

Court of Claims

General Revenue Fund

GRF 015321 Operating Expenses

2006 Actual	2007 Actual	2008 Actual	2009 Actual	2010 Appropriation	2011 Appropriation
\$2,548,355	\$2,617,810	\$2,603,050	\$2,701,237	\$2,699,369	\$2,780,350
	2.7%	-0.6%	3.8%	-0.1%	3.0%

Source: General Revenue Fund

Legal Basis: Section 251.10 of Am. Sub. H.B. 1 of 128th G.A. (originally established by Am. Sub. H.B. 694 of the 114th G.A., the main operating appropriations act covering FY 1982 and FY 1983)

Purpose: The line item funds the payroll, maintenance, and equipment costs of the Court of Claims' Civil Division.

GRF 015402 Wrongful Imprisonment Compensation

2006 Actual	2007 Actual	2008 Actual	2009 Actual	2010 Appropriation	2011 Appropriation
\$2,357,877	\$4,260,000	\$0	\$772,316	\$0	\$0
	80.7%	-100%	N/A	-100%	N/A

Source: General Revenue Fund

Legal Basis: As needed line item; ORC 2743.48

Purpose: The line item is used to pay a sum of money to those who have been judged wrongfully imprisoned, in addition to reasonable attorney fees and other expenses. When a wrongful imprisonment judgment is journalized, the Controlling Board, upon certification by the Court of Claims, transfers the sum necessary to the line item. Since the Controlling Board provides money for the awards on an as-needed basis, the line item does not receive a direct appropriation through the main operating appropriations act passed by each General Assembly. The necessary funds are typically transferred from moneys appropriated to the Controlling Board for the purpose of assisting state agencies and political subdivisions in responding to disasters and emergency situations.

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State Special Revenue Fund Group

5K20 015603 CLA Victims of Crime

2006 Actual	2007 Actual	2008 Actual	2009 Actual	2010 Appropriation	2011 Appropriation
\$1,221,627	\$1,362,488	\$1,350,493	\$1,342,666	\$1,582,684	\$1,582,684
	11.5%	-0.9%	-0.6%	17.9%	0.0%

Source: State Special Revenue Fund Group: Cash transferred by the Director of Budget and Management from the Office of the Attorney General's Victims of Crime Fund (Fund 4020), also known as the Reparations Fund

Legal Basis: ORC 2743.531; Section 251.10 of Am. Sub. H.B. 1 of 128th G.A. (originally established by Am. Sub. S.B. 153 of the 123rd G.A.)

Purpose: The fund and related line item are used to pay for the Court of Claims' appellate role in the Victims of Crime Compensation Program. Specifically, the fund pays for: (1) the compensation of judges of the Court of Claims necessary to hear and determine appeals from the Office of the Attorney General, and (2) the compensation of any personnel of the Court of Claims needed to administer ORC 2743.51 through 2743.72.