***The Missouri Senate Minute* Script
FY ’23 Budget**

The Missouri Senate now has its own version of a state spending plan for the next year.

Missouri senators took approximately four and a half hours to go through not only the 13 bills that comprise the Fiscal Year 2023 state operating budget, but also [House Bill 3015](https://house.mo.gov/Bill.aspx?bill=HB3015&year=2022&code=R), which is the second supplemental budget for the current fiscal year.

Senator Dan Hegeman of Cosby chairs the [Missouri Senate Appropriations Committee](https://www.senate.mo.gov/aprp/)…

 **Hegeman :09 Q: the prior-year correction.**

Missouri’s current fiscal year will end on June 30.

During Tuesday’s discussion on the floor of the Missouri Senate, Sen. Barbara Anne Washington of Kansas City mentions she wants all families to be able to afford college…

 **Washington :10 Q: in our community.**

[House Bill 3003](https://house.mo.gov/Bill.aspx?bill=HB3003&year=2022&code=R) is the higher education budget.

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