

U.S. General Services Administration

ALLOWANCES AND OFFICE STAFF FOR FORMER PRESIDENTS

Fiscal Year 2022 Budget Request

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Appropriations Language

For carrying out the provisions of the Act of August 25, 1958, as amended (3 U.S.C. 102 note) and Public Law 95-138, **\$5,000,000.**

Program Description

This appropriation provides pensions, office staff, and related expenses for former Presidents Jimmy Carter, William Clinton, George W. Bush, Barack Obama and Donald Trump.

Summary of the Request

The fiscal year (FY) 2022 proposed budget provides a total of \$5 million for the annual pensions of the former presidents and compensation of their office staff and related expenses. GSA has a statutory requirement to support these activities under the Former Presidents Act of 1958 as amended (3 U.S.C. 102 note).

FY 2022 Explanation of Changes

(Dollars in Thousands)

	FY 2020 Actual	FY 2021 Enacted	FY 2022 Request
	\$ 3,851	\$ 4,400	\$ 5,000
Program Increases:			
Initial Full Year Increase for Former President Trump			\$ 415
Increases for Former President Obama			\$ 36
Increases for Former President Bush			\$ 101
Increases for Former President Clinton			\$ 39
Increases for Former President Carter			\$ 9
Program Decreases:			
None			\$ -
Total Adjustments			\$ 600

The FY 2022 budget request includes an increase of \$600 thousand, a 13.6 percent increase from the FY 2021 level. The increase is due to lease expirations, additional cleaning service needs, a small increase to our Working Capital Fund bill, an anticipated increase in retirement benefits, and the full year addition of Former President Trump.

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Amount Available for Obligation
(Dollars in Thousands)

	FY 2020 Actual	FY 2021 Enacted	FY 2022 Request
Discretionary authority:			
Annual appropriation	\$ 3,851	\$ 4,400	\$ 5,000
Unobligated balance, rescinded.....	\$ -	\$ -	\$ -
Unobligated balance, sequestered.....	\$ -	\$ -	\$ -
Expired Unobligated balance, end of year.....	\$ (165)	\$ -	\$ -
Total, obligations.....	\$ 3,686	\$ 4,400	\$ 5,000
<i>Net Outlays</i>	\$ 3,649	\$ 4,356	\$ 4,950

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Obligations by Object Classification

(Dollars in Thousands)

	FY 2020 Actual	FY 2021 Enacted	FY 2022 Request
11.1 Full-time permanent	\$ -	\$ -	\$ -
11.3 Other than full-time permanent	\$ -	\$ -	\$ -
11.5 Other personnel compensation	-	\$ -	\$ -
11.8 Special personnel services payments	\$ 284	\$ 279	\$ 452
12.1 Civilian personnel benefits	\$ 299	\$ 334	\$ 499
13.0 Benefits for former personnel	\$ 896	\$ 1,142	\$ 1,183
21.0 Travel and transportation of persons	\$ -	\$ 5	\$ -
22.0 Transportation of things	\$ -	\$ 8	\$ -
23.1 Rental payments to GSA	\$ 1,643	\$ 1,843	\$ 1,995
23.2 Rental payments to others	\$ -	\$ -	\$ -
23.3 Communications and utilities	\$ 164	\$ 236	\$ 216
24.0 Printing and reproduction	\$ 21	\$ 56	\$ 32
25.1 Advisory and assistance services	\$ 94	\$ 234	\$ 214
25.2 Other services from non-Federal sources	\$ -	\$ -	\$ -
25.3 Other goods & services from Federal sources	\$ 106	\$ 134	\$ 164
25.4 Operation and maintenance of facilities	\$ 1	\$ 8	\$ 40
25.6 Medical care	\$ -	\$ -	\$ -
25.7 Operation and maintenance of equipment	\$ 120	\$ -	\$ 57
26.0 Supplies and materials	\$ 22	\$ 41	\$ 51
31.0 Equipment	\$ 42	\$ 80	\$ 97
43.0 Interest and dividends	\$ -	\$ -	\$ -
44.0 Refunds	\$ -	\$ -	\$ -
99.0 Obligations, Appropriated (Annual)	\$ 3,688	\$ 4,400	\$ 5,000
<i>Subtotal, PC&B</i>	<i>\$ 1,478</i>	<i>\$ 1,756</i>	<i>\$ 2,134</i>
<i>Subtotal, Non-labor</i>	<i>\$ 2,210</i>	<i>\$ 2,644</i>	<i>\$ 2,866</i>

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FY 2022 Budget Request by Former President

(Dollars in Thousands)

	CARTER	CLINTON	G W BUSH	OBAMA	TRUMP	TOTAL
Personnel Compensation	\$ -	\$ 96	\$ 96	\$ 110	\$ 150	\$ 452
Personnel Benefits	\$ -	\$ 123	\$ 125	\$ 110	\$ 141	\$ 499
Pensions for Former Presidents	\$ 225	\$ 244	\$ 238	\$ 251	\$ 225	\$ 1,183
Travel	\$ -	\$ -	\$ -	\$ -	\$ -	\$ -
Rental Payments to GSA	\$ 118	\$ 612	\$ 542	\$ 563	\$ 160	\$ 1,995
Communications, Utilities, and Misc	\$ 17	\$ 1	\$ 124	\$ 40	\$ 34	\$ 216
Printing	\$ 5	\$ 17	\$ 5	\$ -	\$ 5	\$ 32
Other Services	\$ 122	\$ 92	\$ 40	\$ 62	\$ 159	\$ 475
Supplies	\$ 2	\$ 7	\$ 20	\$ 11	\$ 11	\$ 51
Equipment	\$ -	\$ 26	\$ 20	\$ 36	\$ 15	\$ 97
FY 2022	\$ 489	\$ 1,218	\$ 1,210	\$ 1,183	\$ 900	\$ 5,000

*Personnel Compensation and Benefits for former President Carter's staff are provided by contract support categorized under 'Other Services'.

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