

# The Nass Report



## Wisconsin State Government and the 11th Senate District

May 24, 2021

### State Budget - UW System Tuition Freeze

*Below is a letter I sent this morning to fellow legislators as we work to complete the 2021-2023 biennial budget. I am fighting to preserve the current UW System resident tuition freeze.*

Dear Republican Legislators:

As we consider the UW System and the 2021-23 biennial budget, I have heard a few legislators say the campuses of the UW System have had less issues than previous years. **FALSE!**

I had my staff this morning put together a list of articles (links below) about serious issues of waste, mismanagement and runaway liberalism on the campuses of the UW System from just two media sources (***Madison.com and Campus Reform***). There are more media sources and articles yet to be added to this list which only goes back to May 2020.

The bottom-line for Republicans on the UW-System and the 2021-23 biennial budget:

-The UW System has money to give former top-level administrators little-work golden parachutes. The Republican legislative response is to potentially end the resident tuition freeze. This makes sense – there are so many administrators that need pricey sweetheart deals funded.

-The UW System has flawed bidding processes that cost taxpayers and students more money for procurement and building projects. The Republican legislative response is to potentially end the resident tuition freeze. This makes sense – with so many campuses we can't expect highly paid administrators to worry about waste, mismanagement and ethical concerns in issuing bid awards. They are too busy lining-up their little-work golden parachutes.

-The UW System has plenty of faculty, staff and administrators with a mission to silence conservative views on campus, mandate critical race theory in all facets of campus life and create more *socialist justice warriors* through indoctrination of students. The Republican legislative response is to potentially end the resident tuition freeze and to give the UW system more taxpayer dollars. This makes sense – we need to throw more funding into a system with so many liberals working on destroying the American Dream.

UW System Articles from just two media sources:

May 22, 2021

[Former UW chancellor paid \\$135,000 to work on 'community building,' new degree program | Higher education | madison.com](#)

May 13, 2021

[Audit identifies several errors in bidding process for UW project | Higher education | madison.com](#)

April 27, 2021

[UW-Madison engineering professor who led 'toxic' lab will resign this summer | Higher education | madison.com](#)

April 19, 2021

[Campus Reform | UW Oshkosh hires counseling prof who specializes in 'racial battle fatigue'](#)

April 16, 2021

[Madison residents sue over college financial aid program limited to certain students of color | Higher education | madison.com](#)

April 10, 2021

[Campus Reform | EXCLUSIVE: UW-La Crosse shells out \\$5,000 for speech from transgender activist](#)

April 5, 2021

[Campus Reform | UW Madison sued over alleged social media censorship](#)

March 12, 2021

[UW-Madison plans graduates-only commencement ceremony at Camp Randall | Higher education | madison.com](#)

March 11, 2021

[UW-Madison chancellor apologizes for keeping COVID-19 discussions private | Higher education | madison.com](#)

March 5, 2021

[UW System orders audit into bidding process of a UW-Madison project | Higher education | madison.com](#)

February 25, 2021

[Campus Reform | UW-Madison student gov gets in on the left's 'defund the police' action](#)

February 24, 2021

[Campus Reform | UW profs attempt to explain away devastating free speech survey results](#)

February 15, 2021

[UW-Madison sued for allegedly hiding critical comments from its social media accounts | Higher education | madison.com](#)

February 11, 2021

[U.S. Education Department opens investigation into UW-Milwaukee over foreign funding | Higher education | madison.com](#)

January 21, 2021

[Teaching about Trump: UW-Madison professor whose syllabus drew backlash speaks out | Higher education | madison.com](#)

January 5, 2021

[UW-Madison chancellor signs off on removing rock seen by some as symbol of racism | Higher education | madison.com](#)

December 24, 2020

[UW's \\$125,000 contract with Ray Cross called for written report on diversity, but he never wrote it | Higher education | madison.com](#)

December 18, 2020

[Campus Reform | UW-Madison moves forward with removal of boulder that symbolizes 'anti-blackness'](#)

November 17, 2020

[UW-Madison's patent-licensing arm must pay at least \\$32 million to ex-research partner | Higher education | madison.com](#)

November 5, 2020

[Campus Reform | UW 'surprised' to find that most students aren't racist](#)

October 27, 2020

[Campus Reform | UW-Madison student gov votes to remove Lincoln statue, a 'remnant' of 'white supremacy'](#)

October 13, 2020

[Campus Reform | UW-La Crosse students melt down over 'Trump 2020' chalking](#)

October 7, 2020

[Campus Reform | University of Wisconsin prof: the return of college football is a 'reflection of racism & capitalism'](#)

October 5, 2020

[Campus Reform | EXCLUSIVE VIDEO: UW-Green Bay threatens to shut down conservative organization](#)

September 9, 2020

[Failed UW System presidential search cost \\$216,400.90 | Higher education | madison.com](#)

September 13, 2020

[Amid UW System cuts, ex-president paid full salary to review leadership search process, work on other jobs | Higher education | madison.com](#)

July, 30, 2020

[UW-Madison fined \\$74,000 over care of research animals | Higher education | madison.com](#)

July 24, 2020

[Emails reveal new insight into failed UW System president search | Higher education | madison.com](#)

June 27, 2020

[UW-Madison students call for removal of Abraham Lincoln statue on Bascom Hill | Higher education | madison.com](#)

May 7, 2020

[Update: UW Regents postpone private discussion on universities' pandemic problems | Higher education | madison.com](#)

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