

Here's how Gov. Mark Dayton and the Republican-controlled legislature's budgets, which were passed earlier this year and vetoed by Dayton, differ.

Since he offered his initial budget, Dayton's agreed to an additional \$1.8 billion in spending cuts, but hasn't detailed what he'll trim. Meanwhile, since they passed their spending bills, the GOP has said it will shift \$200 million in tax cuts to spending on education and public safety.

	Dayton	Legislature	Common Ground
K-12	\$14.2 billion , including: - \$32 million for all-day kindergarten. - A cap on teacher pay-for-performance funding. - \$50 per pupil increase.	\$14.1 billion , including: - Additional per pupil funding of \$20 in FY12 and \$21 in FY13. - \$48 million one-time cut to special education. - \$6 million increase for a reading program.	- Delay \$1.4 billion in school funds. - Cut education department administrative funding by 5% - End charter school and magnet school grants.
Higher Ed	\$2.7 billion , including: - A 6% cut to the University of Minnesota's funding. - A 6% cut for MnSCU - Reduced funding to help students pay for child care.	\$2.5 billion , including: - A 19% cut for the University of Minnesota. - A 14% cut for MnSCU.	- Eliminate scholarships for high achieving, low-income students. - Phase-out a state match to help low-income families save for college. - Reduce work study funds.
HHS	\$12 billion , including: - \$875 million in new surcharges on hospitals, nursing homes, etc. - \$251 million in higher Medical Assistance and MinnesotaCare reimbursement rates.	\$10.7 billion , including: - \$700,000 for homelessness programs. - The repeal of Medical Assistance for very poor adults. - Turning some emergency assistance to counties into block grants.	- Increase adoption assistance. - Reduce grants for child protection and mental health services. - Eliminate a program that helps people save for school, house, or business.
Transportation	\$180 million , with no cuts to funding over last year.	\$62 million , including: - 84% reduction for Metro Transit. - \$7 million cut for transit in greater Minnesota.	- A new trunk highway economic development account. - The Better Roads project, which improves roads around the state.
Economic Development	\$165 million , including: - Allowing the economic development department to withhold 5% of pass-through grants to non-profits to cover costs.	\$138 million , including: - A reduction in funding used to help those with disabilities work.	- Cuts to the Minnesota Housing Finance Agency. - Cuts to job training funding. - Increased funding for the Housing Trust Fund.

State Government	\$872.5 million , including: - Funds for examining the efficiency of state government.	\$600 million , including: - 15% reduction in state work force. - Pursuing debt collection to raise revenue.	- Increases in tax compliance. - Cuts to the Minnesota Arts Board and Historical Society. - \$5 million in education funding for military personnel and vets.
Public Safety	\$1.8 billion , including: - 1% increase for advocacy services for abused children and minor parents. - \$3 million increase in funding for housing men at risk of going to prison.	\$1.76 billion , including: - 6% cut to advocacy services for abused children and minor parents. - \$12 million cut for Office of Justice programs.	- Increased funding for public defenders. - \$27 million increase in funding for the Department of Corrections.
Taxes	\$1.8 billion in income tax increases.	- Cuts to state aid could create up to \$534 million in property taxes in the next biennium.	

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