New Hampshire Public Utilities Commission

EFFICIENCY BUDGET PRESENTATION

APRIL 26, 2021

MISSION

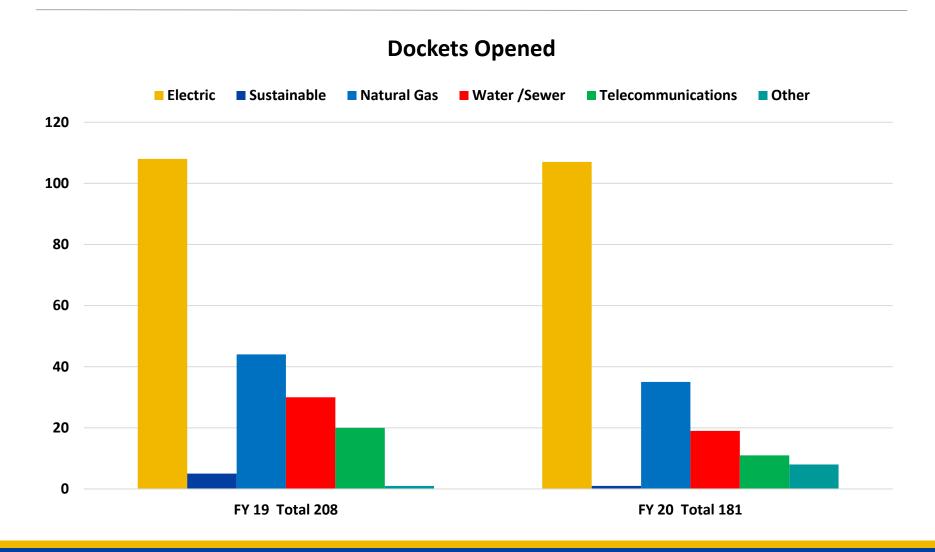
To ensure that customers of regulated utilities receive safe, adequate and reliable service at just and reasonable rates.

To foster competition where appropriate. To provide necessary customer protection.

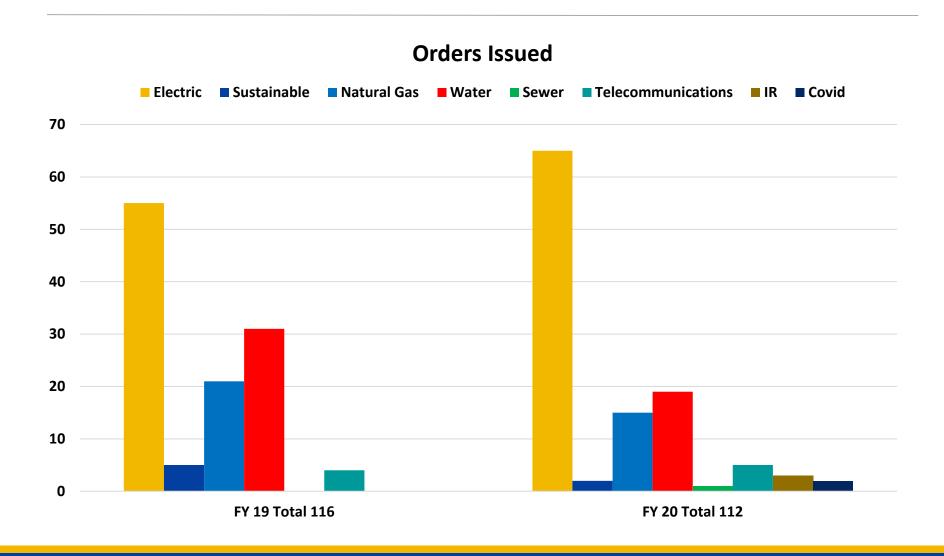
To provide a thorough but efficient regulatory process that is fair, open and innovative.

To perform our responsibilities ethically and professionally in a challenging and supportive work environment.

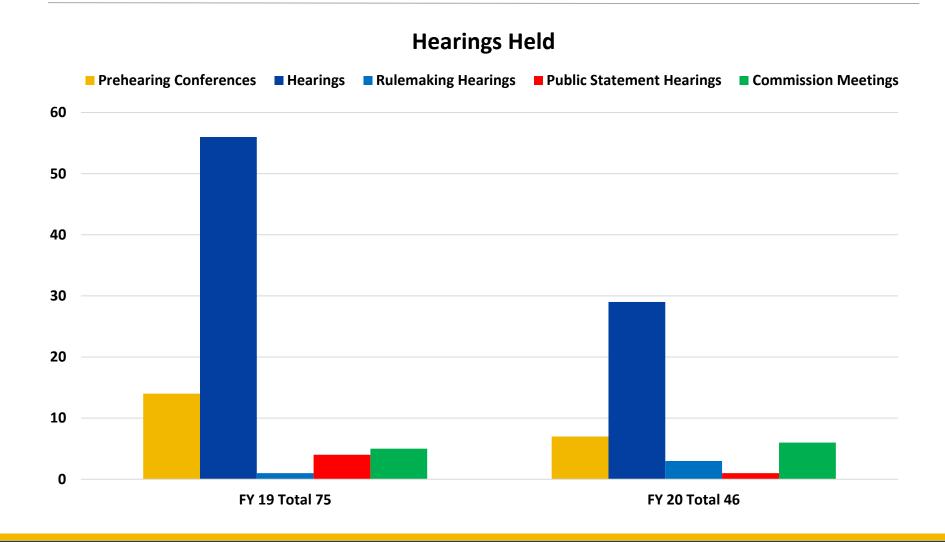
Dockets Opened



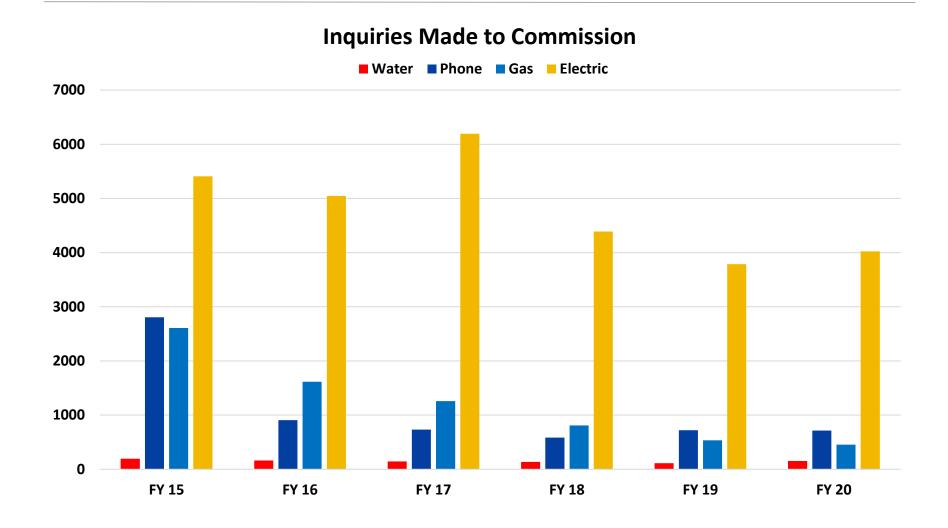
Orders Issued



Formal Commission Proceedings

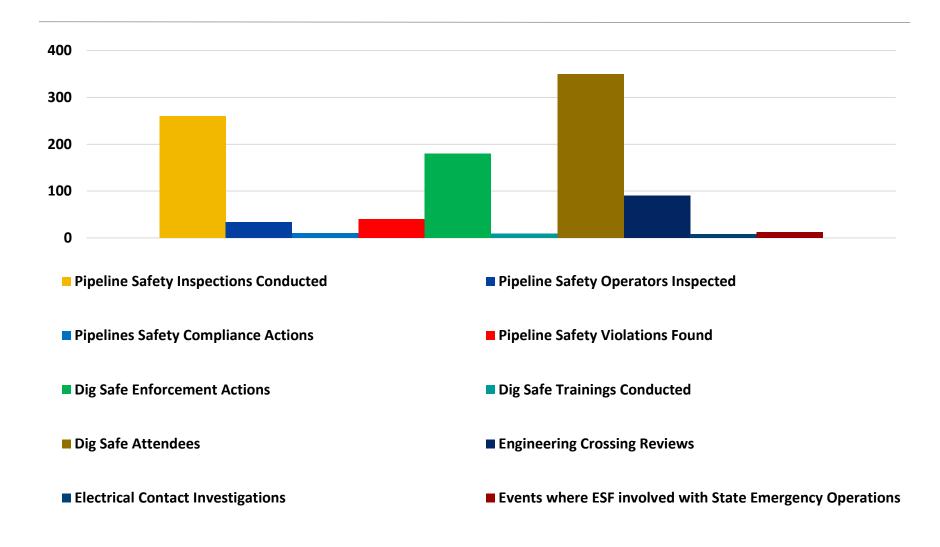


Inquiries Made to Commission by Sector



NEW HAMPSHIRE PUBLIC UTILITIES COMMISSION

Safety



Significant Proceedings

RATE CASES:

Gas – 6 Water – 15 Electric - 20

GAS DOCKETS:

Least Cost Integrated Resource Plans

Renewable natural gas contracts

Utility gas service in Keene

ELECTRIC DOCKETS:

Energy Efficiency Resource Standard

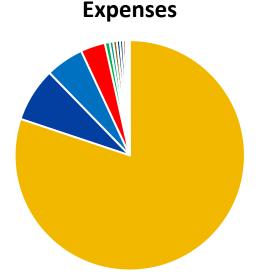
Investigation into Grid Modernization

Least Cost Integrated Resource Plans

Electric Vehicle Rate Design and Charging

Community Power Aggregation

Expenses vs Revenues



- Personnel
- Transfer to other agencies
- Consultants
- Travel
- Current Expenses
- Subscription
- Employee Trainings

- Rent and Leases
- Telecom
- Organizational Dues
- Equipment
- Other

- Federal Funds
- Intra-Agency Admin Transfers from RGGI
- Intra-Agency Admin Transfers from REF
- Utility Assessment

Revenues

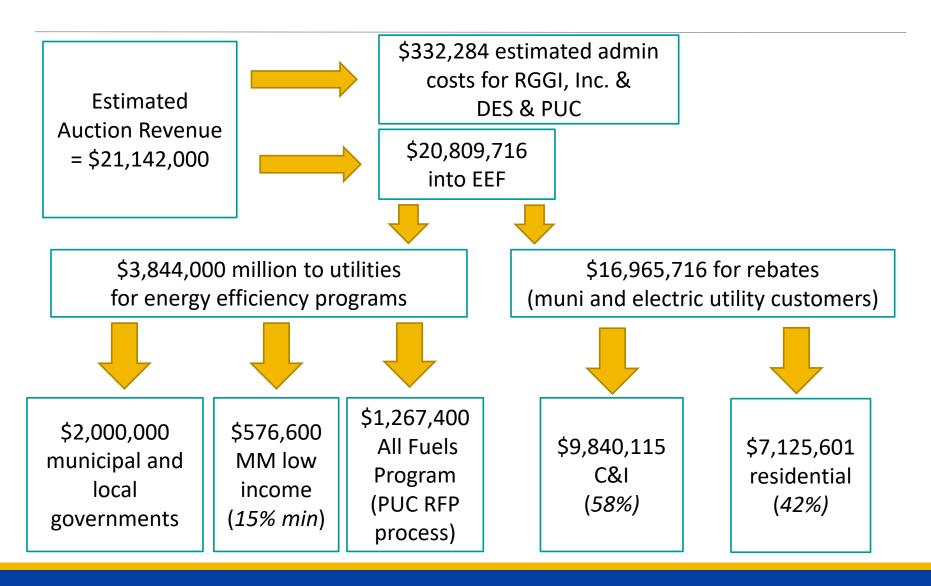


Renewable Energy Fund (REF)

Compliance Year	ACP Revenue
2008	\$ 4,483,917
2009	\$ 1,348,294
2010	\$ 2,625,499
2011	\$ 19,121,853
2012	\$ 9,323,198
2013	\$ 17,458,196
2014	\$ 4,406,804
2015	\$ 4,224,339
2016	\$ 3,633,342
2017	\$ 5,258,420
2018	\$ 3,101,432
2019	\$ 2,558,411
2020	\$ 3,933,942

Year	Budget		C	Actual Commission Expenses	D	Difference		
2020	\$	768,750	\$	517,274	\$	251,476		
2021	\$	788,069						
2022	\$	408,768						
2023	\$ 425,864							

FY 22 RGGI Revenue Allocation



COMMISSION REQUEST COMPARISON

Comparison by Program Area to FY 21 Adjusted Authorized Budget

Program	FY 2021 Adjusted Authorized	FY 2022 Efficiency Request	FY 2023 Efficiency Request
Office of the Commissioner	\$ 9,902,426	\$ 9,687,950	\$ 10,039,022
Safety Division	\$ 890,274	\$ 804,431	\$ 842,698
Energy Efficiency Fund	\$ 13,000,026	\$ 21,142,000	\$ 21,142,000
Renewable Energy Fund	\$ 5,001,705	\$ 2,408,768	\$ 2,425,864

Efficiency Budget Request with RGGI Revenue Adjusted

FY 2021 Adjusted Authorized	FY 2022	FY 2023
\$ 28,794,431	\$ 25,901,175	\$ 26,307,610

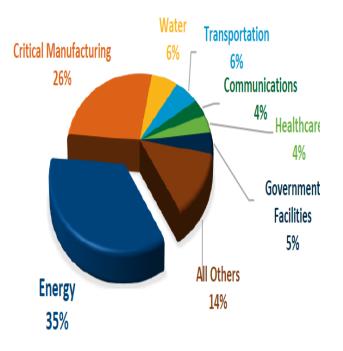
Prioritized Need - Cybersecurity Position

Source - U.S. DOE, Multiyear Plan for Energy Sector Cybersecurity, March 2020, Figures



Energy owners and operators have primary responsibility for continuous cybersecurity risk management functions: identify assets, protect critical systems, detect incidents, respond to incidents, and recover normal operations.

Figure 2. Critical Infrastructure Cyber Incidents Reported to DHS ICS-CERT (2013-2015)



ACCOUNTING UNIT SUMMARY

 CATEGORY
 02
 ADMIN OF JUSTICE AND PUBLIC PRTN

 DEPARTMENT
 00081
 PUBLIC UTILITIES COMMISSION

 AGENCY
 081
 PUBLIC UTILITIES

 ACTIVITY
 PUC810010
 OFFICE OF THE COMMISSIONER ORGANIZATION

 COMMISSION
 2812COM
 OFFICE OF THE COMMISSIONER

		FY 2020	FY 2021		FY 2022			FY 2023	
		ACTUAL EXPENSE	ADJUSTED AUTHORIZED	EFFICIENCY BUDGET	addl Prioritized Needs	REQUEST	EFFICIENCY BUDGET	addl Prioritized Needs	REQUEST
Expen	ditures								
010	Personal Services-Perm. Classi	4,158,461	4,518,410	4,445,186	75,601	4,520,787	4,696,948	81,940	4,778,888
011	Personal Services-Unclassified	360,039	395,571	395,573	0	395,573	410,729	0	410,729
012	Personal Services-Unclassified	111,402	117,806	117,806	0	117,806	122,636	0	122,636
013	Personal Services-Unclassified	119,005	119,005	119,005	0	119,005	123,835	0	123,835
018	Overtime	6,268	19,400	7,500	0	7,500	7,499	0	7,499
020	Current Expenses	30,787	44,900	38,000	250	38,250	38,000	250	38,250
022	Rents-Leases Other Than State	6,845	8,000	8,000	0	8,000	8,000	0	8,000
024	Maint.Other Than Build Grnds	488	1,000	1,000	0	1,000	1,000	0	1,000
026	Organizational Dues	44,640	55,000	40,000	0	40,000	40,000	0	40,000
027	Transfers To Oit	626,476	914,883	754,537	27,757	782,294	635,333	26,258	661,591
028	Transfers To General Services	272,304	266,998	260,977	30,665	291,642	267,063	29,820	296,883
030	Equipment New /Replacement	4,043	15,000	15,000	750	15,750	15,000	0	15,000
037	Technology - Hardw are	0	0	0	2,000	2,000	0	0	0
038	Technology - Software	0	0	0	2,000	2,000	0	0	0
039	Telecommunications	47,168	46,750	47,500	1,220	48,720	47,500	1,220	48,720
040	Indirect Costs	68,242	81,292	65,928	0	65,928	65,928	0	65,928
046	Consultants	1,000	150,000	75,000	0	75,000	75,000	0	75,000
049	Transfer to Other State Agenci	162,770	164,247	177,929	0	177,929	180,720	0	180,720
050	Personal Service-Temp/Appointe	117,028	20,250	50,000	0	50,000	50,000	0	50,000
057	Books, Periodicals, Subscripti	39,716	46,500	32,000	0	32,000	35,000	0	35,000
059	Temp Full Time	50,004	63,180	64,000	0	64,000	65,000	0	65,000
060	Benefits	2,219,827	2,458,094	2,661,693	36,587	2,698,280	2,805,604	39,069	2,844,673
062	Workers Compensation	0	0	13,858	0	13,858	13,994	0	13,994
064	Ret-Pension Bene-Health Ins	287,524	310,900	230,200	0	230,200	256,900	0	256,900
066	Employee training	2,439	7,000	12,000	0	12,000	12,000	0	12,000
070	In-State Travel Reimbursement	4,100	5,000	5,000	1,500	6,500	5,000	1,500	6,500
080	Out-Of State Travel	25,851	51,000	25,000	3,000	28,000	35,000	3,000	38,000
089	Transfer to DAS Maintenance Fu	21,891	21,891	24,463	0	24,463	24,463	0	24,463
211	Property and Casualty Insuranc	39	349	795	0	795	870	0	870
Expen	diture Total	8,788,357	9,902,426	9,687,950	181,330	9,869,280	10,039,022	183,057	10,222,079
Estim Other F	ated Source of Funds Funds								

ACCOUNTING UNIT SUMMARY

CATEGORY	02 ADMIN OF JUSTICE AND PUBLIC PRTN
DEPARTMENT	00081 PUBLIC UTILITIES COMMISSION
AGENCY	081 PUBLIC UTILITIES
ACTIVITY	PUC810010 OFFICE OF THE COMMISSIONER ORGANIZATION
COMMISSION	2812COM OFFICE OF THE COMMISSIONER

	FY 2020	FY 2021		FY 2022			FY 2023		
	ACTUAL EXPENSE	ADJUSTED AUTHORIZED	EFFICIENCY BUDGET	addl Prioritized Needs	REQUEST	EFFICIENCY BUDGET	addl Prioritized Needs	REQUEST	
004 Intra-Agency Transfers	419,813	565,611	319,667	4,600	324,267	340,195	5,011	345,206	
009 Agency Income	8,368,544	9,336,815	9,368,283	176,730	9,545,013	9,698,827	178,046	9,876,873	
Total	8,788,357	9,902,426	9,687,950	181,330	9,869,280	10,039,022	183,057	10,222,079	
Number of Positions									
Permanent Classified	62.00	62.00	62.00	1.00	63.00	62.00	1.00	63.00	
Unclassified Positions	5.00	5.00	5.00	0.00	5.00	5.00	0.00	5.00	
Total Number of Positions	67.00	67.00	67.00	1.00	68.00	67.00	1.00	68.00	

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CATEGORY	02 ADMIN OF JUSTICE AND PUBLIC PRTN
DEPARTMENT	00081 PUBLIC UTILITIES COMMISSION
AGENCY	081 PUBLIC UTILITIES COMMISSION
ACTIVITY	GAS810510 GAS PIPELINE SAFETY
ORGANIZATION	2830GPC GAS PIPELINE SAFETY

		FY 2020	FY 2021		FY 2022			FY 2023	
		ACTUAL EXPENSE	ADJUSTED AUTHORIZED	EFFICIENCY BUDGET	addl Prioritized Needs	REQUEST	EFFICIENCY BUDGET	addl Prioritized Needs	REQUEST
Expendit	ures								
010	Personal Services-Perm. Classi	230,149	340,778	316,155	0	316,155	339,095	0	339,095
012	Personal Services-Unclassified	118,105	118,406	118,406	0	118,406	122,937	0	122,937
020	Current Expenses	14,512	8,850	8,500	0	8,500	10,000	0	10,000
022	Rents-Leases Other Than State	1,663	2,000	1,800	0	1,800	2,000	0	2,000
026	Organizational Dues	195	500	500	0	500	500	0	500
027	Transfers To Oit	42,997	57,436	56,277	0	56,277	49,296	0	49,296
028	Transfers To General Services	57,400	56,216	52,285	0	52,285	53,517	0	53,517
030	Equipment New /Replacement	0	0	0	25,000	25,000	0	0	0
039	Telecommunications	7,390	8,100	8,100	0	8,100	8,300	0	8,300
040	Indirect Costs	4,466	8,118	4,541	0	4,541	4,541	0	4,541
041	Audit Fund Set Aside	512	626	626	0	626	626	0	626
049	Transfer to Other State Agenci	14,089	16,403	13,883	0	13,883	14,146	0	14,146
050	Personal Service-Temp/Appointe	0	5,000	0	0	0	0	0	0
057	Books, Periodicals, Subscripti	0	750	500	0	500	750	0	750
060	Benefits	145,945	230,870	198,752	0	198,752	210,366	0	210,366
062	Workers Compensation	0	0	1,241	0	1,241	1,253	0	1,253
070	In-State Travel Reimbursement	1,486	1,900	2,500	0	2,500	5,000	0	5,000
080	Out-Of State Travel	12,829	29,500	18,000	0	18,000	18,000	0	18,000
089	Transfer to DAS Maintenance Fu	4,590	4,590	2,296	0	2,296	2,296	0	2,296
211	Property and Casualty Insuranc	3	231	69	0	69	75	0	75
Expendit	ure Total	656,331	890,274	804,431	25,000	829,431	842,698	0	842,698
Estimate Federal Fu	d Source of Funds und	512,110	624,556	563,195	17,500	580,695	590,023	0	590,023
Other Fu	nds	144,221	265,718	241,236	7,500	248,736	252,675	0	252,675
009	Agency Income								
Total		656,331	890,274	804,431	25,000	829,431	842,698	0	842,698
Number	of Positions								
	nent Classified	5.00	5.00	5.00	0.00	5.00	5.00	0.00	5.00
_	ssified Positions	1.00	1.00	1.00	0.00	1.00	1.00	0.00	1.00
Total Nur	nber of Positions	6.00	6.00	6.00	0.00	6.00	6.00	0.00	6.00

ACCOUNTING UNIT SUMMARY

CATEGORY 02 ADMIN OF JUSTICE AND PUBLIC PRTN

DEPARTMENT 00081 PUBLIC UTILITIES COMMISSION AGENCY 081 PUBLIC UTILITIES COMMISSION

AGENCY 081 PUBLIC UTILITIES COMMISSION ACTIVITY GRN811010 GREENHOUSE ENERGY EFFIC FUND

ORGANIZATION 5453GGS GREENHOUSE ENERGY EFFIC FUND

	FY 2020	FY 2021		FY 2022			FY 2023	
	ACTUAL EXPENSE	ADJUSTED AUTHORIZED	EFFICIENCY BUDGET	ADDL PRIORITIZED NEEDS	REQUEST	EFFICIENCY BUDGET	addl Prioritized Needs	REQUEST
Expenditures								
027 Transfers To Oit	726	670	657	0	657	575	0	575
028 Transfers To General Services	319	312	690	0	690	602	0	602
029 Intra-Agency Transfers	3,424	9,796	10,000	0	10,000	10,000	0	10,000
040 Indirect Costs	42	95	303	0	303	303	0	303
049 Transfer to Other State Agenci	246,188	305,659	319,607	0	319,607	326,884	0	326,884
073 Grants-Non Federal	16,526,226	12,681,468	20,809,716	0	20,809,716	20,802,609	0	20,802,609
080 Out-Of State Travel	0	2,000	1,000	0	1,000	1,000	0	1,000
089 Transfer to DAS Maintenance Fu	26	26	27	0	27	27	0	27
Expenditure Total	16,776,951	13,000,026	21,142,000	0	21,142,000	21,142,000	0	21,142,000
Estimated Source of Funds Other Funds								
008 Agency Income	16,776,951	13,000,026	21,142,000	0	21,142,000	21,142,000	0	21,142,000
Total	16,776,951	13,000,026	21,142,000	0	21,142,000	21,142,000	0	21,142,000

ACCOUNTING UNIT SUMMARY

CATEGORY02ADMIN OF JUSTICE AND PUBLIC PRTNDEPARTMENT00081PUBLIC UTILITIES COMMISSIONAGENCY081PUBLIC UTILITIES COMMISSIONACTIVITYREN811510RENEWABLE ENERGY FUNDORGANIZATION5454REFRENEWABLE ENERGY FUND 362-F:10

		FY 2020	FY 2021		FY 2022			FY 2023	
		ACTUAL EXPENSE	ADJUSTED AUTHORIZED	EFFICIENCY BUDGET	addl Prioritized Needs	REQUEST	EFFICIENCY BUDGET	addl Prioritized Needs	REQUEST
Exper	ditures								
020	Current Expenses	3,016	3,350	1,500	0	1,500	1,500	0	1,500
026	Organizational Dues	10,000	20,000	10,000	0	10,000	10,000	0	10,000
027	Transfers To Oit	32,638	46,428	28,139	0	28,139	24,648	0	24,648
028	Transfers To General Services	22,098	21,642	12,240	0	12,240	12,529	0	12,529
029	Intra-Agency Transfers	416,389	565,611	319,895	0	319,895	339,889	0	339,889
039	Telecommunications	2,675	2,900	1,500	0	1,500	1,500	0	1,500
040	Indirect Costs	6,371	6,562	9,805	0	9,805	9,805	0	9,805
046	Consultants	0	75,000	0	0	0	0	0	0
049	Transfer to Other State Agenci	20,776	25,759	21,000	0	21,000	21,000	0	21,000
057	Books, Periodicals, Subscripti	0	11,025	0	0	0	0	0	0
066	Employee training	213	1,000	1,500	0	1,500	1,500	0	1,500
070	In-State Travel Reimbursement	275	500	500	0	500	500	0	500
073	Grants-Non Federal	2,977,176	4,213,636	2,000,000	0	2,000,000	2,000,000	0	2,000,000
080	Out-Of State Travel	1,053	6,500	1,500	0	1,500	1,800	0	1,800
089	Transfer to DAS Maintenance Fu	1,767	1,767	1,148	0	1,148	1,148	0	1,148
211	Property and Casualty Insuranc	3	25	41	0	41	45	0	45
Exper	diture Total	3,494,450	5,001,705	2,408,768	0	2,408,768	2,425,864	0	2,425,864
Other									
009	Agency Income	3,494,450	5,001,705	2,408,768	0	2,408,768	2,425,864	0	2,425,864
Total		3,494,450	5,001,705	2,408,768	0	2,408,768	2,425,864	0	2,425,864

COMPARE HOUSE TO GOVERNOR

CATEGORY:	2	ADMIN	OF JUSTICE AND PUBL	IC PRTN			
DEPARTMENT:	52	DEPT O	F ENERGY				
AGENCY:	54	SITE EV	ALUATION COMMITTE	E			
ACTIVITY:	540010	SITE EV	ALUATION COMMITTE	E			
ORGANIZATION	1893	SITE EV	ALUATION COMMITTE	E			

		51/0000			FY2022		FY2023			
CLS	DESCRIPTION	FY2020 ACTUAL	FY2021 ADJ AUTH	GOVERNOR	HOUSE	DIFF	GOVERNOR	HOUSE	DIFF	
011 Personal Services-Unclassified		109,049	109,049	77,609	0	-77,609	85,489	0	-85,489	
020 Current Expenses		124	1,000		1,200	0	1,200	1,200	0	
027 Transfers To Oit		13,845	8,679		0	-9,380		0	-8,216	
028 Transfers To General Services		8,429	4,215		4,080	0	4,176	4,176	0	
039 Telecommunications		797	900		740	0	740	740	0	
040 Indirect Costs		1,608	1,215	2,365	2,365	0	2,365	2,365	0	
046 Consultants		220	5,000		22,365	0	24,000	24,000	0	
049 Transfer to Other State Agenci		5,012	5,057	2,314	2,314	0	2,358	2,358	0	
060 Benefits		39,318	42,046	36,734	1	-36,733	39,519	0	-39,519	
062 Workers Compensation		0	0	207	207	0	209	209	0	
065 Board Expension	065 Board Expenses		21,000	28,000	28,000	0	27,800	27,800	0	
068 Remuneration		73,328	85,000	100,000	100,000	0	95,000	95,000	0	
070 In-State Trave	070 In-State Travel Reimbursement		1,500	350	350	0	350	350	0	
080 Out-Of State Travel		0	700	0	0	0	0	0	0	
089 Transfer to DAS Maintenance Fu		674	674	383	383	0	383	383	0	
TOTAL EXPE	TOTAL EXPENSES		286,035	285,727	162,005	-123,722	291,805	158,581	-133,224	
ESTIMATED SOL	JRCE OF FUNDS FOR									
SITE EVALUATION COMMITTE		0	0	150,730	150,730	0	147,165	147,165	0	
009 Agency Income General Fund		254,521	286,035		11,275	-123,722		11,416	-133,224	
TOTAL FUNDS		254,521	286,035	285,727	162,005	-123,722	291,805	158,581	-133,224	

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CLS			FY2020	FY2021 ADJ	FY2022			FY2023			
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						application fees 162-H:8-a) held Committee Fund Chairman of the may request, wi Fiscal Committee Council authoriz	ng unit are greater than and other filing fees (RS. in the Site Evaluation d (RSA 162-H:21), the e Site Evaluation Committ ith prior approval of the ee, that the Governor and ze additional funding from not otherwise appropriate				