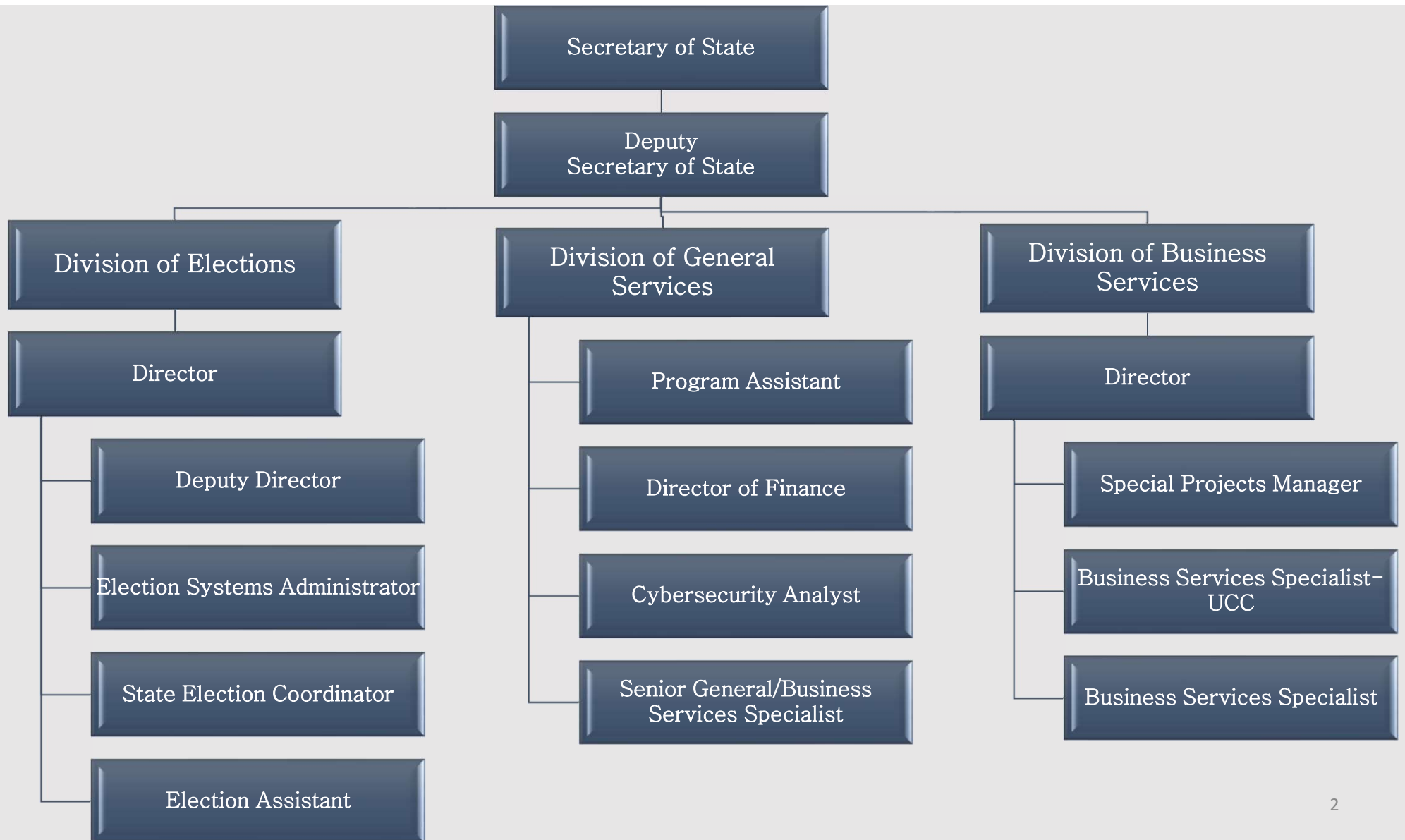




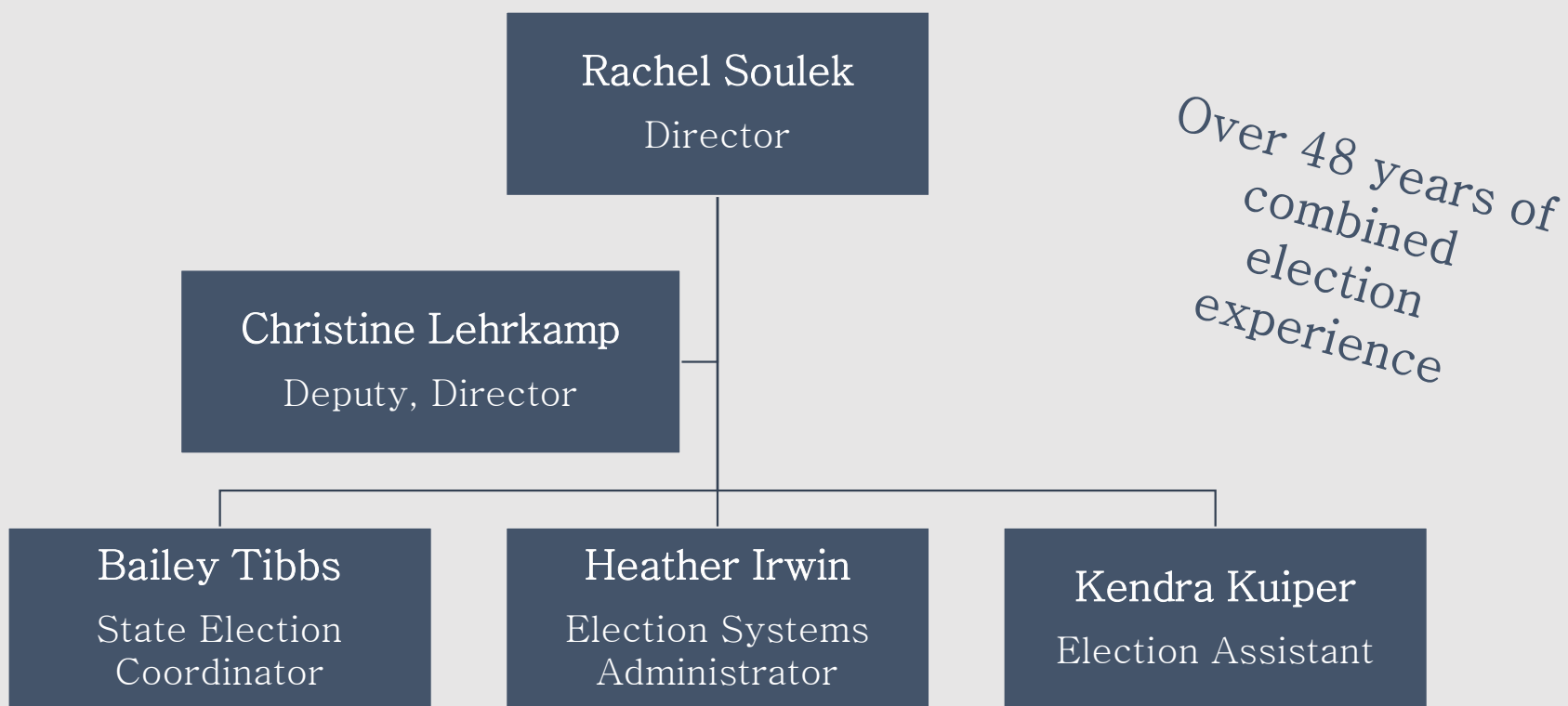
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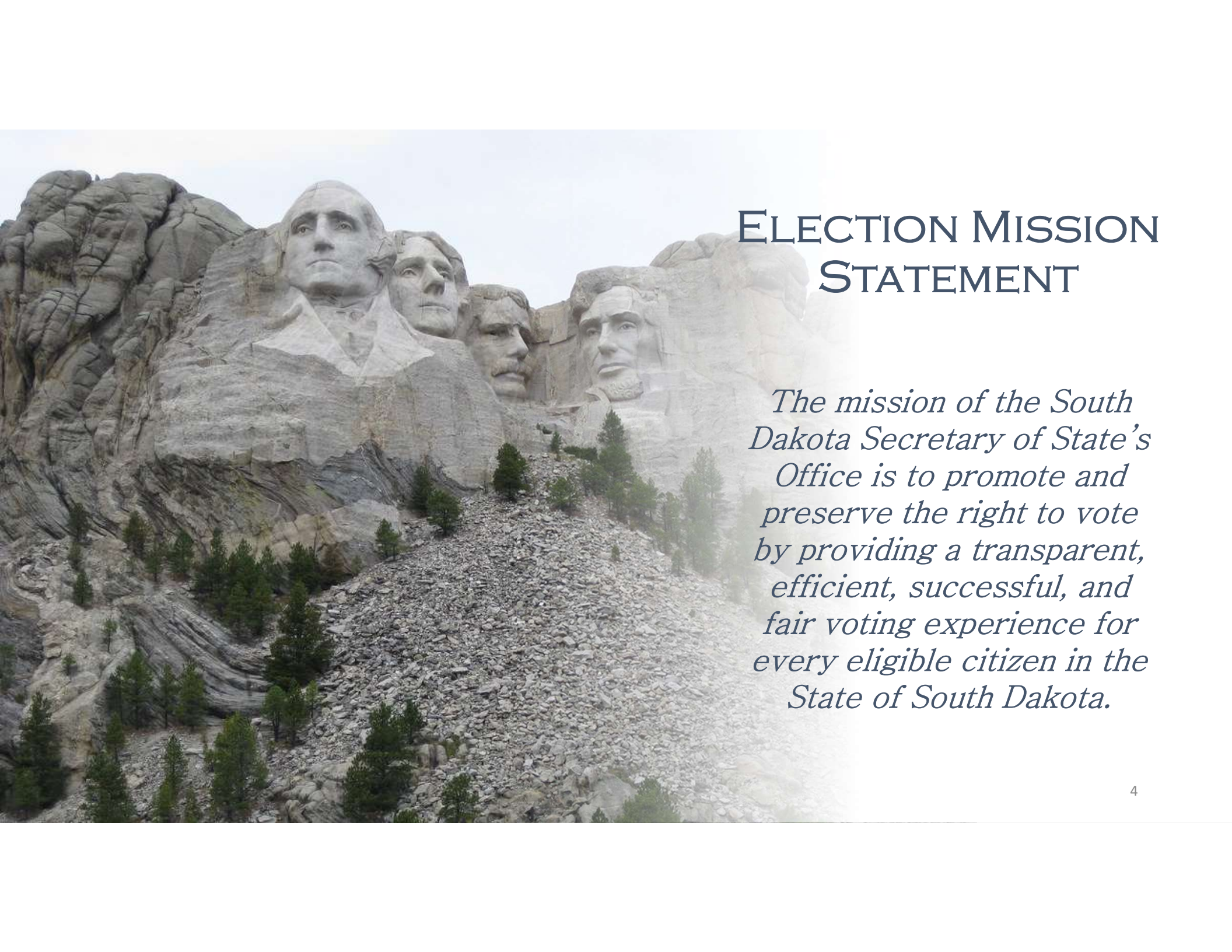
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BUDGET APPROPRIATION
FEBRUARY 1, 2024



DIVISION OF ELECTIONS STAFF





ELECTION MISSION STATEMENT

The mission of the South Dakota Secretary of State's Office is to promote and preserve the right to vote by providing a transparent, efficient, successful, and fair voting experience for every eligible citizen in the State of South Dakota.

DIVISION OF ELECTIONS

- Constituent Services
 - Phone Calls
 - Emails
 - Letter Responses
 - Drop-Ins
- Campaign Finance Reporting
- TotalVote Election System
 - Electronic Voter Registration System and Absentee Ballot Application System
 - Voter Information Portal
- State Board of Elections
- Help America Vote Act (HAVA)
 - HAVA Grant Board
- Assist & Coordinate elections process
 - County Auditors
 - Municipal Finance Officers
 - School Business Managers
 - Special Districts
 - Candidates at all levels
 - Post-Election Audits
- Cybersecurity
- Financial Interest Statements
 - Elected Officials
 - Candidate
- Election Operations
- Trainings and Workshops
 - City/County/School
 - Department of Public Services
 - Department of Social Services
 - Department of Labor & Regulation
- Preparation of election publications & information
 - Manuals
 - Forms
 - Brochures
 - Website
 - Media
 - Local
 - State
 - National
- National Voter Registration Act
- Approval & Validation of Ballot Questions
- Ballot Tabulation Equipment Certifications
- Public Records Requests
- Petitions
 - Party
 - Candidate

VOTER REGISTRATION TOTALS

Party	Total of Active Voters	Total Inactive Voters
Democrat	145,554	
Independent	87,876	
Libertarian	2,886	
No Labels Party (Est. 2023)		
No Party Affiliation	60,374	
Other	975	
Republican	300,721	
Totals	598,386	62,693
There were 23,966 voters removed from the voter rolls in 2023.		

POST-ELECTION AUDIT SECRETARY OF STATE SUMMER STUDY

- The summer study was held on three different days in the summer of 2023. These studies were hands-on, interactive, and very informative.
- The sessions were led by facilitator Jennifer Morrell from The Elections Group and the sessions lasted 5-6 hours each day.
- Those who participated did so voluntarily. They were provided lunch; however, they were not reimbursed for their time or mileage.

SOS SUMMER STUDY PARTICIPANTS

Name	Title
Cindy Mohler	Pennington County Auditor
Susan Kiepke	Davison County Auditor
Doug DeBoer	Hand County Auditor
Leah Anderson	Minnehaha County Auditor
Deb Halverson	Former Lyman County Auditor
Lisa Schieffer	City of Summerset Finance Officer
Twila Hoffrogge	City of Pierre Finance Officer
Vicky Buhr	Sioux Falls Citizen

Name	Title
Rebecca Reimer	Legislative Representative
Kameron Nelson	Legislative Representative
Sue Peterson	Legislative Representative
Mike Buckingham	Board of Elections Member
Gloria Hanson	Fort Pierre Mayor
Travis Lasseter	Pennington County Commissioner
Jim Eschenbaum	Hand County Commissioner

TYPES OF POST-ELECTION AUDITS STUDIED

****TRADITIONAL AUDITS****

- Traditional audits look at a predetermined number of ballots, voting precincts, or devices and compare reported results from the voting system to the paper ballot records.

RISK LIMITING AUDITS

- A risk-limiting tabulation audit uses a statistically significant sample of ballots to determine that the reported outcome of the election is correct within a predetermined risk limit.

TRANSITIVE AUDITS

- Transitive audits digitally scan the ballots using a different voting system or tabulator, other than the primary voting system and compare the two systems' results.

****HAND-COUNT AUDITS****

- Hand-count audit is where you compare the results of the machine count to the hand count to assure that the machines are working properly and accurately count votes.

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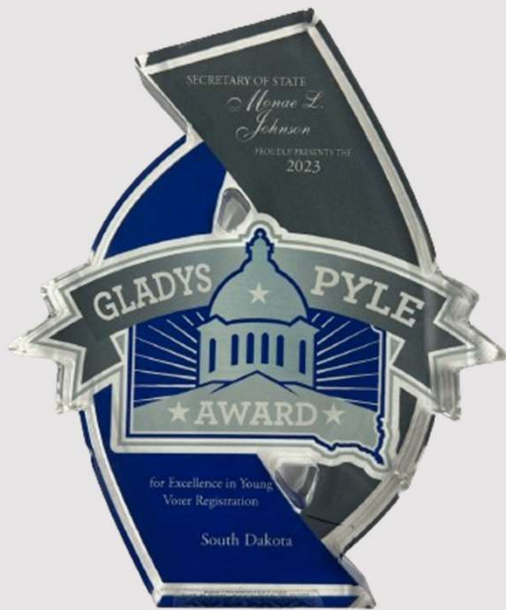
POST-ELECTION AUDITS

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<u>05:02:23:06</u> Post-Election auditing board receipt for official ballots.	<u>05:02:23:07</u> Public vote count.	<u>05:02:23:08</u> Opening receptacle or container.	<u>05:02:23:09</u> Auditing procedures.	<u>05:02:23:10</u> Tally of ballots.
<u>05:02:23:11</u> Post-election audit tally sheets.	<u>05:02:23:12</u> Certificate of post-election audit.	<u>05:02:23:13</u> Reserved.	<u>05:02:23:14</u> Reserved.	<u>05:02:23:15</u> Reimbursement of post-election audit costs.

ELECTION CYBERSECURITY ANALYST

- With growing nationwide concerns in cybersecurity, the Secretary of State's Office hired its first Cybersecurity Analyst in November 2023.
- With the assistance of the State's Chief Information Security Officer, Jamie Saint Jean, was hired to monitor all the current platforms such as the TotalVote (voter registration system) as well as the Business Services online system.
- Jamie is embedded with the BIT's Security Operations Center, where she benefits from having a state-of-the-art security operations center that has specialized knowledge and direct support that comes with a dedicated cybersecurity analyst. She monitors data for our office while ensuring our platforms remain secure.

GLADYS PYLE AWARD



- Secretary Johnson established the Gladys Pyle Award in 2023.
- This award will be presented annually to every South Dakota high school that signs up and registers at least 90% of their age-eligible students to vote.
- This award encourages schools and students to get involved in the election process.

HELP AMERICA VOTE ACT (HAVA) OF 2002

Title I

- Title I funds are exclusively for The Secretary of State's office to use for improving the administration of elections for federal office.

Title II

- Title II are funds that are for counties to use for improving the administration of elections for federal office.
- State Held Funds
- County Held Funds

2018/2020 ELECTION SECURITY GRANTS

- HAVA Election Security grants were first appropriated in 2018. South Dakota was awarded \$3,000,000 to be used for improving the administration of elections for federal office, including enhancing security technology. A state match of \$150,000 had to be met before any of the funds could be spent. The Secretary of State's office used the match funds toward statewide election equipment purchases for the counties including tabulators and Express Votes ballot marking devices.
- In 2020, an additional \$3,000,000 was awarded to South Dakota. However, the state match was \$600,000 before any federal funds could be spent. A state match of \$300,000 was met in fiscal year 2022 to upgrade the county's equipment used during federal elections. Some of the equipment purchased were barcode scanners, electronic letter openers, desktop scanners, and laptops.
 - The remaining \$300,000 was appropriated during the 2023 Legislative Session under SB161. These funds will be used toward the upgrade for TotalVote as well as Post-Election Audit expenses for the 2024 general election.

2022/2023 ELECTION SECURITY GRANTS

- The Election Assistance Commission (EAC) awarded South Dakota \$1,000,000 for the 2022 Election Security Grant. This award came with a 20% state match requirement that must be appropriated within two years of accepting the grant.
- Another \$1,000,000 was awarded to South Dakota for the 2023 Election Security Grant with a state match of 20%.
- Once the state match is appropriated, the election security grant will be used to fund ongoing projects such as providing county auditors with secure .gov emails, cybersecurity software licenses, and the voter registration system yearly maintenance cost.

HAVA GRANT BALANCES

Title I Grant Balance \$1,432,006.12	Title II State Held Balance \$3,527,054.87
Total Election Fund Balance \$11,955,467.12	
Title II County Held Balance \$1,671,053.99	Election Security Grant Balance \$5,325,352.14

2023 HAVA GRANT BOARD MEETING

- The HAVA Grant Board was established in 2014.
- The HAVA Grant procedures are listed in the 2014 State Plan that was submitted to the Election Assistance Commission.
- Examples of activities eligible for local government grant funding are listed below:
 - Developing and requiring education and training programs and related services for state, county, and local election officials involved in the conduct of elections;
 - Replacing or upgrading voting equipment;
 - Purchasing additional voting equipment;
 - Approving an appropriate level of financial support of local activities related to HAVA requirements; and
 - Developing additional in-person absentee voting locations.
- Before a county may apply for a HAVA grant, all funds in their State-Held account and County-Held Match Money account must be spent.

2023 HAVA GRANT APPROVALS

County	Amount Approved		County	Amount Approved
Brule County	9,000.00		Jackson County	9,000.00
Buffalo County	9,000.00		Jones County	9,000.00
Charles Mix County	5,675.55		McCook County	9,000.00
Corson County	9,000.00		Meade County	9,000.00
Davison County	9,000.00		Oglala Lakota County	9,000.00
Day County	9,000.00		Potter County	9,000.00
Dewey County	9,000.00		Sanborn County	9,000.00
Edmunds County	9,000.00		Sully County	9,000.00
Fall River County	9,000.00		Union County	9,000.00
Grant County	9,000.00		Ziebach County	9,000.00
Hughes County	9,000.00		Total	185,675.55

2023 IN-PERSON SATELLITE SITE APPROVALS

County	Amount Approved
Buffalo County	9,000.00
Dewey County	10,454.00
Jackson County	24,094.32
Oglala Lakota County	24,500.00
Total	68,048.32

- The following criteria must be met before a county may be allowed to use HAVA funds to set-up an additional in-person satellite absentee voting location in a particular jurisdiction. The voters living in the jurisdiction are:
 - Have 50% more individuals below the poverty line than the rest of the county; and
 - Live, on average, 50% farther from the existing county seat or other satellite location than the rest of the county.

SECRETARY OF STATE'S OFFICE PROPOSED 2024 LEGISLATION

Senate Bill 17	Modify the residency requirements for voter registration and declare an emergency.
Senate Bill 18	Allow the secretary of state to share information from the statewide voter registration file.
Senate Bill 19	Rescind rulemaking authority pertaining to the process for publishing required voter registration numbers.
Senate Bill 20	Establish the crime of threatening or intimidating an election official or election worker and declare an emergency.
Senate Bill 21	Rescind rule-making authority for the annual report of the number of voters removed from a county's voter registration list.
Senate Bill 48	Provide for the disclosure of a cast vote record and ballot images as a public record and declare an emergency.

DIVISION OF GENERAL SERVICES STAFF

OVER 50 YEARS OF COMBINED EXPERIENCE

Kayla Boxley

Senior General/Business
Services Specialist

Kayla Dowling

Director of Finance

Jamie Saint Jean

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Jeannell Scott

Program Assistant

DIVISION OF GENERAL SERVICES

- Constituent Services
 - Phone Calls
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 - Letter Responses
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- Public Records Requests
- Notary Public Commissions
- Concealed Carry Pistol Permits
- Lobbyist Registration & Expense Reports
- Apostilles & Authentications
- Executive Filings
 - General Appointments
 - Oaths of Office
 - Executive Orders
 - Proclamations
 - Pardons
 - Extraditions
- Bond Information Statements
- Newspaper Ownership and Circulation
- Personality's Right of Publicity
- Athlete Agent Registration
- Keeper of the State Seal
- Drafts, Edits, and Publishes the Legislative Manual (Blue Book) each odd year
- Filing of Legislative Session Documents
- Raffle Requests
- State Board of Finance
- Gaming Compacts

PISTOL PERMIT REIMBURSEMENTS

- During the 2022 legislative session, a bill was passed to reimburse counties for permits they issued each year.
- In 2022, counties were reimbursed for permits they issued July 2022 through December 2022 totaling \$84,925.
- We are currently working on reconciling the permits that were issued in 2023 to determine how much each county should be reimbursed.
- Statements will be issued to counties by the January 31st per SDCL 23-7-72 and payments will be made by March 31st by the Secretary of State's Office to the Sheriff's Office.

GENERAL FUND

REVENUE

- Annual Report Late Filing Fee
- Apostilles and Authentications
- Photocopies
- Domestic Corporations
- Election Services Fee
- Foreign Corporations
- Lobbyist Registrations
- Notary Public
- Paper Filing Fees
- Trademark Registrations
- Uniform Commercial Code (UCC)
- Post Secondary Education

EXPENSES

- National Association of Secretaries of State and National Association of State Election Directors registration and travel fees
- Expenses related to Campaign Finance Maintenance
- Expenses associated with Concealed Carry Pistol Permits
- General office expenses such as telephone, BIT, mail, elections publications, office space and office supplies
- Monthly bank fees for credit card transactions for filings processed online
- Elections Division staff salaries
- Post-Election Audit Expenses

OFFICE OF THE SECRETARY OF STATE'S MEMBERSHIPS

National Association of Secretaries of State

- NASS serves as a medium for the exchange of information between states and fosters cooperation in the development of public policy. Key initiatives of NASS are in the areas of elections and voting, state business services, cybersecurity, and archives/records management.

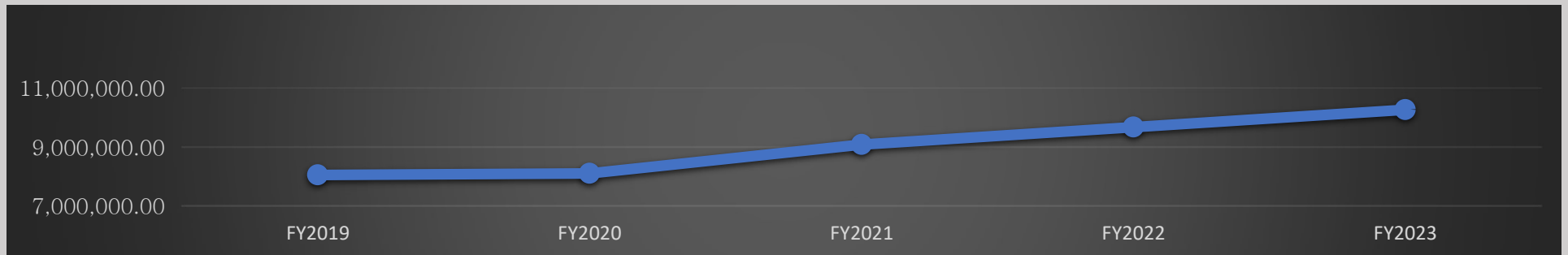
National Association of State Election Directors

- NASED facilitates information sharing across the states and territories. They assist the federal government in sharing information with state and territorial election officials and understand the complexities of election administration. They serve as an exchange of best practices and ideas regarding elections.

International Association of Commercial Administrators

- Professional association for government administrators of business organization and secured transaction record systems at the state, provincial, territorial, and national level in any jurisdiction which has or anticipates development of such systems.

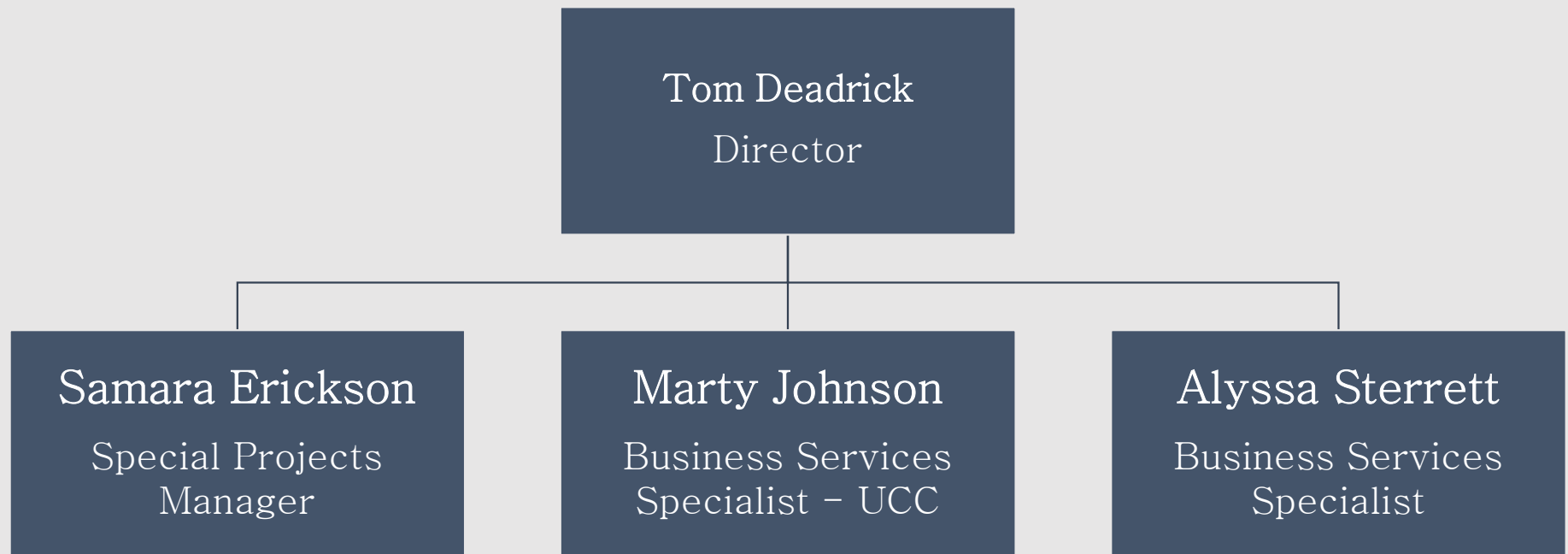
GENERAL FUND REVENUE COMPARISON



General Fund	FY2019		FY2020		FY2021		FY2022		FY2023
Annual Report Late Filing Fee	378,625.00	-9.1%	347,150.00	-12.0%	309,950.00	16.3%	370,325.00	24.9%	493,150.00
Authentications & Apostilles	27,650.00	4.5%	28,949.00	18.9%	35,700.00	-1.6%	35,125.00	-1.2%	34,725.00
Copy Fees	147,167.00	7.2%	158,638.00	21.0%	200,867.00	-26.7%	158,507.00	9.9%	175,912.00
Domestic Annual Reports	2,611,128.00	3.7%	2,712,094.00	4.4%	2,835,951.00	7.4%	3,064,011.00	9.1%	3,370,550.00
Domestic Corporation Filings	1,359,830.00	2.3%	1,391,820.00	25.4%	1,866,675.00	10.4%	2,084,377.00	1.6%	2,118,444.00
Election Services Fees	3,679.00	-135.8%	1,560.00	63.0%	4,220.00	-97.2%	2,140.00	0.5%	2,150.00
Foreign Annual Reports	822,244.00	2.9%	846,901.00	2.8%	870,896.00	6.4%	930,176.00	7.9%	1,010,090.00
Foreign Corporation Filings	1,574,285.00	-3.5%	1,521,170.00	16.6%	1,824,130.00	7.9%	1,980,020.00	2.1%	2,022,875.00
Lobbyist Registration Fees	27,895.00	-6.0%	26,320.00	1.1%	26,600.00	-37.2%	19,383.00	34.6%	29,640.00
Miscellaneous Filing Fees	3,612.99	11.2%	4,069.00	0.1%	4,075.00	-16.2%	3,507.90	14.9%	4,120.39
Notaries	92,175.00	-4.1%	88,530.00	1.0%	89,400.00	18.2%	109,260.00	-5.2%	103,890.00
Paper Filing Fee	40,085.00	-19.7%	33,475.00	-12.5%	29,760.00	1.9%	30,345.00	9.6%	33,585.00
Regular Pistol Permits	86,557.00	-111.8%	40,859.00	33.4%	61,353.00	0.0%	61,347.00	-2432.9%	2,422.00
Trademarks	47,446.00	-13.7%	41,730.00	8.7%	45,710.00	-5.4%	43,380.00	-19.0%	36,440.00
UCC Filings	824,096.00	3.3%	852,114.00	2.0%	869,772.00	-13.2%	768,307.00	5.7%	814,507.00
Postsecondary Education	2,000.00	0.0%	2,270.00	-354.0%	500.00	60.0%	1,250.00	0.0%	1,250.00
	8,048,474.99	0.6%	8,097,649.00	10.8%	9,075,559.00	6.1%	9,661,460.90	5.8%	10,253,750.39

DIVISION OF BUSINESS SERVICES STAFF

OVER 50 YEARS OF COMBINED EXPERIENCE



BUSINESS SERVICES MISSION STATEMENT

*The mission of the
South Dakota
Secretary of State's
Business Services
Division is to provide
an efficient,
professional, and
customer-oriented
filing experience.*



DIVISION OF BUSINESS SERVICES

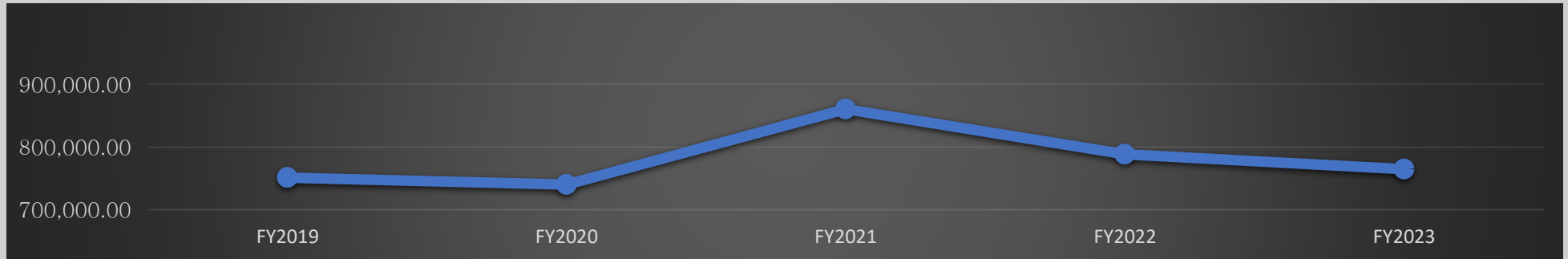
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- Corporate Filings
 - Limited Liability Companies
 - Series LLCs
 - Business Corporations
 - Non-Profit Corporations
- Annual Reports
- Administrative Dissolutions/Revocations
- Reinstatements
- Business Trusts
- Limited Partnerships
- Limited Liability Partnerships
- Limited Liability Limited Partnerships
- Certificates of Good Standing
- Summons and Complaints
- Non-Resident Motorists and Small Claims
- Memorandums of Understanding
 - Cheyenne River Sioux Tribe Compact
 - UCC Filings
 - Oglala Sioux Tribe Compact
 - UCC Filings
 - Dakota Wesleyan University
 - Quarterly Economic Reports
- Uniform Commercial Code Filings (UCCs)
- Fictitious Business Statements Filings (DBAs)
- Trademarks
- Farm/Ranch/Home Name
- Post-Secondary Education

RECORDS MANAGEMENT

- In 2016, all business filings and UCC images were digitized from microfilm and microfiche. This project involved over 650,000 images.
- The project was to include the digitization of the images as well as the indexing of them once they were saved on the electronic filing system. However, due the cost and complexity of the indexing, that part of the project was put on hold.
- All UCC images prior to 2002 are stored on a BIT server and are readily available to individuals and companies requesting copies through the Secretary of State's office.

OFFICE OF THE SECRETARY OF STATE PERFORMANCE INDICATORS	ACTUAL FY2019	ACTUAL FY2020	ACTUAL FY2021	ACTUAL FY2022	ACTUAL FY2023	OPERATING FY 2024	ESTIMATED FY2025
<u>CORPORATIONS</u>							
Corporations Annual Reports	77,345	80,019	84,126	90,038	95,917	87,500	90,000
<u>DOMESTIC</u>							
Corporations in File	26,245	26,261	26,600	26,824	24,850	26,000	26,000
Limited Partnerships in File	2,428	2,450	2,336	2,367	2,367	2,400	2,400
Limited Liability Companies in File	38,902	42,827	49,477	56,025	59,664	52,500	58,000
Limited Liability Partnerships in File	818	826	839	821	817	825	825
New Corporations	1,100	1,009	1,247	1,490	1,296	1,300	1,150
New Limited Partnerships	63	57	65	87	69	75	70
New Limited Liability Companies	6,324	6,542	9,601	11,028	10,920	10,000	10,500
New Limited Liability Partnerships	34	46	61	34	28	50	35
<u>FOREIGN</u>							
Corporations in File	12,017	12,167	12,500	12,861	12,810	12,000	12,000
Limited Partnerships in File	557	555	559	571	573	550	550
Limited Liability Companies in File	6,892	7,443	8,315	9,278	9,835	8,500	8,750
Limited Liability Partnerships in File	105	115	118	131	133	125	125
New Corporations	914	849	984	1,013	1,143	900	1,000
New Limited Partnerships	13	9	16	20	15	15	15
New Limited Liability Companies	1,006	997	1,310	1,448	1,547	1,300	1,400
New Limited Liability Partnerships	11	13	11	14	12	10	10
<u>UNIFORMED COMMERCIAL CODE</u>							
UCC Subscribers	594	596	592	585	690	550	600
UCC & EFS	52,931	54,500	56,896	52,248	55,254	54,000	54,000
<u>PISTOL PERMITS</u>							
Pistol Permits - Regular	12,422	5,837	8,764	8,763	8,171	10,000	8,000
Pistol Permits - Enhanced	1,469	978	2,548	2,810	3,058	3,000	3,000
Pistol Permits - Gold Card	111	87	153	120	205	150	150
TOTAL PERMITS ISSUED	14,002	6,902	11,465	11,693	11,434	13,150	11,150
<u>ELECTIONS</u>							
Voter Registration & Absentee Voter Registration File Purchase	167	201	211	378	255	250	250
PAC, Ballot Question, Party Committees	255	262	251	280	287	275	275
Candidate Committees	256	304	222	331	227	300	300
Statewide Initiative and Referendum Petitions	4	3	2	7	3	8	8
<u>OTHER FILINGS</u>							
Trademark Registration	365	342	364	342	235	350	350
Notary Commissions	3,083	2,940	2,994	3,630	3,356	3,500	3,500
Postsecondary Education	4	4	1	4	3	3	3

OTHER FUND REVENUE COMPARISON



Other Fund	FY2019		FY2020		FY2021		FY2022		FY2023
Amended Annual Report Fee	12,600.00	-60.5%	7,850.00	25.2%	10,501.00	25.3%	14,050.00	-2.4%	13,720.00
Annual Subscriber Fees	231,900.00	3.4%	240,175.00	-1.6%	236,400.00	-1.7%	232,390.00	-5.9%	219,475.00
Database Downloads	177,950.00	6.8%	191,012.00	10.1%	212,388.00	11.6%	240,260.00	2.9%	247,416.00
Delivery Fees	2,645.00	-10.0%	2,405.00	-32.9%	1,810.00	0.0%	0.00	0.0%	0.00
Domestic AR Fee Kept	59,859.00	1.3%	60,650.00	7.6%	65,654.00	5.6%	69,533.00	6.6%	74,420.00
Enhanced Pistol Permits	73,100.00	-49.5%	48,900.00	61.6%	127,443.00	-352.2%	28,181.00	-4235.5%	650.00
Expedited Filing Fees	28,140.00	2.8%	28,950.00	-0.9%	28,685.00	12.1%	32,620.00	6.9%	35,050.00
Fictitious Business Name Registration	47,760.00	5.1%	50,340.00	14.5%	58,910.00	1.9%	60,021.00	10.3%	66,940.00
Foreign AR Fee Kept	17,316.00	1.8%	17,635.00	4.2%	18,404.00	6.2%	19,623.00	6.8%	21,055.00
Gold Card Pistol Permit	660.00	-26.4%	522.00	43.1%	918.00	23.5%	1,200.00	-269.2%	325.00
Replacement Pistol Permits	1,014.00	-98.4%	511.00	1.7%	520.00	-1.6%	512.00	-1500.0%	32.00
Return Check Fee	360.00	0.0%	0.00	0.0%	0.00	0.0%	0.00	0.0%	0.00
UCC Fees Kept	97,854.00	-7.0%	91,447.00	7.9%	99,341.00	-10.3%	90,046.00	-4.9%	85,810.00
	751,158.00	-1.5%	740,397.00	14.0%	860,974.00	-9.2%	788,436.00	-3.1%	764,893.00

CURRENT BUSINESS PLATFORM

- Our current platform is version 2.0. Since this version went live in 2015, there have been three version updates, which we have not implemented. With these version updates, we would have been allowed to update our own system without the excess development cost.
- When Secretary Johnson took office in December 2022, the business platform needed to be updated to include the new administration's name and letterhead. An update to the business website also needed to take place.
 - The development cost was \$21,000 and took six months to complete with the version we are using.
- During Legislative Session 2023, House Bill 1189 was passed, which required certain entities owning agricultural land to report foreign beneficial ownership interests.
 - This development and implementation cost was \$9,000 and took three months to complete.

ESTIMATES FOR SYSTEM UPGRADES

Beneficial Owner Update

- Add more sections to the foreign entities annual report filing.
- \$30,000

Series LLC Online

- Add the option to designate as a Master or Series LLC online.
- \$30,000

LLP's Online

- Add the option for Limited Liability Partnerships to register online.
- \$30,000

E-Notarization

- Add the option to publicly identify a person as an e-notary.
- \$16,400

TECUITY BIT AUDIT SUMMARY

- In summer 2023 the Secretary of State's office requested a BIT audit of the Tecuity platform.
- Monthly security scanning from BIT also needs to occur.
- To enhance the security level of the platform, BIT recommended updates take place totaling 1,500 development hours or \$300,000 (\$200/per hour)

WHAT COULD A NEW BUSINESS PLATFORM OFFER?

Increase
Security for
Business Filings

More Online
Filing
Capabilities

Internal Platform
Updates for Law
Changes

More Efficient
Functionality For
the Customers

Dashboard
Features for the
SOS Office

Enhanced
Connectivity
with other State
Agencies

POTENTIAL BUSINESS PLATFORM VENDORS

Company A	This company can offer all the modules we have in our current platform, and the data conversion would run efficiently. When the time comes to update the platform for law changes, the updates would be instantaneous, or an effective date can be assigned.
Company B	While this company can provide a platform that has no annual cost, they cannot provide our office with the current processes we use today. The total estimate of two modules exceeds the cost of using Company A.
Company C	This company can offer an array of features our office can utilize, including low code for updating more efficiently for law changes. However, they cannot propose a platform with all the modules needed to function daily.
Company D	Another company that offered the low code feature and a more interaction between the SOS office and the customer. Again, this company could not fulfil the full requirements of the modules.
Company E	Many features were proposed by this vendor such: as form builders and template management, cloud-based storage, dashboards, and many other features that would allow our office to work more efficiently.



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