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Board of Architecture, Engineering, Land Surveying, Landscape Architecture, Geoscience and Interior Design

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AT A GLANCE

In FY 2015-2016, the Board:

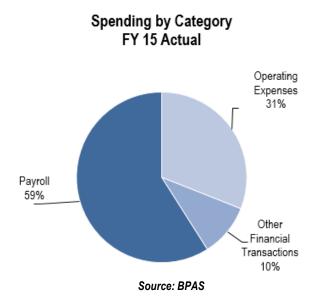
- Issued 18,875 licenses
- Issued 684 in-training certificates
- Evaluated 4,046 applications for examination and licensure
- Investigated 95 new complaints
- Outreach: 24 presentations

PURPOSE

The Board of Architecture, Engineering, Land Surveying, Landscape Architecture, Geoscience and Interior Design regulates the professions and enforces the statues and rules in order to protect the health, safety and welfare of the public. We ensure that individuals meet the education, examination and experience standards for licensure or certification, and maintain their records in good standing. We take disciplinary action against those who violate the statues, rules and standards governing the practice of the professions. The Board contributes to the statewide outcomes of:

- People in Minnesota are safe;
- Efficient and accountable government services; and
- A thriving economy that encourages business growth and employment opportunities.

BUDGET





The Board has a total biennial budget of approximately \$1,342,000. We collect application and licensure fees which are deposited in the State's general fund. The budget is funded through general fund appropriations.

STRATEGIES

To accomplish its mission, the Board uses the following strategies:

1. **Regulatory** – Collaboration with the National Councils on consistent standards for examination, licensure and enforcement. Evaluating applications to ensure that those entering professional practice have completed the required education, examination and experience.

- 2. Enforcement Investigating complaints and taking action against licensees and unlicensed individuals who violate the Board's statutes and rules. Removing individuals from practice when necessary. Exchanging enforcement data across jurisdictions. Providing public access to license status, discipline history and the complaint process. Ensuring that the Board's statutes and rules are up-to-date and understandable.
- 3. **Outreach and Education** Providing information to Minnesota citizens, legislators, building officials, fire marshals, other state agencies, schools and national councils about the value of licensure and the requirements of competent practice.

RESULTS

| Type of Measure | Name of Measure | Previous | Current | Dates |
|-----------------|--|----------|---------|--------------------|
| Quantity | Number of licenses renewed on time | 18,151 | 18,053 | FY13/14 & FY 15/16 |
| Quality | Average days to approval/denial of applications for examination. | 13 | 13 | FY13/14 & FY 15/16 |
| Quality | Average days to approval/denial of applications for licensure by those already licensed in another jurisdiction. | 43 | 43 | FY13/14 & FY 15/16 |
| Quality | Average days to resolve a complaint | 189 | 95 | FY13/14 & FY 15/16 |
| Results | Number of educational presentation given | 28 | 24 | FY13/14 & FY 15/16 |

The Board of AELSLAGID's legal authority comes from M.S. § 214.01 (https://www.revisor.mn.gov/statutes/?id=214.01) and M.S. §§ 326.02 - 326.15 (https://www.revisor.mn.gov/statutes/?id=326).

(Dollars in Thousands)

Expenditures By Fund

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|------------------------------|--------|--------|--------|----------|-----------------|------|
| | Actual | Actual | Actual | Estimate | Forecasted Base | |
| | FY14 | FY15 | FY16 | FY17 | FY18 | FY19 |
| 1000 - General | 651 | 691 | 758 | 820 | 794 | 794 |
| Total | 651 | 691 | 758 | 820 | 794 | 794 |
| Biennial Change | | | | 237 | | 10 |
| Biennial % Change | | | | 18 | | 1 |
| Expenditures by Program | | | | | | |
| Program: AELSLA | 651 | 691 | 758 | 820 | 794 | 794 |
| Total | 651 | 691 | 758 | 820 | 794 | 794 |
| Expenditures by Category | | | | | | |
| Compensation | 416 | 408 | 465 | 494 | 476 | 476 |
| Operating Expenses | 226 | 260 | 272 | 316 | 308 | 308 |
| Other Financial Transactions | 7 | 21 | 21 | 10 | 10 | 10 |
| Grants, Aids and Subsidies | 0 | 0 | 0 | | | |
| Capital Outlay-Real Property | 1 | 1 | | | | |
| Total | 651 | 691 | 758 | 820 | 794 | 794 |
| | | | | | | |
| Full-Time Equivalents | 6.3 | 6.1 | 6.2 | 6.2 | 6.2 | 6.2 |

(Dollars in Thousands)

1000 - General

| | Actual | | Actual Estimate | | Forecast Base | |
|-----------------------------------|--------|-------|-----------------|------|---------------|------|
| | FY14 | FY 15 | FY 16 | FY17 | FY18 | FY19 |
| Balance Forward In | 0 | 123 | 0 | 26 | 0 | 0 |
| Direct Appropriation | 774 | 818 | 784 | 794 | 794 | 794 |
| Net Transfers | 0 | (50) | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| Cancellations | 0 | 200 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| Expenditures | 651 | 691 | 758 | 820 | 794 | 794 |
| Balance Forward Out | 123 | 0 | 26 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| Biennial Change in Expenditures | | | | 237 | | 10 |
| Biennial % Change in Expenditures | | | | 18 | | 1 |
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