

Limitations on the Uses of OCAMP Funds

When other interests intervened regarding higher education's access to these deferred maintenance funds, OSRHE had to offer some concessions (through an MOU) to these interests in order to expedite the release of the funds. One of those new limitations in the MOU is detailed here:

According to the MOU, and with supporting language from 73 O.S., § 188A(E), the OCAMP Fund may only be spent on a project or item that has been included in an applicable five-year plan approved by the Long-Range Capital Planning Commission. The MOU does provide for how to go about making changes to the deferred maintenance projects list at Section 1, Term:

*After this Agreement is executed by OSRHE and OCIA, any additional allocation of OCAMP Fund monies to OSRHE for the Five-Year Plan **and any changes to the specific list of deferred maintenance projects in the Five-Year Plan must be approved by the LRCPC at a public meeting. These changes shall be documented in a revised list, which will be appended to Attachment A along with the approved LRCPC meeting minutes.** The revised list must include a complete record of all deferred maintenance projects for SFY 2026 and 2027 in the Five-Year Plan that have been submitted to the LRCPC for approval. The revised list must clearly separate the following categories:*

- 1. Additional allocation of OCAMP Fund monies after the initial approval on October 2, 2025, including the amount of the additional allocation, the date of LRCPC approval at a public meeting, and the specific deferred maintenance project with which it is associated;*
- 2. Completed projects;*
- 3. Projects added after the initial approval on October 2, 2025*
- 4. Projects removed after the initial approval on October 2, 2025; and*
- 5. Projects whose costs have increased at least ten percent (10%) from the original project estimate, including quantification of the change in cost. [Emphasis added].*