PROGRAM DESCRIPTION

The Educator Licensure budget is fully fee-funded, provides for all activities of the Offices of Educator Licensure, and includes the budget for the Commission on Professional Standards in Education. This budget account also funds the fingerprint clearance and background check processes; investigation of public and employer complaints of misconduct; and the statutorily mandated tracking, facilitation, and reporting of the licensure discipline process by the State Board of Education. Additionally, the Online Portal for Applications and Licensure (OPAL) is supported by this budget. OPAL will also allow for adherence to mandated data collection and reporting regarding the inequitable distribution of fully certified, experienced, and effective educators serving all students in accordance with the federal Every Student Succeeds Act. Authority: NRS 391.031 - NRS 391.051; NRS 391.053 - NRS 391.059; NRS 391.320 - NRS 391.161; Assembly Bills 7, 77, and 362 (2017) and Senate Bill 287 (2017) NRS 385.175; NRS 385A.430 - NRS 385A.440.

BASE

This request continues 20 positions and associated operating costs. One-time expenditures have been eliminated and partial year costs have been annualized.

| | 2023-2024 ACTUAL | 2024-2025 WORK PROGRAM | 2025-2026 AGENCY REQUEST | 2025-2026 GOVERNOR RECOMMENDS | 2026-2027 AGENCY REQUEST | 2026-2027 GOVERNOR RECOMMENDS |
|------------------------------------|---------------------|------------------------------|--------------------------------|-------------------------------------|--------------------------------|-------------------------------------|
| RESOURCES: | | | | | | |
| BALANCE FORWARD FROM PREVIOUS YEAR | 2,574,286 | 2,530,654 | 2,178,526 | 2,178,526 | 3,529,853 | 1,511,398 |
| BALANCE FORWARD TO NEW YEAR | -2,530,653 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| LICENSES AND FEES | 2,127,998 | 1,771,187 | 4,712,495 | 2,527,091 | 4,720,997 | 2,527,091 |
| TESTING FEES | 16,790 | 15,824 | 15,824 | 15,824 | 15,824 | 15,824 |
| FINGERPRINT FEES | 633,294 | 560,361 | 560,361 | 583,897 | 560,361 | 583,897 |
| TRANSFER IN FED ARPA | 0 | 500,000 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| TRANSFER FROM HEALTH DIVISION | 8,248 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| TOTAL RESOURCES: | 2,829,963 | 5,378,026 | 7,467,206 | 5,305,338 | 8,827,035 | 4,638,210 |
| EXPENDITURES: | | | | | | |
| PERSONNEL SERVICES | 1,772,283 | 1,651,219 | 2,119,052 | 2,118,187 | 2,150,203 | 2,149,238 |
| OUT-OF-STATE TRAVEL | 5,709 | 6,249 | 6,249 | 6,249 | 6,249 | 6,249 |
| IN-STATE TRAVEL | 10,201 | 10,783 | 10,783 | 10,783 | 10,783 | 10,783 |
| OPERATING | 134,338 | 162,292 | 169,376 | 167,992 | 169,604 | 168,211 |
| LICENSURE SYSTEM | 148,320 | 144,000 | 148,320 | 148,320 | 148,320 | 148,320 |
| PROFESSIONAL STANDARDS COMMISSION | 0 | 1,603 | 1,603 | 1,603 | 1,603 | 1,603 |
| MICROCREDENTIALING | 0 | 500,000 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| ED PREPARATION | 14,037 | 15,824 | 15,824 | 15,824 | 15,824 | 15,824 |
| INDIRECT COSTS | 170,738 | 111,054 | 869,937 | 719,137 | 877,361 | 719,137 |
| INFORMATION SERVICES | 22,912 | 17,813 | 16,660 | 16,660 | 16,660 | 16,660 |
| FINGERPRINT FEES | 532,953 | 560,361 | 560,361 | 560,361 | 560,361 | 560,361 |
| DEPARTMENT COST ALLOCATION | 5,822 | 5,822 | 6,708 | 16,344 | 6,708 | 16,344 |
| RESERVE | 0 | 2,178,526 | 3,529,853 | 1,511,398 | 4,850,879 | 813,000 |
| PURCHASING ASSESSMENT | 174 | 174 | 174 | 174 | 174 | 174 |
| STATEWIDE COST ALLOCATION PLAN | 12,476 | 12,306 | 12,306 | 12,306 | 12,306 | 12,306 |

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| | 2023-2024 ACTUAL | 2024-2025 WORK PROGRAM | 2025-2026 AGENCY REQUEST | 2025-2026 GOVERNOR RECOMMENDS | 2026-2027 AGENCY REQUEST | 2026-2027 GOVERNOR RECOMMENDS |
|---|---------------------|------------------------------|--------------------------------|-------------------------------------|--------------------------------|-------------------------------------|
| TOTAL EXPENDITURES: TOTAL POSITIONS: | 2,829,963 20.00 | 5,378,026 20.00 | 7,467,206 20.00 | , , | 8,827,035 20.00 | · · · |

MAINTENANCE

M100 STATEWIDE INFLATION

This request funds rate changes for internal service funds such as the Attorney General, Fleet Services, information technology services, state-owned building rent, vehicle insurance, personnel assessments, and property and contents insurance.

| | 2023-2024 ACTUAL | 2024-2025 WORK PROGRAM | 2025-2026 AGENCY REQUEST | 2025-2026 GOVERNOR RECOMMENDS | 2026-2027 AGENCY REQUEST | 2026-2027 GOVERNOR RECOMMENDS |
|--|---------------------|------------------------------|--------------------------------|-------------------------------------|--------------------------------|-------------------------------------|
| RESOURCES: | | | | | | |
| BALANCE FORWARD FROM PREVIOUS YEAR | 0 | 0 | C | 0 | 0 | -21,918 |
| LICENSES AND FEES | 0 | 0 | 2,544 | . 0 | 2,544 | . 0 |
| TOTAL RESOURCES: | 0 | 0 | 2,544 | 0 | 2,544 | -21,918 |
| EXPENDITURES: | | | | | | |
| PERSONNEL SERVICES | 0 | 0 | 605 | 4,574 | 605 | 4,574 |
| OPERATING | 0 | 0 | 659 | 6,216 | 659 | 6,212 |
| INFORMATION SERVICES | 0 | 0 | 1,280 | 11,302 | 1,280 | 10,832 |
| RESERVE | 0 | 0 | C | -21,918 | 0 | -43,362 |
| PURCHASING ASSESSMENT | 0 | 0 | C | -174 | 0 | -174 |
| TOTAL EXPENDITURES: | 0 | 0 | 2,544 | 0 | 2,544 | -21,918 |
| M300 FRINGE BENEFITS RATE ADJUSTMENT This request funds changes to fringe benefits rates. | | | | | | |
| | 2023-2024 ACTUAL | 2024-2025 WORK PROGRAM | 2025-2026 AGENCY REQUEST | 2025-2026 GOVERNOR RECOMMENDS | 2026-2027 AGENCY REQUEST | 2026-2027 GOVERNOR RECOMMENDS |
| RESOURCES: | | | | | | |

| BALANCE FORWARD FROM PREVIOUS YEAR LICENSES AND FEES | 0 0 | 0 0 | 0 1,220 | 0 0 | 0 1,220 | -70,981 0 |
|---|--------|--------|------------|--------|------------|--------------|
| TOTAL RESOURCES: | 0 | 0 | 1,220 | 0 | 1,220 | -70,981 |
| EXPENDITURES: PERSONNEL SERVICES | 0 | 0 | 1,220 | 70,981 | 1,220 | 58,746 |

| | 2023-2024 ACTUAL | 2024-2025 WORK PROGRAM | 2025-2026 AGENCY REQUEST | 2025-2026 GOVERNOR RECOMMENDS | 2026-2027 AGENCY REQUEST | 2026-2027 GOVERNOR RECOMMENDS |
|---------------------|---------------------|------------------------------|--------------------------------|-------------------------------------|--------------------------------|-------------------------------------|
| RESERVE | 0 | 0 | | -70,981 | 0 | -129,727 |
| TOTAL EXPENDITURES: | 0 | 0 | 1,22 | 0 0 | 1,220 | -70,981 |

ENHANCEMENT

E126 EDUCATION & WORKFORCE

This request funds membership to the Interstate Teacher Mobility Compact and conference travel.

| | 2023-2024 ACTUAL | 2024-2025 WORK PROGRAM | 2025-2026 AGENCY REQUEST | 2025-2026 GOVERNOR RECOMMENDS | 2026-2027 AGENCY REQUEST | 2026-2027 GOVERNOR RECOMMENDS |
|------------------------------------|---------------------|------------------------------|--------------------------------|-------------------------------------|--------------------------------|-------------------------------------|
| RESOURCES: | | | | | | |
| BALANCE FORWARD FROM PREVIOUS YEAR | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | -33,668 |
| LICENSES AND FEES | 0 | 0 | 33,668 | 0 | 33,668 | 0 |
| TOTAL RESOURCES: | 0 | 0 | 33,668 | 0 | 33,668 | -33,668 |
| EXPENDITURES: | | | | | | |
| IN-STATE TRAVEL | 0 | 0 | 3,668 | 3,668 | 3,668 | 3,668 |
| OPERATING | 0 | 0 | 30,000 | 30,000 | 30,000 | 30,000 |
| RESERVE | 0 | 0 | 0 | -33,668 | 0 | -67,336 |
| TOTAL EXPENDITURES: | 0 | 0 | 33,668 | 0 | 33,668 | -33,668 |

E127 EDUCATION & WORKFORCE

This request adds one Program Officer position to oversee day-to-day operations of the technical licensing processes.

| | 2023-2024 ACTUAL | 2024-2025 WORK PROGRAM | 2025-2026 AGENCY REQUEST | 2025-2026 GOVERNOR RECOMMENDS | 2026-2027 AGENCY REQUEST | 2026-2027 GOVERNOR RECOMMENDS |
|------------------------------------|---------------------|------------------------------|--------------------------------|-------------------------------------|--------------------------------|-------------------------------------|
| RESOURCES: | | | | | | |
| BALANCE FORWARD FROM PREVIOUS YEAR | 0 | 0 | C |) 0 | 0 | -94,649 |
| LICENSES AND FEES | 0 | 0 | 109,239 | 0 | 136,121 | 0 |
| TOTAL RESOURCES: | 0 | 0 | 109,239 | 0 | 136,121 | -94,649 |
| EXPENDITURES: | | | | | | |
| PERSONNEL SERVICES | 0 | 0 | 85,611 | 70,541 | 116,485 | 95,222 |
| OUT-OF-STATE TRAVEL | 0 | 0 | 3,602 | 3,602 | 3,602 | 3,602 |
| IN-STATE TRAVEL | 0 | 0 | 4,331 | 4,331 | 4,331 | 4,331 |
| OPERATING | 0 | 0 | 8,696 | 8,739 | 10,300 | 10,368 |

| | 2023-2024 ACTUAL | 2024-2025 WORK PROGRAM | 2025-2026 AGENCY REQUEST | 2025-2026 GOVERNOR RECOMMENDS | 2026-2027 AGENCY REQUEST | 2026-2027 GOVERNOR RECOMMENDS |
|---|---------------------|------------------------------|--------------------------------|-------------------------------------|--------------------------------|-------------------------------------|
| INFORMATION SERVICES | 0 | 0 | 6,999 | 9 7,436 | 1,403 | 1,879 |
| RESERVE | 0 | 0 | (| -94,649 | 0 | -210,051 |
| TOTAL EXPENDITURES: | 0 | 0 | 109,239 | 9 0 | 136,121 | -94,649 |
| TOTAL POSITIONS: | 0.00 | 0.00 | 1.00 | 0 1.00 | 1.00 | 1.00 |
| E131 EDUCATION & WORKFORCE | | | | | | |
| This request funds Smartsheet licenses. | | | | | | |
| | 2023-2024 ACTUAL | 2024-2025 WORK PROGRAM | 2025-2026 AGENCY REQUEST | 2025-2026 GOVERNOR RECOMMENDS | 2026-2027 AGENCY REQUEST | 2026-2027 GOVERNOR RECOMMENDS |
| RESOURCES: | | | - | | | |
| BALANCE FORWARD FROM PREVIOUS YEAR | 0 | 0 | (| 0 0 | 0 | -530 |
| TOTAL RESOURCES: | 0 | 0 | | 0 0 | 0 | -530 |
| EXPENDITURES: | | | | | | |
| OPERATING | 0 | 0 | (| 530 | 0 | 530 |
| RESERVE | 0 | 0 | (| -530 | 0 | -1,060 |

TOTAL EXPENDITURES:

E132 EDUCATION & WORKFORCE

This request adds non-state-owned office rent for existing staff not previously budgeted.

| | 2023-2024 ACTUAL | 2024-2025 WORK PROGRAM | 2025-2026 AGENCY REQUEST | 2025-2026 GOVERNOR RECOMMENDS | 2026-2027 AGENCY REQUEST | 2026-2027 GOVERNOR RECOMMENDS |
|---|---------------------|------------------------------|--------------------------------|-------------------------------------|--------------------------------|-------------------------------------|
| RESOURCES: BALANCE FORWARD FROM PREVIOUS YEAR | 0 | 0 | (|) 0 | 0 | -3,424 |
| TOTAL RESOURCES: EXPENDITURES: | 0 | 0 | (|) 0 | 0 | -3,424 |
| OPERATING | 0 | 0 | (|) 3,424 | 0 | 3,432 |
| RESERVE | 0 | 0 | (| -3,424 | 0 | -6,856 |
| TOTAL EXPENDITURES: | 0 | 0 | (|) 0 | 0 | -3,424 |

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E999 UNFUNDED

| | 2023-2024 ACTUAL | 2024-2025 WORK PROGRAM | 2025-2026 AGENCY REQUEST | 2025-2026 GOVERNOR RECOMMENDS | 2026-2027 AGENCY REQUEST | 2026-2027 GOVERNOR RECOMMENDS |
|---------------------------------------|---------------------|------------------------------|--------------------------------|-------------------------------------|--------------------------------|-------------------------------------|
| RESOURCES: UNFUNDED DECISION UNITS | 0 | 0 | -82,544 | 0 | -44,362 | 0 |
| | | 0 | · · · · | | · · · · | 0 |
| TOTAL RESOURCES: | 0 | 0 | -82,544 | 0 | -44,362 | 0 |
| SUMMARY | | | | | | |
| | 2023-2024 ACTUAL | 2024-2025 WORK PROGRAM | 2025-2026 AGENCY REQUEST | 2025-2026 GOVERNOR RECOMMENDS | 2026-2027 AGENCY REQUEST | 2026-2027 GOVERNOR RECOMMENDS |
| RESOURCES: | | | | | | |
| BALANCE FORWARD FROM PREVIOUS YEAR | 2,574,286 | 2,530,654 | 2,178,526 | 2,178,526 | 3,529,853 | 1,286,228 |
| BALANCE FORWARD TO NEW YEAR | -2,530,653 | 0 | 0 | | 0 | 0 |
| LICENSES AND FEES | 2,127,998 | 1,771,187 | 4,776,622 | | 4,850,188 | 2,527,091 |
| TESTING FEES | 16,790 | 15,824 | 15,824 | 15,824 | 15,824 | 15,824 |
| FINGERPRINT FEES | 633,294 | 560,361 | 560,361 | 583,897 | 560,361 | 583,897 |
| TRANSFER IN FED ARPA | 0 | 500,000 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| TRANSFER FROM HEALTH DIVISION | 8,248 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| TOTAL RESOURCES: | 2,829,963 | 5,378,026 | 7,531,333 | 5,305,338 | 8,956,226 | 4,413,040 |
| EXPENDITURES: | | | | | | |
| PERSONNEL SERVICES | 1,772,283 | 1,651,219 | 2,133,061 | 2,264,283 | 2,214,396 | 2,307,780 |
| OUT-OF-STATE TRAVEL | 5,709 | 6,249 | 8,017 | 9,851 | 8,017 | 9,851 |
| IN-STATE TRAVEL | 10,201 | 10,783 | 14,201 | 18,782 | 14,201 | 18,782 |
| OPERATING | 134,338 | 162,292 | 201,931 | 216,901 | 203,563 | 218,753 |
| LICENSURE SYSTEM | 148,320 | 144,000 | 148,320 | 148,320 | 148,320 | 148,320 |
| PROFESSIONAL STANDARDS COMMISSION | 0 | 1,603 | 1,603 | 1,603 | 1,603 | 1,603 |
| MICROCREDENTIALING | 0 | 500,000 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| ED PREPARATION | 14,037 | 15,824 | 15,824 | 15,824 | 15,824 | 15,824 |
| INDIRECT COSTS | 170,738 | 111,054 | 869,937 | 719,137 | 877,361 | 719,137 |
| INFORMATION SERVICES | 22,912 | 17,813 | 29,037 | 35,398 | 42,513 | 29,371 |
| FINGERPRINT FEES | 532,953 | 560,361 | 560,361 | 560,361 | 560,361 | 560,361 |
| DEPARTMENT COST ALLOCATION | 5,822 | 5,822 | 6,708 | 16,344 | 6,708 | 16,344 |
| RESERVE | 0 | 2,178,526 | 3,529,853 | 1,286,228 | 4,850,879 | |
| PURCHASING ASSESSMENT | 174 | 174 | 174 | 0 | 174 | 0 |

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| | 2023-2024 ACTUAL | 2024-2025 WORK PROGRAM | 2025-2026 AGENCY REQUEST | 2025-2026 GOVERNOR RECOMMENDS | 2026-2027 AGENCY REQUEST | 2026-2027 GOVERNOR RECOMMENDS |
|--------------------------------|---------------------|------------------------------|--------------------------------|-------------------------------------|--------------------------------|-------------------------------------|
| STATEWIDE COST ALLOCATION PLAN | 12,476 | 12,306 | 12,306 | 12,306 | 12,306 | 12,306 |
| TOTAL EXPENDITURES: | 2,829,963 | 5,378,026 | 7,531,333 | 5,305,338 | 8,956,226 | 4,413,040 |
| PERCENT CHANGE: | | 90.04% | 40.04% | -1.35% | 18.92% | -16.82% |
| TOTAL POSITIONS: | 20.00 | 20.00 | 21.00 | 21.00 | 21.00 | 21.00 |