

HOUSE BILL NO. HB0203

Community colleges-safety and security.

Sponsored by: Representative(s) Northrup, Brown, Freeman and
Paxton and Senator(s) Coe, Ellis, Kost, Landen
and Nethercott

A BILL

for

1 AN ACT relating to community colleges; providing an
2 appropriation for community college campus safety and
3 security projects; providing rulemaking authority; and
4 providing for an effective date.

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6 *Be It Enacted by the Legislature of the State of Wyoming:*

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8 **Section 1.** There is appropriated from the general fund
9 to the community college commission six million dollars
10 (\$6,000,000.00) for safety and security improvements to the
11 campuses of the seven (7) Wyoming community colleges. This
12 appropriation shall be for the period beginning with the
13 effective date of this act and ending June 30, 2026.
14 Notwithstanding any other provision of law, these funds shall
15 not be transferred or expended for any other purpose and any

1 unexpended, unobligated funds remaining from this
2 appropriation shall revert as provided by law on June 30,
3 2026. The commission shall endeavor to distribute funds under
4 this section in a manner and at a time to allow for the
5 receipt of other public or private funds. The distribution of
6 funds to the respective community college shall be determined
7 by commission rule and regulation based on the safety
8 priorities determined in consultation with the colleges.

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10 **Section 2.** This act is effective immediately upon
11 completion of all acts necessary for a bill to become law as
12 provided by Article 4, Section 8 of the Wyoming Constitution.

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