

ARKANSAS FAIR HOUSING COMMISSION (0229)
FISCAL YEAR 2019
Per JBC Recommendation

I) AGENCY SUMMARY & REVENUE SOURCES

MISSION

Created by Act 1785 of 2001, the Fair Housing Commission consists of 13 voting members: 7 appointed by the Governor, 3 appointed by the Speaker of the House of Representatives, 3 appointed by the President Pro Tempore of the Senate. Authorized to provide procedures for the investigation and remediation of unfair housing practices, they enforce the provisions of federal fair housing laws and protect the public's access to fair housing in cooperation with the State Attorney General. Commission has established an education and outreach program to prevent discriminatory housing practices.

TOTAL APPROPRIATION

The total appropriation for the Arkansas Fair Housing Commission is \$1,379,852 for FY2019.

FUNDING SOURCES

The appropriations for the Commission are funded through the Miscellaneous State Agencies Fund, federal reimbursement by Fair Housing Assistance Programs, cash and trust funds from administrative or civil penalties levied and collected.

II) CHANGE LEVEL REQUEST (FY2019 CHANGES FROM FY2018 AUTHORIZED)

- None

III) ADDITIONAL POSITIONS (Total FY17 Positions: 13)

Total Positions for FY2019: 12

Total Positions for FY2018: 12

Increase/(Decrease): (0)

Extra Help Positions FY2019:2 (Total FY2018 Authorized Extra Help:2)

IV) SPECIAL LANGUAGE

- Promotional Items. Authorizes purchase from M&O for educational promotional items appropriated in the Education Trust Appropriation.

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