

Ohio Elections Commission

General Revenue Fund

GRF 051321 Operating Expenses

FY 2018 Actual	FY 2019 Actual	FY 2020 Actual	FY 2021 Actual	FY 2022 Appropriation	FY 2023 Appropriation
\$418,774	\$427,496	\$436,420	\$404,282	\$394,765	\$394,765
% change	2.1%	2.1%	-7.4%	-2.4%	0.0%

Source: General Revenue Fund

Legal Basis: ORC 3517.152; Section 267.10 of H.B. 110 of the 134th G.A.

Purpose: This line item is used to pay for most of the Ohio Election Commission's personnel, maintenance, and equipment costs. A portion of these expenses is also funded under Fund 4P20 line item 051601, Operating Support. The Commission hears approximately 800 to 1,000 cases annually. The cases typically involve complaints brought against individual candidates, campaign committees, political action committees, or corporations that are required to file financial reports.

Dedicated Purpose Fund Group

4P20 051601 Operating Support

FY 2018 Actual	FY 2019 Actual	FY 2020 Actual	FY 2021 Actual	FY 2022 Appropriation	FY 2023 Appropriation
\$152,133	\$168,413	\$145,316	\$184,388	\$207,460	\$207,460
% change	10.7%	-13.7%	26.9%	12.5%	0.0%

Source: Dedicated Purpose Fund Group: Filing fee revenue from declarations of candidacy, as well as ballot questions and issues; fine revenue derived from violations of Ohio's election laws

Legal Basis: ORC 3517.152; Section 267.10 of H.B.110 of the 134th G.A.

Purpose: This line item is used to supplement GRF funding for the operating expenses of the Ohio Elections Commission.