Louisiana School Employees' Retirement System (LSERS)

Program Authorization: Const. Art. 10, Section 29; R.S. 11:1101 et seq.

Agency Description

LSERS is a public retirement system for non-instructional personnel of the Louisiana public school system and began full operation on July 1, 1947.

FY 2015-16 Budget Summary

	Prior Year Actual FY 13-14		Existing Operating Budget FY 14-15		Proposed Operating Budget FY 15-16		Total Proposed Over/Under Existing		<u>%</u> Change
Expenditures & Request:									
Personnel Services	\$	3,179,290	\$	3,480,804	\$	3,524,406	\$	43,602	1.3%
Operating Expenses	\$	819,230	\$	872,643	\$	802,998	\$	(69,645)	(8.0%)
Professional Services	\$	549,390	\$	437,849	\$	362,052	\$	(75,797)	(17.3%)
Acquisitions & Major Repairs	\$	58,283	\$	63,402	\$	107,300	\$	43,898	69.2%
Total Administrative Expenses	\$	4,606,193	\$	4,854,698	\$	4,796,756	\$	(57,942)	(1.2%)
Investment Management Fees	<u>\$</u>	5,071,719	<u>\$</u>	7,300,000	<u>\$</u>	7,300,000	\$		0.0%
Total Expenditures & Request:	\$	9,677,912	\$	12,154,698	\$	12,096,756	\$	(57,942)	(0.5%)
Authorized Full-Time Equivalents:									
Classified		35		32		31		<u>-</u> 1	(3.1%)
Unclassified		<u>4</u>		<u>4</u>		4		<u>0</u>	0.0%
Total FTEs		39		36		35		÷1	(2.8%)

Means of Financing: Funding for LSERS' operating budget comes from three sources: employer contributions, employee contributions, and earnings from trust fund investments. LSERS had \$387.8 million in revenues for the fiscal year ending June 30, 2014.

Approved by the Joint Legislative Committee on the Budget