	FY 2018	FY 2019	FY 2020	FY 2020
	Actual	Estimated	Requested	Recommended
Expenditure By Object				
Salaries & Fringe Benefits	334,724	415,906	463,348	357,738
Travel	1,529	2,500	3,500	2,500
Contractual Services	75,008	126,460	126,807	126,460
Commodities	27,622	55,920	57,766	55,920
Capital Outlay - Other Than Equipment	0	50,000	0	0
Capital Outlay - Equipment	12,335	5,000	15,000	5,000
Totals	451,218	655,786	666,421	547,618
To Be Funded As Follows:				
State Appropriations	336,795	337,191	392,921	295,397
Federal Funds	0	82,161	83,500	79,933
Overhead	1,986	50,000	5,000	5,000
ECOGIG II	366	0	0	0
SPECTIR, LLC	37,088	0	0	0
RESTORE	74,983	186,434	185,000	167,288
Totals	451,218	655,786	666,421	547,618
Summary Of Positions				
Permanent Full-Time	2	3	4	3
Part-Time	1	1	1	1
Time-Limited Full-Time	0	0	0	0
Part-Time	2	2	2	2
Totals	5	6	7	6
Summary Of Funding				
General Funds	336,795	337,191	392,921	295,397
State Support Funds	0	0	0	0
Special Funds	114,423	318,595	273,500	252,221
Totals	451,218	655,786	666,421	547,618

Agency Description and Programs

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1. Research

This program provides the organized and coordinated research efforts of scientific personnel within Mississippi in mining and mineral related fields; to do research and development on equipment and exploratory techniques involving marine minerals; to investigate and research geological and environmental hazards, their potential threats to populations and communities and means of mitigation; and to train and educate faculty and students in research methods and techniques.

	FY 2018 Actual	FY 2019 Estimated	FY 2020 Requested	FY 2020 Recommended
Summary By Program 1. Research				
Total Funds	451,218	655,786	666,421	547,618