# **Ohio State Racing Commission**

## **Dedicated Purpose Fund Group**

## 5620 875601 Thoroughbred Development

FY 2020	FY 2021	FY 2022	FY 2023	FY 2024	FY 2025
Actual	Actual	Actual	Actual	Appropriations	Appropriations
\$951,601 % change	\$862,844 -9.3%	\$973,257 12.8%	\$904,599 -7.1%	\$1,100,000 21.6%	\$1,100,000 0.0%

**Source:** Dedicated Purpose Fund Group: 1.125% of pari-mutuel wagering on thoroughbred

racing and 0.625% of pari-mutuel wagering on quarter horse wagering, or lesser amounts on a prorated basis if sufficient funds from the tax are not available; a percentage (that changes annually) of pari-mutuel wagering on commercial harness racing; an additional 0.25% of exotic wagering paid by thoroughbred and quarter horse racing permit holders; a tiered percentage of moneys wagered on simulcast programs

featuring thoroughbred racing

**Legal Basis:** R.C. 3769.08, 3769.083 and 3769.087; Section 379.10 of H.B. 33 of the 135th G.A.

**Purpose:** This line item is used to enhance and promote the thoroughbred racing industry in

Ohio by providing purse subsidies, supplements for winning Ohio horses competing with out-of-state horses, broodmare and stallion awards for breeders of winning horses, and equine research funds. In addition, a portion supports quarter horse

development and purses.

#### 5630 875602 Standardbred Development

FY 2020 Actual	FY 2021 Actual	FY 2022 Actual	FY 2023 Actual	FY 2024 Appropriations	FY 2025 Appropriations
\$1,431,099	\$1,286,205	\$1,481,367	\$874,394	\$1,400,000	\$1,400,000
% change	-10.1%	15.2%	-41.0%	60.1%	0.0%

**Source:** Dedicated Purpose Fund Group: 1.125% of pari-mutuel wagering on harness racing or a

lesser amount on a prorated basis if sufficient funds from the tax are not available; 0.25% of exotic wagering on harness racing; fees assessed for the Ohio Sires Stakes races; a tiered percentage of moneys wagered on simulcast programs featuring

harness or quarter horse racing

**Legal Basis:** R.C. 3769.08, 3769.085, and 3769.087; Section 379.10 of H.B. 33 of the 135th G.A.

**Purpose:** This line item is used to supplement standardbred purses, thereby encouraging

breeding and racing, and to provide equine research funds.

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5650 875604	Racing Comn	nission Operating			
FY 2020	FY 2021	FY 2022	FY 2023	FY 2024	FY 2025
Actual	Actual	Actual	Actual	Appropriations	Appropriations
\$3,370,817 % change	\$3,393,884 0.7%	\$3,755,827 10.7%	\$3,533,887 -5.9%	\$4,210,497 19.1%	\$4,210,497 0.0%

**Source:** Dedicated Purpose Fund Group: 0.25% of thoroughbred, harness, and quarter horse

pari-mutuel wagering or a lesser amount on a prorated basis if sufficient funds from the tax are not available, plus an additional 1% of exotic wagering, plus all license and

permit fees paid by persons engaged in racing

**Legal Basis:** R.C. 3769.03, 3769.08, and 3769.087; Section 379.10 of H.B. 33 of the 135th G.A.

**Purpose:** This line item funds the operating expenses of the Commission.

## 5JK0 875610 Horse Racing Development - Casino

FY 2020	FY 2021	FY 2022	FY 2023	FY 2024	FY 2025
Actual	Actual	Actual	Actual	Appropriations	Appropriations
\$6,408,521	\$3,859,632	\$14,378,914	\$9,939,914	\$10,500,000	\$10,500,000
% change	-39.8%	272.5%	-30.9%	5.6%	0.0%

**Source:** Dedicated Purpose Fund Group: 3% of the receipts from the 33% tax on gross casino

revenue

Legal Basis: R.C. 5753.03; Section 379.10 of H.B. 33 of the 135th G.A. (fund originally established by

H.B. 519 of the 128th G.A.; line item originally established by H.B. 153 of the 129th

G.A.)

**Purpose:** This line item is used to support horse racing in Ohio at locations where the pari-

mutuel system of wagering is conducted, to support purses, breeding programs, and

operations.

#### 5NL0 875611 Revenue Redistribution

FY 2020	FY 2021	FY 2022	FY 2023	FY 2024	FY 2025
Actual	Actual	Actual	Actual	Appropriations	Appropriations
\$7,976,449	\$10,052,610	\$9,268,465	\$11,312,975	\$10,500,000	\$10,500,000
% change	26.0%	-7.8%	22.1%	-7.2%	0.0%

**Source:** Dedicated Purpose Fund Group: 9% to 11% of video lottery terminal (VLT) revenue,

pursuant to agreements between race track permit holders and horsemen's

associations, or as directed by rule

Legal Basis: R.C. 3769.087; Section 379.10 of H.B. 33 of the 135th G.A. (originally established by

H.B. 386 of the 129th G.A. and by Controlling Board on May 20, 2013)

**Purpose:** This line item is used to distribute VLT revenue for the benefit of horse breeding and

racing in Ohio, including to support purses and RAC operations at racing facilities and

fairs across the state.

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# **Fiduciary Fund Group**

## 5C40 875607 Simulcast Horse Racing Purse

FY 2020	FY 2021	FY 2022	FY 2023	FY 2024	FY 2025
Actual	Actual	Actual	Actual	Appropriations	Appropriations
\$5,009,287 % change	\$4,636,537 -7.4%	\$4,962,324 7.0%	\$4,395,947 -11.4%	\$5,500,000 25.1%	\$5,500,000 0.0%

**Source:** Fiduciary Fund Group: A percentage, as determined by the tax rate applicable on each

type of bet, of: a) Purse money from wagering on intrastate and interstate simulcast racing by a permit holder operating as a simulcast host with no live racing program or as a simulcast guest; b) purse money from amounts wagered at satellite facilities on days when a permit holder serves as a simulcast host for a satellite facility; and c) one-

half of the balance of the commission retained by a satellite facility

**Legal Basis:** R.C. 3769.089, 3769.26; Section 379.10 of H.B. 33 of the 135th G.A. (originally

established by H.B. 561 of the 121st G.A.)

**Purpose:** This line item is used to collect and distribute revenues associated with betting on

simulcast horse racing. The Commission distributes any balance not used in

administration of its simulcast program to supplement purse accounts at commercial

tracks.

## **Holding Account Fund Group**

#### R021 875605 Bond Reimbursements

FY 2020	FY 2021	FY 2022	FY 2023	FY 2024	FY 2025
Actual	Actual	Actual	Actual	Appropriations	Appropriations
\$88,600	\$86,700	\$94,110	\$70,692	\$100,000	\$100,000
% change	-2.1%	8.5%	-24.9%	41.5%	0.0%

**Source:** Holding Account Fund Group: Cash bond deposits from permit holders for performance

bonds and from individuals appealing Commission rulings

Legal Basis: R.C. 3769.05; Section 379.10 of H.B. 33 of the 135th G.A. (originally established by

Controlling Board on December 2, 1985)

**Purpose:** Performance bonds are retained in the fund until racing events have taken place, then

are returned to the permit holders. Bond deposits of individuals appealing rulings are returned if the Commission rules in favor of the appellant, otherwise they are applied

to any fines that may be imposed.