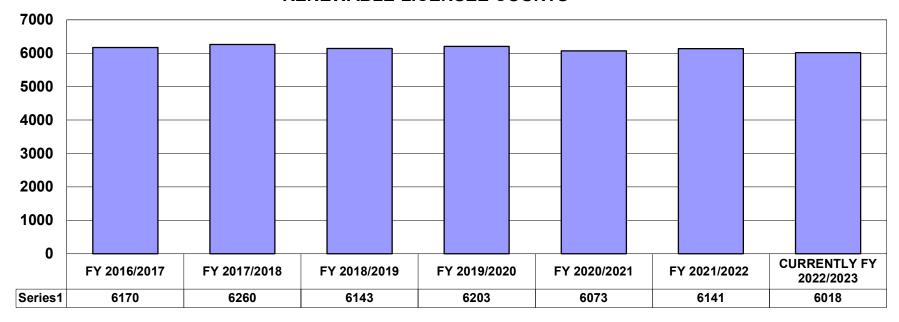
### **Commonwealth of Pennsylvania**

# **DEPARTMENT OF STATE**

# STATE BOARD OF FUNERAL DIRECTORS

FY 2021 - 2022 EXPENDITURES FY 2022 - 2023 BUDGET INFORMATION FY 2023- 2024 BUDGET PLANNING

# STATE BOARD OF FUNERAL DIRECTORS RENEWABLE LICENSEE COUNTS



LICENSEES BY CLASS	FY 19-20	FY 20-21	FY 21-22	FY 22-23
Funeral Director	3,168	3,072	3,126	3,060
Funeral Director - Limited	125	119	125	113
Funeral Supervisor	1,277	1,277	1,287	1,270
Branch	287	281	287	282
Professional Corporation	114	113	112	114
Sole Proprietor	300	292	281	265
Partnership	27	27	28	26
Restricted Business Corporation	794	795	793	784
Widow	15	15	13	12
Pre 1935 Business Corporation	48	49	48	49
Continuing Education Provider	48	33	41	43_
TOTAL	6,203	6,073	6,141	6,018

#### REVENUE BY SOURCE DEFINITIONS

**Renewals**: Revenue collected from license and certificate renewal fees during the renewal period.

<u>Applications</u>: Revenue collected for applications received from candidates for new licensure, certification or registration.

<u>Letters of Good Standing/Certifications</u>: Revenue collected for requests from licensees and certificate holders for Letters of Good Standing and Certifications. These letters and certifications are used by the licensees or certificate holders to send to other jurisdictions to verify that the holder of the license or certificate is in "good standing" with the Commonwealth of PA.

<u>Act 48:</u> Revenue collected from citations issued and civil penalties imposed by the Bureau of Enforcement and Investigation's inspectors for non-compliance to standards found during routine inspections.

<u>Civil Penalties:</u> Revenue deposited as a result of penalties imposed for an offense that violates the Board or Commission's licensing laws and/or regulations.

<u>Licensee List:</u> Revenue collected for licensee list requests from the public through the Bureau of Professional and Occupational Affairs. The information provided on these lists include name, address, license number, county, certification and expiration date.

**Investigations:** Revenue collected for the reimbursement of investigations.

#### **DEPARTMENT OF STATE BUREAU OF PROFESSIONAL AND OCCUPATIONAL AFFAIRS**

#### STATE BOARD OF FUNERAL DIRECTORS FY20 -21 AND FY21 - 22 SOURCES OF REVENUE

REVENUE BY SOURCE	FY20-21 <u>ACTUAL</u>	FY21-22 <u>ACTUAL</u>	BIENNIAL <u>TOTAL</u>
Renewals	22,100.00	2,318,365.00	2,340,465.00
Applications	36,675.00	46,570.00	83,245.00
Letters of Good Standing/Certifications	450.00	785.00	1,235.00
Fines	25,499.36	5,850.00	31,349.36
Act 48	2,000.00	3,600.00	5,600.00
Investigations	7,606.78	2,300.45	9,907.23
Licensee List	<u>10,386.19</u>	<u>4,014.86</u>	<u>14,401.05</u>
TOTAL REVENUE	104,717.33	2,381,485.31	2,486,202.64

Renewal Fees: Renew January even years - last fee increase 2014

- Funeral Director-Limited: \$35 biennially
- Continuing Education Provider: \$50 biennially
   All other licensee classes: \$400 biennially

#### **COST CATEGORY DEFINITIONS**

<u>Board Administration</u>: Timesheet based staff expenses (personnel, operating and fixed assets) for the Commissioner's Office, Operational Support Division, and Licensing Divisions in the Bureau of Professional and Occupational Affairs. Direct charges, such as printing and mailing costs for board and commission renewal notices, informational handouts, Acts, Rules and Regulations are included in this cost category. Operating and fixed asset expenses that are distributed based on their benefit to the board using licensee population, such as PALS, copy paper, staff augmentations for BPOA, Penn Center lobby security, and interagency billings (i.e., Civil Service Commission, Comptroller's Office, etc.).

<u>Departmental Services</u>: Timesheet based charges for support provided by the various support offices within the agency. These include the Executive Office, which consists of offices of the Secretary of the Commonwealth, the Executive Deputy Secretary, the Deputy Secretary of Regulatory Programs, Office of Policy, Office of Chief Counsel, Office of Communications and Press, and Office of Legislative Affairs. In addition, costs are included for Bureau of Finance and Operations and Human Resource/Information Technology Delivery Centers.

<u>Legal Office</u>: Timesheet based staff expenses (personnel, operating and fixed assets) for board counsel, board prosecutors, legal review of policy and regulatory matters, and support staff. Examples of direct charges are expert witness services and advertising costs of license suspensions, revocations or fines assessed.

<u>Hearing Expenses</u>: Timesheet based staff expenses (personnel, operating and fixed assets) for staff assigned to the Hearing Examiners' Office. There are also direct charges for hearing related expenses such as court reporting services.

**Enforcement and Investigation**: Timesheet based staff expenses (personnel, operating and fixed assets) are captured for headquarters and the four regional offices.

**Board Member Expenses** (direct charges): Board member per diem, conference registration fees, travel expenses and membership dues for national professional organizations.

# DEPARTMENT OF STATE BUREAU OF PROFESSIONAL AND OCCUPATIONAL AFFAIRS

#### STATE BOARD OF FUNERAL DIRECTORS

Α	B FY 2020-2021	C FY 2021-2022	D	E FY 2022-2023
COST CATEGORY	ACTUAL EXPENSES	ACTUAL EXPENSES	FY 2022-2023 BUDGET	<b>EXPENSES AS OF 1/27/2023</b>
ADMINISTRATIVE COSTS:				
Board Administration	242,224.21	282,026.84	199,000.00	84,393.61
Departmental Services	28,785.60	29,585.20	30,000.00	22,571.85
Board Member Expenses	4,341.57	6,704.65	10,000.00	2,586.83
LEGAL COSTS:				
Legal Office				
Administration	13,300.23	10,970.24	10,000.00	4,735.76
Prosecution	112,883.88	84,637.34	72,000.00	40,432.29
Counsel	64,808.60	60,275.73	53,000.00	30,421.47
Hearing Expenses	40,397.48	1,202.76	8,000.00	3,642.03
Enforcement and Investigation				
BEI Admin	64,524.38	25,745.45	19,000.00	7,760.43
Investigations	154,990.52	173,249.01	168,000.00	58,103.14
Inspections	321,879.94	296,056.83	343,000.00	207,121.49
TOTAL BOARD COSTS:	1,048,136.41	970,454.05	912,000.00	461,768.90

		PROPOSED				
	ACTUAL	ACTUAL	BUDGET	BUDGET	PROJECTED	PROJECTED
FINANCIAL STATUS	FY 20-21	FY 21-22	FY 22-23	FY 23-24	FY 24-25	FY 25-26
BEGINNING BALANCE:	2,527,966.52	1,584,547.44	2,995,578.70	2,188,578.70	3,523,578.70	2,689,578.70
REVENUE:	104,717.33	2,381,485.31	105,000.00	2,335,000.00	105,000.00	2,335,000.00
TOTAL REVENUE:	2,632,683.85	3,966,032.75	3,100,578.70	4,523,578.70	3,628,578.70	5,024,578.70
EXPENSES/BUDGET:	1,048,136.41	970,454.05	912,000.00	1,000,000.00	939,000.00	1,030,000.00
REMAINING BALANCE:	1,584,547.44	2,995,578.70	2,188,578.70	3,523,578.70	2,689,578.70	3,994,578.70