

**WORKFORCE INVESTMENT BOARD
(Agency #0264) - 2009-11 BIENNIUM**

I) AGENCY SUMMARY & REVENUE SOURCES

MISSION

The Arkansas Workforce Investment Board is responsible for coordinating and establishing policy for conducting employment and training activities within the workforce investment system including all activities conducted in and through Arkansas' One-Stop career centers known as Arkansas Workforce Centers. The Board is responsible for the development of a state workforce plan, allocation formula for distribution of funds for adult employment and training activities and youth activities in local areas, monitoring of the system, recommendation of programs which may be consolidated or realigned, development of state performance measures and standards and evaluation of the entire workforce training system.

TOTAL BIENNIAL BUDGET

The executive recommendation is that the base level Workforce Investment Board appropriation and positions be transferred to the Department of Workforce Services. The base level appropriation is \$1,082,554 for FY2010 and \$1,099,152 for FY2011.

FUNDING SOURCE

Operations of the agency are 100% federally funded through the Workforce Investment Act of 1998.

II) SIGNIFICANT CHANGES

None.

III) ADDITIONAL POSITIONS

Total Positions for the 2009-11 Biennium: 13

Total Positions for the 2007-09 Biennium: 13

Increase/(Decrease): 0

IV) SPECIAL LANGUAGE

None

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