## OFFICE OF GENERAL SERVICES

## **MISSION**

The Office of General Services (OGS) was established to consolidate into a single agency, state-of-the-art, cost efficient support services required to operate a changing and increasingly complex State government. These included telecommunications and computer systems, building design and construction, leasing, facility maintenance, purchasing of goods and services, and other basic support services, including mail, parking, printing and surplus property.

In recent years, these activities have continued and evolved to meet State government's changing needs. Many additional responsibilities have been added to make the Office the centralized service provider agency for the State. Among these more recent responsibilities are the purchasing of new technologies, participating in the statewide financing of various types of equipment, and overseeing the distribution of surplus Federal food to public and private organizations.

The Office supports the operations of State agencies by providing voice and data communications; centralized information processing; space planning and leasing; real property management and maintenance; centralized contracting for commodities, services and printing; employee and visitor parking management; and interagency mail and courier assistance. The Office also helps local governments reduce their operating costs by distributing federally donated foods and surplus equipment to them, and by offering them the use of its centralized commodity and service contracts.

## ORGANIZATION AND STAFFING

The Office is headed by a Commissioner, who is appointed by the Governor, with a central executive staff and is structured around customer-focused business enterprises: Real Property Management and Development; Information Technology and Procurement Services; Design and Construction; and Support Services. The Office will have a workforce of 2,034 positions for 2001-02.

In the Spring of 1999, the Office released its first comprehensive Strategic Plan. The Plan establishes three major goals, 10 strategic objectives and 26 broad performance measures, and sets forth specific strategies for improving performance. Every major business unit is now developing key performance measures that will be based on reliable data. The measures will assist the Office in remaining focused on the work that matters most to its customers and stakeholders and in identifying needed improvements and changes. The Office's performance measures will be in place during 2001-02, and OGS will work with the Division of the Budget to determine how to link information about performance to the budgeting process.

## FISCAL BACKGROUND AND BUDGET HIGHLIGHTS

The Executive Budget recommends \$531.5 million for the Office, which includes support of \$145.8 million in State tax dollars from the General Fund. This recommendation also includes \$257.1 million in user fees charged to State agencies and other governmental entities that utilize OGS central and other support services, and \$6.4 million in Federal funding. Most of this funding supports the operation of State office buildings, rehabilitation and other projects aimed at preserving or extending the useful life of office buildings, and the provision of centralized services to State agencies.

Recommended funding will enable OGS to maintain its current levels of service. Major recommendations are as follows:

- Increases of \$15 million in General Fund and \$15 million in Internal Service Fund support have been included to meet higher utility-related costs.
- An increase of \$1 million in the General Fund is recommended to fund the completion of a monument on the Empire State Plaza to honor New Yorkers who served in the United States Armed Forces during the Second World War.
- An increase of \$600,000 is recommended in the Internal Service Fund to fund the development of a coordinated claims and loss reporting system and to oversee other risk management initiatives.
- Article VII legislation is being introduced as part of the risk management initiative which will reduce insurance costs associated with capital projects. Initial 2001-02 savings of \$1 million are expected to grow significantly once all the risk management initiatives are fully implemented.

Recommended funding of \$122 million for the Capital Projects Budget includes support for critical projects at the State Capitol and for the modernization of State office buildings in the Capital District. The recommended increase in year-to-year funding reflects the funding required to start the rehabilitation of the A.E.Smith Office Building while allowing the Office to maintain its current spending for the upkeep and preservation of other office buildings throughout the State.

## **PROGRAM HIGHLIGHTS**

### **EXECUTIVE DIRECTION**

This program provides the day-to-day management of the agency, helps State agencies to acquire vehicle insurance, administers financing for the State equipment purchasing program and coordinates the centralized purchase of electricity from the Power Authority of the State of New York.

### REAL PROPERTY MANAGEMENT AND DEVELOPMENT

This program is responsible for providing for the safe and efficient operation of approximately 46 major and 84 ancillary State-owned and operated buildings across the State. Services provided by this program include building management, operation, maintenance, cleaning and security for facilities encompassing 17.8 million interior gross square feet with a replacement value estimated at \$4.6 billion. Employees assigned to this program also manage building renovation projects, administer service contracts for the maintenance and operation of certain heating, ventilation and air conditioning systems, and negotiate agreements as needed for leased space.

The Office is also making a major capital investment in office facilities in the Albany area. The need for this effort results from years of under-investment, and the need for State offices to accommodate modern technology. This program includes new office buildings for the Department of Environmental Conservation and the Office of the State Comptroller, a new parking garage in downtown Albany, the modernization of the Alfred E. Smith State Office Building and the development of the Harriman State Office Campus.

### TECHNOLOGY AND PROCUREMENT SERVICES

This group provides State agencies with state-of-the-art voice and data communications services, and manages the statewide procurement of goods, services and commodities having an annual value of \$1.7 billion. In carrying out these responsibilities, this group provides centralized telecommunication and data services and establishes standards for each commodity purchased by the Office by developing detailed specifications, evaluating bids, and monitoring vendor performance and guality control. Eligible local

governments, schools and not-for-profit organizations may use these centralized contracts, which generally offer the best prices because of the State's purchasing power, to reduce their own operating costs.

### **DESIGN AND CONSTRUCTION**

This group provides architectural, engineering, planning, and design and construction management services to State agencies operating State-owned facilities. This group provides these services to over 20 agencies, and has projects valued at approximately \$300 million underway in design and \$800 million underway in construction.

#### SUPPORT SERVICES

Employees in this group provide and manage the delivery of interagency mail, employee and visitor parking and transfer of Federal and State surplus property. These employees also warehouse federally donated food and distribute it to school districts and food pantries.

#### ALL FUNDS APPROPRIATIONS (dollars)

Category	Available 2000-01	Appropriations Recommended 2001-02	Change	Reappropriations Recommended 2001-02
State Operations	367,565,100	409,256,600	41,691,500	3,125,000
Aid To Localities	75,000	0	(75,000)	0
Capital Projects	71,400,000	122,200,000	50,800,000	138,681,000
Total	439,040,100	531,456,600	92,416,500	141,806,000

## ALL FUND TYPES PROJECTED LEVELS OF EMPLOYMENT BY PROGRAM FILLED ANNUAL SALARIED POSITIONS

### **Full-Time Equivalent Positions (FTE)**

	2000-01 Estimated FTEs	2001-02 Estimated FTEs	
Program	03/31/01	03/31/02	FTE Change
Design and Construction		<u> </u>	
Internal Service Funds	450	450	0
Executive Direction			
General Fund	118	113	(5)
Internal Service Funds	16	21	5
Information Technology and Procurement			
General Fund	194	187	(7)
Special Revenue Funds - Other	15	15	0
Internal Service Funds	191	191	0
Real Property Management and			
Development			
General Fund	935	899	(36)
Special Revenue Funds - Other	66	66	0
Internal Service Funds	80	80	0
Expendable Trust Funds	12	12	0
Total	2,077	2,034	(43)

## STATE OPERATIONS ALL FUNDS FINANCIAL REQUIREMENTS BY FUND TYPE APPROPRIATIONS (dollars)

Fund Type	Available 2000-01	Recommended 2001-02	Change
General Fund	123,392,100	145,786,600	22,394,500
Special Revenue Funds - Federal	6,050,000	6,400,000	350,000
Special Revenue Funds - Other	17,631,000	14,854,700	(2,776,300)
Enterprise Funds	1,270,000	1,308,700	38,700
Internal Service Funds	218,250,000	239,814,400	21,564,400
Fiduciary Funds	972,000	1,092,200	120,200
Total	367,565,100	409,256,600	41,691,500
Adjustments: Transfer(s) From Special Pay Bill General Fund Special Revenue Funds - Other Enterprise Funds Internal Service Funds Appropriated 2000-01	(4,342,000) (223,000) (53,000) (4,054,000) 358,893,100		

## STATE OPERATIONS ALL FUNDS FINANCIAL REQUIREMENTS BY PROGRAM APPROPRIATIONS (dollars)

Program	Available 2000-01	Recommended 2001-02	Change
Design and Construction			
Internal Service Funds	46,252,700	45,911,800	(340,900)
Executive Direction			
General Fund	12,412,300	12,260,300	(152,000)
Enterprise Funds	56,000	57,700	1,700
Internal Service Funds	42,278,600	57,487,800	15,209,200
Fiduciary Funds	722,000	842,200	120,200
Information Technology and Procurement			
General Fund	9,314,700	11,126,900	1,812,200
Special Revenue Funds - Federal	6,050,000	6,400,000	350,000
Special Revenue Funds - Other	3,345,800	4,693,900	1,348,100
Internal Service Funds	118,409,400	124,856,500	6,447,100
Real Property Management and Development			
General Fund	101,565,100	122,399,400	20,834,300
Special Revenue Funds - Other	14,285,200	10,160,800	(4,124,400)
Enterprise Funds	1,214,000	1,251,000	37,000
Internal Service Funds	11,309,300	11,558,300	249,000
Fiduciary Funds	250,000	250,000	0
Community Projects			
General Fund	100,000	0	(100,000)
Total	367,565,100	409,256,600	41,691,500

### STATE OPERATIONS - GENERAL FUND SUMMARY OF PERSONAL SERVICE APPROPRIATIONS AND CHANGES 2001-02 RECOMMENDED (dollars)

	Total Personal Service		Personal Service Regular (Annual Salaried)		
Program	Amount	Change	Amount	Change	
Executive Direction	5,842,100	(217,400)	5,642,100	(282,200)	
Information Technology and Procurement	9,901,400	1,776,500	9,862,400	1,775,700	
Real Property Management and					
Development	36,759,500	(168,800)	35,887,400	(340,900)	
Total	52,503,000	1,390,300	51,391,900	1,152,600	
	Temporary S (Nonannual S	alaried)	Holiday/Overti (Annual Sala		
Program	<u> Amount</u>	<u>Change</u>	Amount	Change	
Executive Direction	150,000	34,000	50,000	30,800	
Information Technology and Procurement	0	(23,900)	39,000	24,700	
Real Property Management and					
Development	0	0	872,100	172,100	
Total	150,000	10,100	961,100	227,600	

# STATE OPERATIONS - GENERAL FUND SUMMARY OF NONPERSONAL SERVICE AND MAINTENANCE UNDISTRIBUTED APPROPRIATIONS AND CHANGES 2001-02 RECOMMENDED (dollars)

	Total Nonpersor	nal Service	Supplies and I	Materials
Program	Amount	Change	Amount	Change
Executive Direction	6,418,200	65,400	197,400	5,600
Information Technology and Procurement	1,225,500	35,700	99,700	2,800
Real Property Management and				
Development	85,639,900	21,003,100	4,000,000	(2,870,100)
Community Projects	0	(100,000)	0	0
Total	93,283,600	21,004,200	4,297,100	(2,861,700)
	Trave	l	Contractual S	Services
Program	Amount	Change	Amount	Change
Executive Direction	90,200	2,600	1,955,600	57,200
Information Technology and Procurement	58,400	1,700	1,046,200	30,600
Real Property Management and				
Development	275,000	4,700	78,664,900	22,641,200
Total	423,600	9,000	81,666,700	22,729,000
	Equipme		Maintenance Un	
Program	<u>Amount</u>	<u>Change</u>	<u>Amount</u>	Change
Executive Direction	0	0	4,175,000	0
Information Technology and Procurement	21,200	600	0	0
Real Property Management and	4 =00 000			
Development	1,700,000	227,300	1,000,000	1,000,000
Community Projects	1 701 000	0	0	(100,000)
Total	1,721,200	227,900	5,175,000	900,000

## STATE OPERATIONS - OTHER THAN GENERAL FUND SUMMARY OF APPROPRIATIONS AND CHANGES 2001-02 RECOMMENDED (dollars)

	Total		Personal Se	ervice	
Program	Amount	Change	Amount	Change	
Design and Construction	45,911,800	(340,900)	25,387,200	(1,246,800)	
Executive Direction	58,387,700	15,331,100	1,127,600	(84,500)	
Information Technology and Procurement	135,950,400	8,145,200	10,921,300	927,300	
Real Property Management and					
Development	23,220,100	(3,838,400)	6,410,100	488,200	
Total	263,470,000	19,297,000	43,846,200	84,200	
	Nonpersonal Service		Maintenance Un	distributed	
Program	Amount	Change	Amount	Change	

Nonpersonal Service		Maintenance Und	istributed
Amount	Change	Amount	Change
20,524,600	905,900	0	0
57,260,100	15,415,600	0	0
125,029,100	7,217,900	0	0
16,560,000	(4,326,600)	250,000	0
219,373,800	19,212,800	250,000	0
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## AID TO LOCALITIES ALL FUNDS FINANCIAL REQUIREMENTS BY FUND TYPE APPROPRIATIONS (dollars)

Fund Type	Available 2000-01	Recommended 2001-02	Change
General Fund	75,000	0	(75,000)
Total	75,000	0	(75,000)

## AID TO LOCALITIES ALL FUNDS FINANCIAL REQUIREMENTS BY PROGRAM APPROPRIATIONS (dollars)

Program	Available 2000-01	Recommended 2001-02	Change
Community Projects			
General Fund	75,000	0	(75,000)
Total	75,000	0	(75,000)

## CAPITAL PROJECTS ALL FUNDS FINANCIAL REQUIREMENTS BY PROGRAM APPROPRIATIONS (dollars)

Comprehensive Construction Program	Available 2000-01	Recommended 2001-02	Change	Reappropriations 2001-02
Design and Construction Supervision				
Capital Projects Fund	6,600,000	7,000,000	400,000	22,444,000
Petroleum Storage Tank				
Capital Projects Fund	0	0	0	500,000
Flood Disaster Restoration Program				
Capital Projects Fund	0	0	0	3,000,000
Maintenance and Improvement of Real Property Facilities				
Capital Projects Fund	64,800,000	115,200,000	50,400,000	107,257,000
Capital Projects Fund - Advances	0	0	0	5,480,000
Total	71,400,000	122,200,000	50,800,000	138,681,000