

Architects Board

General Services Fund Group

4K90 891609 Operating Expenses

FY 2006 Actual	FY 2007 Actual	FY 2008 Actual	FY 2009 Actual	FY 2010 Actual	FY 2011 Adj. Approp.
\$458,120	\$428,187	\$532,275	\$513,893	\$444,595	\$550,718
	-6.5%	24.3%	-3.5%	-13.5%	23.9%

Source: General Services Fund Group: License, registration, and judgment fees collected by the state's professional and occupational licensing boards

Legal Basis: ORC 4703.01 and 4743.05; Section 217.10 of Am. Sub. H.B. 1 of the 128th G.A. (originally established by Am. Sub. H.B. 152 of the 120th G.A.)

Purpose: This appropriation is used to support general operating expenses, including payroll, supplies, and equipment for the Architects Board and the State Board of Landscape Architect Examiners. The Architects Board and the State Board of Landscape Architect Examiners are two separate boards that operate under a combined budget and share staff and facilities. Since FY 2008, a small portion of this line item has supported a scholarship program that pays the initial Intern Development Program (IDP) enrollment fee (\$100) for students at Ohio's four accredited schools of architecture. Completion of the IDP is required in order to obtain professional licensure.