

**0238 – Ethics Commission
FISCAL YEAR 2021
AS ENACTED BY ACT 124 OF 2020**

The Arkansas Ethics Commission governs under the provisions of Initiated Acts 1 of 1988 and 1990. These provisions charge the Arkansas Ethics Commission with the responsibility of overseeing the campaign finance activities of state, county, municipal, and school board level candidates, candidate committees and political action committees. Additionally, the provisions govern lobbyists' activities in Arkansas, require lobbyists to register and file reports disclosing their expenditures and reimbursements, and require public officials to file an annual financial disclosure document and to report any potential conflict of interest.

TOTAL APPROPRIATION

Appropriation		2019-2020	2020-2021
		Authorized	Legislative
192	Ethics Operations	\$991,319	\$987,493
Total		\$991,319	\$987,493

FUNDING SOURCES

Funding Sources		%
General Revenue	4000010	93.79
Performance Fund	4000055	6.21

CHANGE LEVEL REQUESTS

Ethics Operations (Appropriation 192)

Commitment Item	2019-2020	2020-2021	
	Authorized	Legislative	Change Level
Personal Services Matching	\$201,813	\$201,837	\$24
Regular Salaries	\$653,139	\$653,239	\$100
Operating Expenses	\$133,367	\$129,417	(\$3,950)

-Regular Salaries and Personal Services Matching were increased due to career service payments.

-Operating Expenses were adjusted to better reflect agency spending.

POSITIONS

Total Authorized Positions FY2021: 11

Total Authorized Positions FY2020: 11

Extra Help Positions FY2021: 0

SPECIAL LANGUAGE REVISIONS

No Special Language