

Streamlining, Accountability, and Local Flexibility

Key 2013 legislation affecting the organization of education

State Board and Commission Consolidation (HB 3120)		
4 State Higher Education Boards (HECC, SBE, SBHE, OSAC)	<i>REDUCED TO</i>	1 Board (HECC) ¹

Agency Streamlining (HB 3231 and HB 3234)		
3 Early Learning State Agencies (ODE, Governor's Office, Employment)	<i>REDUCED TO</i>	1 Agency (ODE)

Containing Administrative Costs (Budget Bills)		
\$960 million increased funding for schools, universities, and communities	<i>VERSUS</i>	\$18 million increased funding for state agency operations

Local Flexibility SB 270
New, local governing boards established for public universities

¹ OSAC is abolished. State-level authority for community colleges is shifted from the State Board of Education to the HECC, with the State Board left to focus on K-12. State-level authority for public universities is shifted from State Board of Higher Education to the HECC, with the SBHE left to focus on local governance of universities without their own boards.