

**General Services Fund Group**

**4K9 891-609 Operating Expenses**

2004 Actual	2005 Actual	2006 Actual	2007 Actual	2008 Appropriation	2009 Appropriation
\$450,337	\$399,376	\$458,120	\$428,187	<b>\$638,110</b>	<b>\$565,141</b>
	-11.3%	14.7%	-6.5%	<b>49.0%</b>	<b>-11.4%</b>

**Source:** General Services Fund Group: Remuneration including license, registration, and judgment fees collected by the state’s professional and occupational licensing boards

**Legal Basis:** ORC 4703.01 and 4743.05 (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 State Board of Examiners of Architects and the State Board of Landscape Architect Examiners, which are two separate boards that operate under a combined budget and share staff and facilities. While each board meets independently, both boards protect the public by licensing and regulating the professions of architecture and landscape architecture.