEC due prior to July 30 and January 30 of each year.	March-26	Semiannually	South Carolina state agency or agencies	Electronic copy available upon request	Primary: Todd Barnette, Clemson University Facilities Support Services ; Secondary: Tony Putnam, Clemson University Campus Utilities	No change	

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College Board Survey		The purpose is to college information about financial aid provided to various groups of undergraduate students and military/veteran benefits.	March-26	Annually	Other	Electronic copy available upon request	Primary: Jeremy King, Clemson University Institutional Effectiveness ; Secondary: Juan Xu, Clemson University Institutional Research	No change	
Common Data Set		The purpose is to provide all involved in a student's transition into higher education information such as admissions, enrollment, academic offering, services, resources and financial aid.	March-26	Annually	Other	Electronic copy available upon request	Primary: Jeremy King, Clemson University Institutional Effectiveness ; Secondary: Juan Xu, Clemson University Institutional Research	No change	
Comprehensive Permanent Improvement Program	2-47-55	Five year plan of all capital projects being proposed for execution by the University. Year 1 requests are for formal approval while years 2-5 are submitted for planning.	September-25	Annually	Legislative entity or entities AND South Carolina state agency or agencies	Electronic copy available upon request	Primary: Kelly Collins, Clemson University Office of Financial Planning ; Secondary: Sarah Sanders, Clemson University, Capital Planning.	No change	
Critical Employee Recruitment and Retention	Section 117.62 (Critical Employee Recruitment and Retention) of the 2025-2026 Appropriations Act	Allows state agencies to spend state, federal and other sources of revenue to provide lump sum bonuses to aid in recruiting and retaining workers in critical needs jobs that provide services that directly impact the health, safety and welfare of the public. Agencies may also provide paid educational leave, tuition reimbursement, student loan repayment and paid practicum for workers in critical needs jobs. Agencies must report any expenditure under this provision by Aug. 31 of each year. Agencies may report bonuses paid by completing infotype 0185 in SCEIS or the Bonus reporting form in the Critical Employees Recruitment and Retention Form Packet. To report usage of educational leave tuition reimbursement, student loan repayment and paid practicum, agencies must complete the Reporting Form on the DSHR website and submit it to DSHR.	August-25	Annually	South Carolina state agency or agencies	Electronic copy available upon request	Primary: Ale Kennedy, Clemson University HR, Secondary, Mary Boyles, HR	No change	
CTP-Intellectual Disabilities Report		Federal government required annual reporting of campus based expenditures related to the Clemson Life program.	September-25	Annually	Entity within federal government	Electronic copy available upon request	Primary: Elizabeth Milam, Director of Student Financial Aid ; Secondary: Jennifer Williams, Senior Associate Director of Student Financial Aid	No change	
Current Employment Statistics		Reporting the employee count for all employees, women employees, and faculty members.	June-26	Monthly	Entity within federal government	Available on another website	https://cesdata.bls.gov/CESLite/?respondent=450008093	No change	
CVM Bi-Annual Report to JBRC	H4300-14.1	Proviso 14.1 under the 2023-2024 Appropriations Act (H4300) requires that the Clemson University College of Veterinary Medicine submit to the Joint Bond Review Committee (JBRC) a semiannual report on the necessary permanent improvements regarding the amount of funding carried forward, the amount remaining to be expended, and the overall status of the project.	January-26	Twice a year	Legislative entity or entities AND South Carolina state agency or agencies	Electronic copy available upon request	Primary: Kelly Collins, Clemson University Office of Financial Planning ; Secondary: Brittney McCall, Clemson University College of Veterinary Medicine	No change	

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Disbursements		Report listing state scholarships	October-25	Other	South Carolina state agency or agencies	Electronic copy available upon request	Primary: Elizabeth Milam, Director of Student Financial Aid ; Secondary: Jennifer Williams, Senior Associate Director of Student Financial Aid	No change	
Dual Employment		Provides Paying and Home agency and dollar amounts paid on each employee dually employed.	December-25	Annually	South Carolina state agency or agencies	Available on another website	https://cg.sc.gov/financial-reports/dual-employment-reports	No change	
Equity in Athletics Disclosure Act (EADA) Report		The Equity in Athletics Disclosure Act requires co-educational institutions of postsecondary education that participate in a Title IV, federal student financial assistance program, and have an intercollegiate athletic program, to prepare an annual report to the Department of Education on athletic participation, staffing, and revenues and expenses, by men's and women's teams. The Department will use this information in preparing its required report to the Congress on gender equity in intercollegiate athletics.	August-25	Annually	Entity within federal government	Available on agency's website	https://clemsontigers.com/equity-report/	No change	
Fair Market Value of Residences	Section 117.15 of the 2025-2026 Appropriations Act	Section 117.15 of the 2025-2026 Appropriations Act (Allowance for Residences and Compensation Restrictions) - Report provides fair market value of President's house.	September-25	Annually	South Carolina state agency or agencies	Electronic copy available upon request	Primary: Ale Kennedy, Clemson University HR ; Secondary: Sherri Rowland, Controller	No change	
Federal Clearinghouse Data Collection Form		Expenditures on Federal Awards	October-25	Annually	Entity within federal government	Available on another website	https://harvester.census.gov/facweb/	No change	
Federal Single Audit	Single Audit Act of 1996; Public Law 104–156, §2, July 5, 1996, 110 Stat. 1396	External audit of federal grant programs	December-25	Annually	Other	Electronic copy available upon request	Primary: Sherri Rowland, Clemson University Controller's Office ; Secondary: Beverly Leeper Clemson University Controller's Office	No change	
Fines and Assessment Remittances		Required by State Victim's Rights Laws	June-26	Monthly	South Carolina state agency or agencies	Electronic copy available upon request	Primary: Erin Thomas, Clemson University Office of Financial Planning ; Secondary: N/A	No change	

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Fiscal Operations Report and Application to Participate (FISAP)		Federal government required annual review of the awarding of Title IV Campus-based funds (SEOG, FWS & Perkins) from previous academic year. Also requires request for funding for next academic year.	September-25	Annually	Entity within federal government	Electronic copy available upon request	Primary: Elizabeth Milam, Director of Student Financial Aid ; Secondary: Jennifer Williams, Senior Associate Director of Student Financial Aid	No change	
Fitch's Annual Data File		Financial and demographic data	October-25	Annually	Other	Electronic copy available upon request	Primary: Sarah Sanders, Business Intelligence ; Secondary: Dionne Simmons, Clemson University Accounting Services Noah Sherrill, Clemson University Accounting Services	Add	
Furlough	8-11-192 8-11-193	S.C. Code Sections 8-11-192 and 8-11-193; Sections 117.64, 117.70 of the 2025-2026 Appropriations Act - State agencies shall report the prior year's results to the Department of Administration by August fifteenth, of the current fiscal year. Report shows Division, # of employees, estimated cost savings & # of days furloughed.	August-25	Annually	South Carolina state agency or agencies	Available on agency's website	Primary: Ale Kennedy, Clemson University HR ; Secondary: Michelle Cato; Hyperlink: https://www.admin.sc.gov/sites/admin/files/Documents/StateHR/Furlough_Information_Summary.pdf	No change	
Graduation Success Rate		Graduation data scholarship athletes	April-26	Annually	Other	Available on another website	https://www.ncaa.org/	No change	
Group Productivity Incentive Programs	Section 8-1-170 of the S.C. Code of Laws	Section 8-1-170 of the S.C. Code of Laws allows state agencies to recognize and reward team accomplishments through group performance. For reporting purposes, agencies must complete infotype 0185 to include the ID Type (Bonus) and the Reason (Group Productivity Incentive) for the bonus information to be reported to DSHR by Aug. 31 of each year.	August-25	Annually	South Carolina state agency or agencies	Electronic copy available upon request	Primary: Ale Kennedy, Clemson University HR	No change	
Hazardous Waste Notice of Activity	61-79	R.61-79 annually for all CU facilities that are classified under the regulations as Small Quantity Generators of Hazardous Waste	January-26	Annually	South Carolina state agency or agencies	Paper Copies Kept in OES Office	Primary: Jim Grieger, Clemson University Occupational and Env Safety ; Secondary: n/a	No change	
Hazardous Waste Quarterly Report	61-79	By R.61-79 Hazardous Waste listed by assigned Index Numbers in pounds generated on site and pounds shipped off site, transporters and their DOT permit #s, TSDF EPA ID #s, new Hazardous Waste Streams generated each quarter.		Quarterly	South Carolina state agency or agencies	Paper Copies Kept in OES Office	Primary: Jim Grieger, Clemson University Occupational and Env Safety ; Secondary: n/a	No change	Submitted July 2026

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HEOA Title II	PL 110-315	Report on basic aspects of teacher preparation program including admissions requirements; number of students enrolled by gender, race and ethnicity; supervised clinical experiences; number of students enrolled by major and subject area; number of program completers; goals for increasing number of teachers in critical shortage areas; how students performed on initial state licensing and certification assessments; current accreditation status; plans for preparing teachers to use technology, work with students with disabilities, and teach students who have limited English proficiency.	April-26	Annually	Entity within federal government	Available on another website	Primary: Michelle Cook; Hyperlink-https://title2.ed.gov/	No change	
Independent Accountant's Report on Application of Agreed Upon Procedures - Clemson University Intercollegiate Athletics Program		Agreed Upon Procedures Report required by the NCAA to include the Statement of Revenues, Expenditures and Transfers for the University's Intercollegiate Athletics Program	September-25	Annually	Other	Available on agency's website	https://www.clemson.edu/finance/controller/annualreports/	No change	
Infectious Waste Generator Registration	61-105	R. 61-105 regulations requires registration when any CU facility generates infectious waste		Other	South Carolina state agency or agencies	Electronic copy available upon request	Primary: Jim Grieger, Clemson University Occupational and Env Safety ; Secondary: n/a	No change	Submitted July 2026
Infectious Waste Generator Renewal Form	61-105	R. 61-105		Every Three years	South Carolina state agency or agencies	Electronic copy available upon request	Primary: Jim Grieger, Clemson University Occupational and Env Safety ; Secondary: n/a	No change	Submitted July 2026
Institutional Biosafety Committee (IBC) Registration		NIH Guidelines requires annual update of members of IBC Committee and activity	December-25	Annually	Entity within federal government	Electronic copy available upon request	Primary: Robin Tyndall, Director Clemson University Office of Research Compliance ; Secondary: n/a	No change	
Integrated Postsecondary Education Data System (IPEDS)	Higher Education Act	Summary information on students, courses, tuition, employees.	April-26	Annually	Other	Available on another website	https://nces.ed.gov/ipeds	No change	
iPEDS Survey		The purpose is to college information about financial aid provided to various groups of undergraduate students and military/veteran benefits.	February-26	Annually	Other	Available on another website	Primary: Dionne Simmons, Clemson University Accounting Services; Secondary: Noah Sherrill, Clemson University Accounting Services; Hyperlink-https://nces.ed.gov/ipeds/use-the-data	No change	

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Jeanne Clery Disclosure of Campus Security Policy and Campus Crime Statistics Act Report - Annual Security and Fire Safety Report		Disclosure of information about crime on or near university locations/sites.	September-25	Annually	Entity within federal government	Available on agency's website	https://www.clemson.edu/cusafety/cupd/crime-reporting-statistics/	No change	
Leave Transfer Pool Program	8-11-770 19-711.02	S.C. Code Section 8-11-770; State HR Regulations 19-711.02 - Total hours and cost for donated and taken Sick and Annual Leave, as well as, remaining balances in pool.	August-25	Annually	South Carolina state agency or agencies	Available on agency's website	https://www.admin.sc.gov/sites/admin/files/Documents/StateHR/Leave_Transfer_Guidelines.pdf	No change	
Monetary Awards	Section 117.15 of the 2025-2026 Appropriations Act	Section 117.15 of the 2025-2026 Appropriations Act - (Allowance for Residences and Compensation Restrictions)	August-25	Annually	South Carolina state agency or agencies	Electronic copy available upon request	Primary: Ale Kennedy, Clemson University HR ; Secondary: Heather Humphreys, Clemson University HR	No change	
Moody's Annual Public College/University Tuition Survey		Financial and demographic data	October-25	Annually	Other	Electronic copy available upon request	Primary: Sarah Sanders, Business Intelligence ; Secondary: Dionne Simmons, Clemson University Accounting Services Noah Sherrill, Clemson University Accounting Services	No change	
Multiple Worksite Report		Multi-location employers provide employment and wage data for all of their establishments covered under one Unemployment Account in a State. By SC counties, report number of employees on the 12th of each month, as well as total wages for the quarter.	June-26	Quarterly	Entity within federal government	Available on another website	https://idcf.bls.gov/authentication/login	No change	
National Collegiate Athletics Association (NCAA) - Membership Financial Data		Prepared and submitted by the Athletics Department	January-26	Annually	Other	Electronic copy available upon request	Primary: Austin Dillard, Clemson University Athletics	Amend	Updated Contact
National Science Foundation - Higher Education Research and Development Survey		Information on R&D expenditures by field of research and source of funds; types of research and expenses and headcounts of R&D personnel.	January-26	Annually	Entity within federal government	Available on another website	https://www.herdsurvey.org/controllers/account.cfc?method=login&redirect=1	No change	
NCAA Institution's Conference Funds/SAF&SAOF		The NCAA annually requires member institutions to report their uses of various funds that are provided, directly or indirectly through the member institution's conference.	August-25	Annually	Other	Electronic copy available upon request	Primary: Brad Woody, Clemson University Athletics	No change	

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NCAA Sports Sponsorship and Demographics		The NCAA requires member institution's to report on the number of sports sponsored and to detail the demographic information of the athletic department (i.e., student-athletes, coaches, administration and staff)	June-26	Annually	Other	Electronic copy available upon request	Primary: Brad Woody, Clemson University Athletics	No change	
New degree programs and terminated programs		Detailed proposals for new certificates and degree programs require approval from the CHE.		Other	South Carolina state agency or agencies	Available on another website	Primary: Jeremy King, Clemson University Institutional Effectiveness ; Secondary: Rob Essaf, Clemson University Institutional Effectiveness	No change	This report submission is ongoing.
New Hire Reporting - Various States	43-5-598	Reporting required information on newly hired or rehired employees with-in 20 days of employee start date to be in compliance with section 43-5-598 of the SC Code of Laws and 42 USC Sec. 653a as part of the Personal Responsibility and Work Opportunity Reconciliation Act of 1966 (Federal Welfare Reform). Includes South Carolina reporting and any reporting for other states as necessary.	June-26	Other	Legislative entity or entities AND South Carolina state agency or agencies	Electronic copy available upon request	Primary: Stefanie Cram, Clemson University Payroll ; Secondary: Raymond Collins, Clemson University Payroll	No change	
NIH OBA Annual Report	99-158	OLAW requires annual updates including program changes, semiannual program evaluations and facility inspections	November-25	Annually	Entity within federal government	Electronic copy available upon request	Primary: Robin Tyndall, Director Clemson University Office of Research Compliance ; Secondary: n/a	No change	
NPDES Annual Discharge Monitoring Reports per Reg 61-9 Section 122.5. State Permit NPDES SC0034843 & SC0022004.		WWTP Discharge Information and CEF Condenser Water Discharge Information due electronically on the 28th of each month	June-26	Monthly	South Carolina state agency or agencies	Electronic copy available upon request	Primary: Todd Barnette, Clemson University Facilities Support Services ; Secondary: Tony Putnam, Clemson University Campus Utilities	No change	
NPDES for Small Municipal Separate Storm Sewer Systems (MS4s), SCR03000, State Permit SC037706	48-1-10	Report program and compliance to SCDHEC. Renewal application due every five years with issuance of new state general permit. Clean Water Act Reg 61-9 Section 48-1-10	March-26	Annually	South Carolina state agency or agencies	Electronic copy available upon request	Primary: Todd Barnette, Clemson University Facilities Support Services ; Secondary: Tony Putnam, Clemson University Campus Utilities	No change	
NPDES for Storm Water Discharges Associated with Industrial Activities, SCR00000, WWTP - State Permit SC004965	48-1-10	Maintain Monthly and Annual Inspections onsite for SCDHEC reviews for the Waste Water Treatment Facility. Clean Water Act Reg 61-9 Section 48-1-10	June-26	Annually	South Carolina state agency or agencies	Electronic copy available upon request	Primary: Todd Barnette, Clemson University Facilities Support Services ; Secondary: Tony Putnam, Clemson University Campus Utilities	No change	
NPDES for Storm Water Discharges Associated with Industrial Activities,SCR00000, C&D Landfill - State Permit SC001128	48-1-10	Maintain Monthly and Annual Inspections onsite for SCDHEC reviews for the Waste Water Treatment Facility. Clean Water Act Reg 61-9 Section 48-1-10	June-26	Annually	South Carolina state agency or agencies	Electronic copy available upon request	Primary: Todd Barnette, Clemson University Facilities Support Services ; Secondary: Dave VanDeventer, Clemson University Campus Recycling	No change	

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NRC Form 742. Material Balance Report		Special Nuclear Material received, produced, possessed, transferred, consumed, disposed of, or lost.	February-26	Annually	Entity within federal government	Electronic copy available upon request	Primary: Jim Grieger, Clemson University Occupational and Env Safety ; Secondary: n/a	No change	
NRC Form 742C. Physical Inventory Listing		Physical Inventory of Special Nuclear Material	February-26	Annually	Entity within federal government	Electronic copy available upon request	Primary: Jim Grieger, Clemson University Occupational and Env Safety ; Secondary: n/a	No change	
Organizational Charts	Section 117.45 of the 2025-2026 Appropriations Act (Organizational Charts) and S.C. Code Section 1-1-970	Section 117.45 of the 2025-20126 Appropriations Act (Organizational Charts) and S.C. Code Section 1-1-970 - Departments and institutions of state government shall furnish to the Human Resources Division (1) a current personnel organizational chart annually no later than September first. showing all authorized positions, class title, class code, position number and indications as to whether such positions are filled or vacant. In addition, the organizational chart shall clearly identify those employees who are exempt from the State Employee Grievance Procedure Act.	August-25	Annually	South Carolina state agency or agencies	Electronic copy available upon request	Primary: Ale Kennedy, Clemson University HR ; Secondary: Ashley Love, Clemson University HR	No change	
Other Funds Survey		Annual reporting of revenues, expenses, and balances information by state funds.	November-25	Annually	South Carolina state agency or agencies	Electronic copy available upon request	Primary: David Bailey, Clemson University Budget Office ; Secondary: Wendy Hapeshis, Clemson University Accounting Services	No change	
Payroll Report		Annual reporting of various data used to determine workers compensation annual premiums. Data reported includes: - Summary page showing Number of Employees by WC class codes and reported payroll - Summary page showing university contacts for executive, premium, safety and claims personnel - Copies of 941's - Patient Contact Courses showing total number of students enrolled in course where students come in contact with medical patients - Submission of Application for Drug and Alcohol Free Workplace Premium Credit Program - Aircraft Information - Pilot information - Fire/EMS Volunteer Roster - Emergency Response Student Roster, showing students with an academic EMR practicum - Foreign Travel Report listing faculty and staff who left the country for business related travel	August-25	Annually	South Carolina state agency or agencies	Electronic copy available upon request	Primary: Stefanie Cram, Clemson University Payroll ; Secondary: Raymond Collins, Clemson University Payroll	No change	
Permanent Improvement Project Report	Section 2-47-52(B)	Data on projects with budgets between $1M and $10M for the prior fiscal year	November-25	Annually	South Carolina state agency or agencies	Electronic copy available upon request	Primary: Sarah Sanders, Business Intelligence ; Secondary: Dionne Simmons, Clemson University Accounting Services Noah Sherrill, Clemson University Accounting Services	Add	
Peterson's Annual Survey		The purpose is to college information about financial aid provided to various groups of undergraduate students and military/veteran benefits.	July-25	Annually	Other	Electronic copy available upon request	Primary: Elizabeth Milam, Director of Student Financial Aid ; Secondary: Jennifer Williams, Senior Associate Director of Student Financial Aid	No change	

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Pooled Fringe Rate Submission		Projected salaries and expenses by pooled fringe category, each of which is compiled of several benefit program codes, for the submission year. These projections are based two-year prior actuals plus adjustments for expected changes. (i.e. FY21 is based on FY19)	December-25	Annually	Entity within federal government	Available on agency's website	http://www.clemson.edu/finance/controller/rates/	No change	
Proviso 105.5 - Special Study of Long-Term Obligations		Required by the Office of the State Auditor	August-25	Annually	Other	Electronic copy available upon request	Primary: Dionne Simmons, Clemson University Accounting Services; Secondary: Noah Sherrill, Clemson University Accounting Services	No change	
Proviso 11.15 - Abatements	59-112-70	Total number of out-of-state undergraduate students during prior fiscal year that received abatement of rates pursuant to Section 59-112-70 of the 1976 Code as well as the total dollar amount of abatements received.	October-25	Annually	South Carolina state agency or agencies	Electronic copy available upon request	Primary: Jeremy King, Clemson University Institutional Effectiveness ; Secondary: Juan Xu, Clemson University Institutional Research	No change	
Proviso 11.16 - Outstanding Institutional Debt		Data on all outstanding institutional debt for the Institution.	October-25	Annually	South Carolina state agency or agencies	Electronic copy available upon request	Primary: Sarah Sanders, Business Intelligence ; Secondary: Dionne Simmons, Clemson University Accounting Services Noah Sherrill, Clemson University Accounting Services	No change	
Proviso 118.6 - Prohibition of Public Funded Lobbyists		Completion of Lobbyists' Principal Certification Form - Disclosure Report	June-26	Annually	South Carolina state agency or agencies	Electronic copy available upon request	https://apps.sc.gov/LobbyingActivity/Principal/SA/Reports.aspx	No change	
Quarterly MBE Report		Procurement activity on state certified MBE suppliers	April-26	Quarterly	Governor or Lt. Governor	Available on another website	https://smbcc.sc.gov/resources.html	No change	
Quarterly Procurement Reports		Procurement activity for reporting period to include sole sources, emergency procurements, contract purchases, etc…	May-26	Quarterly	South Carolina state agency or agencies	Available on another website	https://procurement.sc.gov/audit/reports#ditem-1293	No change	
Real Property Management Data Report	Section 1-11-58	Real property management data for all University owned property and buildings.	June-26	Annually	South Carolina state agency or agencies	Electronic copy available upon request	Primary: Laura Stoner, Clemson University Land & Capital Asset Stewardship ; Secondary: n/a	No change	

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Recovered Materials Processing Facility per S.C. Solid Waste Policy and Management Act of 1991	S.C. Solid Waste Policy and Management Act of 1991	Requires all universities to report their recycling efforts September 15 each year using Re-TRAC.	September-25	Annually	South Carolina state agency or agencies	Electronic copy available upon request	Primary: Dave VanDeventer, Solid Waste & Recycling Manager; Secondary: Jacob Kiser, Recycling Operations Supervisor	No change	
Request for Matching Gift Funds		Agency report for matching gift funds under the Academic Incentive Act of 1997	October-25	Annually	South Carolina state agency or agencies	Electronic copy available upon request	Primary: Alice Evatt, Clemson University Advancement - Finance & Admin Secondary: Jenna Smith, Clemson University Foundation	Amend	Contact update.
Research Misconduct Report	42 C.F.R. Part §93.301	Federal regulation (42 C.F.R. Part §93.301) requires annual reporting of research misconduct allegations and investigations and confirmation of a compliant misconduct policy related to Public Health Services funding.	August-25	Annually	Entity within federal government	Electronic copy available upon request	Primary: Robin Tyndall, Director Clemson University Office of Research Compliance ; Secondary: n/a	No change	
Research Misconduct Report	65 Fed. Reg. 76,260	Federal regulation (65 Fed. Reg. 76,260) requires annual reporting of research misconduct activity and confirmation of a compliant misconduct policy related to US-DoEd funding.	April-26	Annually	Entity within federal government	Electronic copy available upon request	Primary: Robin Tyndall, Director Clemson University Office of Research Compliance ; Secondary: n/a	No change	
Retirement Incentive Program	S.C. Code Sections 9-1-1140 (I) and 9-11-50 (I)	Allows for state agencies to purchase service credit on behalf of employees of the South Carolina Retirement System (SCRS) or the Police Officers Retirement System (PORS), respectively. Agencies may purchase service credit pursuant to these statutory provisions as an incentive for employees to retire as part of the Retirement Incentive Program. Agencies that implement a Retirement Incentive Program in the preceding fiscal year must report information by Aug. 15 of the current fiscal year. Agencies must complete the Reporting Form on the DSHR website and submit it to DSHR.	August-25	Annually	South Carolina state agency or agencies	Available on agency's website	Primary: Ale Kennedy, Clemson University HR ; Hyperlinks- https://www.admin.sc.gov/sites/admin/files/Documents/StateHR/RIP_Guidelines.pdf and https://www.admin.sc.gov/services/state-human-resources/hr-resources/reporting-record-keeping.	No change	Per State guidance, since there was no cost savings only a notification was submitted, rather than a report.
Retirement Reporting		"Monthly remittance of liability. Quarterly reporting of employee earnings and withholdings for employee retirement service credit. Adjustments as needed."	June-26	Monthly	South Carolina state agency or agencies	Electronic copy available upon request	Primary: Stefanie Cram, Clemson University Payroll ; Secondary: Raymond Collins, Clemson University Payroll	No change	
Rule 15c2-12 Disclosures - Athletics Facilities Revenue Bonds		Required to post a copy of the University's CAFR and an Annual Report for Athletic Facilities Revenue Bonds to the Municipal Securities Rulemaking Board website accessible to bond holders	January-26	Annually	Entity within federal government	Available on another website	Primary: Dionne Simmons, Clemson University Accounting Services; Secondary: Noah Sherrill, Clemson University Accounting Services; Hyperlink- http://emma.msrb.org/ContinuingDisclosureView/ContinuingDisclosureDetails.aspx?submissionId=EA570736	No change	

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Rule 15c2-12 Disclosures - Revenue Bonds		Required to post a copy of the University's ACFR and an Annual Report for Revenue Bonds to the Municipal Securities Rulemaking Board website accessible to bond holders	January-26	Annually	Entity within federal government	Available on another website	Primary: Dionne Simmons, Clemson University Accounting Services; Secondary: Noah Sherrill, Clemson University Accounting Services; Hyperlink-http://emma.msrb.org/ContinuingDisclosureView/ContinuingDisclosureDetails.aspx?submissionId=ES617245	No change	
SACSCOC Enrollment Profile		Summarized enrollment data reported to University's regional accreditation agency	November-25	Annually	Other	Electronic copy available upon request	Primary: Jeremy King, Clemson University Institutional Effectiveness ; Secondary: Juan Xu, Clemson University Institutional Research	No change	
Safe Water Drinking Act State Permit SC 3910006		Various reports including annual summary of all water sampling and violations. Submit to all water customers.	May-26	Annually	South Carolina state agency or agencies	Electronic copy available upon request	Primary: Todd Barnette, Clemson University Facilities Support Services ; Secondary: Tony Putnam, Clemson University Campus Utilities	No change	
Salary Supplements	Section 93.3 (Compensation - Reporting of Supplemental Salaries) of the 2025-2026 Appropriations Act	Section 93.3 (Compensation - Reporting of Supplemental Salaries) of the 2025-2026 Appropriations Act requires that agencies report to DSHR information on all salary supplements paid to employees during the preceding fiscal year on or before Aug. 31 of each year. Agencies may also report this information at any time throughout the year. Salary supplements include any compensation, excluding travel reimbursement, from an affiliated public charity, foundation, clinical faculty practice plan or other public source or any supplement from a private source. For reporting purposes, SCEIS agencies must complete infotype 0185 to include the ID type (Supplemental Salary) in order for the salary supplement information to be reported to DSHR. Higher education agencies must complete the Salary Supplement Reporting Form found on the website and submit it to DSHR.	August-25	Annually	South Carolina state agency or agencies	Available on agency's website	Primary: Ale Kennedy, Clemson University HR https://www.admin.sc.gov/services/state-human-resources/classification-compensation/types-pay	No change	
SC Energy Office Agency Report [Annual Energy Report]	48-52-610	SC Code (§48-52-610 through 680 and §48-52-910) agency annual reports on energy consumption and efforts to reduce energy consumption in the past fiscal	September-25	Annually	South Carolina state agency or agencies	Electronic copy available upon request	Primary: Todd Barnette, Clemson University Facilities Support Services ; Secondary: Tony Putnam, Clemson University Campus Utilities	No change	
SC State Treasurer's Revenue Remittance Form	SC Code §14-1-208	Required by State Treasurer's Office	June-26	Monthly	South Carolina state agency or agencies	Electronic copy available upon request	Primary: Lindsey Satterfield Simmons; Chief Judge/Director ; Secondary: Erin Thomas, Director, Budgets & Financial Planning	No change	
Southern Association of Colleges and Schools Commission on Colleges (SACSCOC) - Compliance Certification		Required by accreditation agency		Every 10 years	Other	Electronic copy available upon request	Primary: Jeremy King, Clemson University Institutional Effectiveness ; Secondary: Rob Essaf, Clemson University Institutional Effectiveness	No change	Next reported will be submitted in Fall 2032.

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Southern Association of Colleges and Schools Commission on Colleges (SACSCOC) - Financial Profile		Summarized financial data reported to University's regional accreditation agency		Annually	Other	Electronic copy available upon request	Primary: Dionne Simmons, Clemson University Accounting Services ; Secondary: Jeremy King, Clemson University Institutional Effectiveness	No change	Submitted July 2026
Southern Association of Colleges and Schools Commission on Colleges (SACSCOC) - Focused Report		Required by accreditation agency		Every 10 years	Other	Electronic copy available upon request	Primary: Jeremy King, Clemson University Institutional Effectiveness ; Secondary: Rob Essaf, Clemson University Institutional Effectiveness	No change	Next reported will be submitted in Spring 2033
Spending Transparency Report		Searchable website containing three-plus years of data detailing University expenditures by month or by vendor updated monthly	June-26	Monthly	South Carolina state agency or agencies	Available on agency's website	https://transpend.app.clemson.edu	No change	
Standard & Poor's College/University Questionnaire		Financial and demographic data	November-25	Annually	Other	Electronic copy available upon request	Primary: Sarah Sanders, Business Intelligence ; Secondary: Dionne Simmons, Clemson University Accounting Services Noah Sherrill, Clemson University Accounting Services	No change	
State ADEPT Report	SS 59-26-30, 59-26-40, SC Reg 43-205.1	Annual Plan for teacher education with program evaluation and assurances	June-26	Annually	South Carolina state agency or agencies	Electronic copy available upon request	Primary: Michelle Cook, Clemson University College of Education ; Secondary: Kent Ellison, Clemson University College of Education	No change	
State ADEPT Report (counselor education)	SS 59-26-30, 59-26-40, SC Reg 43-205.1	Annual Plan for counselor education with program evaluation and assurances	June-26	Annually	South Carolina state agency or agencies	Electronic copy available upon request	Primary: Michelle Cook, Clemson University College of Education ; Secondary: Kent Ellison, Clemson University College of Education	No change	
State Closing Package		Required by the Comptroller General's Office to assist in the preparation of the Statewide CAFR	October-25	Annually	South Carolina state agency or agencies	Electronic copy available upon request	Primary: Dionne Simmons, Clemson University Accounting Services ; Secondary: Noah Sherrill, Clemson University Accounting Services	No change	
State Travel Report for CU and PSA	Proviso 117.26	Required by the State Comptroller General's Office	September-25	Annually	Other	Electronic copy available upon request	Primary: Beverly Leeper, Clemson University Accounting Services; Secondary: Sherri Rowland, Clemson University Accounting Services	No change	

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Statement of Economic Interest		The statement/report provides information on Source (salary, wages, etc.) and type of any private income in the previous year by the filer or a member of the filer's immediate family. Immediate family means a child residing in the household, a spouse, or an individual claimed as a dependent for income tax purposes, etc.	April-26	Annually	South Carolina state agency or agencies	Available on another website	https://ethicsfiling.sc.gov/public/statement-economic-interests	No change	
Student Financial Aid - EZ Audit		Expenditures of Federal Student Aid	March-26	Annually	Entity within federal government	Available on another website	https://ezaudit.ed.gov/EZWebApp/IntroWarn.do	No change	Last report submitted September 2022. Next report not due until fall 2032.
Telecommuting	State Telecommuting Guidelines	The South Carolina State Employee Telecommuting Guidelines require agencies to report their utilization of telecommuting to DSHR. SCEIS agency employees must record all regular telecommuting hours in SCEIS using the telecommuting attendance type (1090). All agencies must submit a complete Telecommuting Reporting Form to DSHR by Aug. 15. Per the Telecommuting Toolkit, intermittent and emergent instances of telecommuting do not require a formal agreement and therefore should not be included on the Telecommuting Reporting Form. An update in September 2025 shifted the reporting cadence to Quarterly, which replaced the former annual report.	April-26	Quarterly	South Carolina state agency or agencies	Available on agency's website	Primary: Ale Kennedy, Clemson University HR ; Secondary: Jennifer McCaskill Hyperlink: https://www.admin.sc.gov/services/state-human-resources/hr-resources/model-policies-guidelines	Amend	The annual report was due on August 15, 2025 and was submitted on 8/14/2025. The state subsequently changed the reporting frequency to quarterly beginning in January 2026, and quarterly submissions were provided on 1/14/2026 and 4/15/2026.
Tier II	EPA EPCRA Section 312	Provide State, Tribal and the Public with specific information on potential hazards at facilities by March 1 of each year	February-26	Annually	South Carolina state agency or agencies	Electronic copy available upon request	Primary: Jim Grieger, Clemson University Occupational and Env Safety ; Secondary: n/a	No change	
Total FTEs and Vacant FTEs		FTE counts, including vacant FTE's. Breakout of vacant FTE's that are actively being recruited (part of House Ways & Means presentation).	January-26	Annually	Legislative entity or entities AND South Carolina state agency or agencies	Electronic copy available upon request	Primary: Kelly Collins, Clemson University Office of Financial Planning ; Secondary: David Bailey, Clemson University Office of Financial Planning	No change	
Tower Proviso - 8.4 (ETV: Wireless Communications Tower)	Part 1B Section 8 - H670	Non-proviso tower revenues for state owned towers, buildings, water towers, and state owned property	September-25	Annually	South Carolina state agency or agencies	Electronic copy available upon request	Primary: Laura Stoner, Clemson University Land & Capital Asset Stewardship ; Secondary: n/a	No change	
University Financial Statements External Audit		External audit on Clemson University financial statements, in financial report document	September-25	Annually	Other	Available on agency's website	https://www.clemson.edu/finance/controller/annualreports/	No change	

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US News & World Report Best Colleges Survey		The purpose is to college information about financial aid provided to various groups of undergraduate students and military/veteran benefits.	June-26	Annually	Other	Electronic copy available upon request	Primary: Jeremy King, Clemson University Institutional Effectiveness ; Secondary: Juan Xu, Clemson University Institutional Research	No change	
US News and World Report Finance Survey		Finance related data	June-26	Annually	Other	Electronic copy available upon request	Primary: Dionne Simmons, Clemson University Accounting Services; Secondary: Noah Sherrill, Clemson University Accounting Services	No change	Per State guidance, since there was no cost savings only a notification was submitted, rather than a report.
USDA Cooperative State Research and Education Centers - SF-425 Annual Report	2 CFR 200.327	Summary of Federal agricultural research and extension expenditures prepared by the Public Service Activities Financial Office and reviewed by the University Controller's Office	January-26	Annually	Entity within federal government	Electronic copy available upon request	Primary: Melissa Kelley, Clemson University PSA ; Secondary: n/a	No change	
USDOE EIA-923 Power Plant Operations Report	93-275	FEA Act of 1974 (Public Law 93-275). The survey Form EIA-923 collects detailed electric power data -- monthly -- on electricity generation, fuel consumption, fossil fuel stocks, and receipts at the power plant and prime mover level	May-26	Monthly	Entity within federal government	Electronic copy available upon request	Primary: Todd Barnette, Clemson University Facilities Support Services ; Secondary: Tony Putnam, Clemson University Campus Utilities	No change	
USDOE EIA-923 Supplement Report [Annual Electric Generator Report]	93-275	FEA Act of 1974 (Public Law 93-275). The survey Form EIA-923 collects detailed electric power data -- annually -- on electricity generation, fuel consumption, fossil fuel stocks, and receipts at the power plant and prime mover level	May-26	Annually	Entity within federal government	Electronic copy available upon request	Primary: Todd Barnette, Clemson University Facilities Support Services ; Secondary: Tony Putnam, Clemson University Campus Utilities	No change	
Vets 4212		Information on hiring and employment of veterans		Annually	Entity within federal government	Electronic copy available upon request	Primary: Jeremy King, Clemson University Institutional Effectiveness ; Secondary: Juan Xu, Clemson University Institutional Research	No change	Access to portal to submit was requested, but gov't agency never granted access. Request resubmitted.
Voluntary Separation Program	Section 117.32 (Voluntary Separation Incentive Program) of the 2025-2026 Appropriations Act	Allows agencies to implement a program to provide a separation incentive payment to employees who voluntarily separate from state employment. Agencies that implement a Voluntary Separation Incentive Program in the preceding fiscal year must have reported information by Aug. 15 of the current fiscal year. Agencies must complete the Reporting Form on the DSHR website and submit it to DSHR.	August-25	Annually	South Carolina state agency or agencies	Available on agency's website	Primary: Ale Kennedy, Clemson University HR ; Hyperlinks- https://www.admin.sc.gov/sites/admin/files/Documents/StateHR/VSP_Guidelines.pdf and https://www.admin.sc.gov/services/state-human-resources/hr-resources/reporting-record-keeping.	No change	Per State guidance, since there was no cost savings only a notification was submitted, rather than a report.

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Water Use Report per SC Surface Water Withdrawal, Permitting, Use and Reporting Act. Title 49, Chapter 4 of the SC Code of Laws. State Permit NPDES SC0022004		Monthly water withdrawals from Lake Hartwell. Submit annual report to SCDHEC by January 31. *Beginning January 1, 2011, anyone withdrawing more that 3 million gallons or more in any 1 month from surface waters of SC must obtain a surface water withdrawal permit or, for agricultural withdrawals, register their withdrawal with the Department unless exempt under the Act	January-26	Annually	South Carolina state agency or agencies	Electronic copy available upon request	Primary: Todd Barnette, Clemson University Facilities Support Services ; Secondary: Tony Putnam, Clemson University Campus Utilities	No change	
Workforce and Applicant Analysis		Workforce Analysis and Applicant Information	November-25	Annually	South Carolina state agency or agencies	Electronic copy available upon request	Primary: Jeremy King, Clemson University Institutional Effectiveness ; Secondary: Juan Xu, Clemson University Institutional Research	No change	

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Accountability Report

SUBMISSION FORM

I have reviewed and approved the data submitted by the agency in the following templates:

- Data Template
  - Reorganization and Compliance
  - FY2026 Strategic Plan Results
  - FY2027 Strategic Plan Development
  - Legal
  - Services
  - Partnerships
  - Report or Review
  - Budget
- Discussion Template
- Organizational Template

I have reviewed and approved the financial report summarizing the agency's budget and actual expenditures, as entered by the agency into the South Carolina Enterprise Information System.

The information submitted is complete and accurate to the extent of my knowledge.

AGENCY DIRECTOR *(SIGN AND DATE)*:	**SIGNATURE ON FILE**	**Signature Received:** 09/10/2026
(TYPE/PRINT NAME):	Benjamin C. Ayers	

BOARD/CMSN CHAIR *(SIGN AND DATE)*:	**SIGNATURE ON FILE**	**Signature Received:** 09/10/2026
(TYPE/PRINT NAME):	Kim A. Wilkerson	