

INTRODUCTION

The Ohio General Assembly appropriates moneys to more than 100 departments, boards, commissions, and other agencies. These moneys are appropriated to specific line items of specific funds for each agency. The Legislative Service Commission (LSC) prepares this Catalog of Budget Line Items to provide relevant information on every line item of a state agency. Specifically, the catalog includes a table for each line item that indicates the fund to which the line item belongs, the line item number, the line item title, and a six-year funding history. Following the table is a brief description of each line item, including the revenue source, legal basis, and purpose (see below for an example).

| Fund | Line Item Number | Line Item Title | | | |
|---------------------|---|-----------------------|-------------------|--------------------------|--------------------------|
| GRF | 745401 | Ohio Military Reserve | | | |
| FY 2012 Actual | FY 2013 Actual | FY 2014 Actual | FY 2015 Actual | FY 2016 Appropriation | FY 2017 Appropriation |
| \$9,823 | \$10,890 | \$10,384 | \$10,998 | \$12,308 | \$12,308 |
| | 10.9% | -4.6% | 5.9% | 11.9% | 0.0% |
| Source: | General Revenue Fund | | | | |
| Legal Basis: | Section 205.10 of Am. Sub. H.B. 64 of the 131st G.A. (originally established by Am. Sub. H.B. 283 of the 116th G.A.) | | | | |
| Purpose: | This line item is used to support the training and administrative operations of the Ohio Military Reserve, a voluntary state defense force. The expenses charged against this line item are primarily for supplies and maintenance, principally the cost of meals provided during training. | | | | |

For this 2015 edition, the actual spending amounts for FY 2012 through FY 2015 and appropriations for FY 2016 and FY 2017 are displayed in each line item table. The appropriations for FY 2016 and FY 2017 reflect those made in the As Enacted version of the four operating budget acts of the 131st General Assembly: H.B. 64 (the main operating budget), H.B. 53 (the transportation budget), H.B. 52 (the Bureau of Workers' Compensation budget), and H.B. 51 (the Industrial Commission budget).

In the catalog, each agency's line items are arranged according to the fund groups to which the line items belong. The line items within the General Revenue Fund appear first, followed by the Dedicated Purpose Fund Group, the Internal Service Activity Fund Group, and the Federal Fund Group. In addition to these four major fund groups, line items can also be found in several other, smaller fund groups, such as the State Lottery Fund Group and the Revenue Distribution Fund Group.

In addition to the printed version, the catalog may be viewed on LSC's web site at www.lsc.ohio.gov by clicking on *Budget Bills & Related Documents* and then *Catalog of Budget Line Items* under the *Operating Budgets* heading.