

- In FY 2002, Ohioana's collection increased by over 1,100 items through solicited and unsolicited donations

Ohioana Library Association

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ROLE

The Ohioana Library Association was founded in 1929 to encourage and recognize the creative accomplishments of Ohioans. The collection boasts over 41,000 works by or about Ohioans. The collection also includes sheet music, photos, letters, original illustrations and artwork, and original manuscripts. The library recognizes the creative accomplishments through the nine annual Ohioana Awards. In addition, the library publishes the *Ohioana Quarterly*, which includes reviews of new books received by the library, and compiles lists of Ohioans who have received national, regional, or statewide awards for the arts or humanities.

Agency In Brief					
Number of Employees*	Total Appropriations-All Funds		GRF Appropriations		Appropriation Bill(s)
	2004	2005	2004	2005	
5	\$215,000	\$215,000	\$215,000	\$215,000	Am. Sub. H.B. 95

*Employee head count obtained from the Department of Administrative Services (DAS) payroll reports as of June 28, 2003.

OVERVIEW

The Ohioana Library receives GRF funding from the state in the form of a subsidy. The library is housed in the same building as the State Library. The rent on Ohioana's space is paid through State Library Board GRF appropriation item 350-401, Ohioana Rental Payments. The cost of the rent is \$124,816 in each year of the FY 2004 - FY 2005 biennium.

State funds make up approximately 80% of the library's total budget. Private funds from contributions, memberships, and *Ohioana Quarterly* subscriptions make up the remaining 20%. The bulk of the library's funds are used to cover staff salaries. The library collection is primarily received via donation by the author.

In FY 2004, the library's subsidy will be \$215,036, a 2.5% decrease from FY 2003. Ohioana's subsidy is flat funded in FY 2005. 

FY 2004 - 2005 Final Appropriation Amounts

All Fund Group

Line Item Detail by Agency	FY 2001:	FY 2002:	FY 2003:	FY 2004 Appropriations:	% Change 2003 to 2004:	FY 2005 Appropriations:	% Change 2004 to 2005:
Report For: Main Operating Appropriations Bill		Version: Enacted					
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GRF 355-501 Library Subsidy	\$ 398,461	\$ 225,333	\$220,549	\$ 215,036	-2.50%	\$ 215,036	0.00%
General Revenue Fund Total	\$ 398,461	\$ 225,333	\$ 220,549	\$ 215,036	-2.50%	\$ 215,036	0.00%
Ohioana Library Association Total	\$ 398,461	\$ 225,333	\$ 220,549	\$ 215,036	-2.50%	\$ 215,036	0.00%