

	FY 2025 Actual	FY 2026 Estimated	FY 2027 Requested	FY 2027 Recommended
<b><u>Expenditure By Object</u></b>				
Salaries & Fringe Benefits	1,476,950	1,030,559	1,136,785	1,037,036
Travel	56,894	23,114	23,114	23,114
Contractual Services	879,524	192,670	192,670	192,670
Commodities	62,305	13,924	13,924	13,924
Capital Outlay - Equipment	27,342	2,000	2,000	2,000
<b>Totals</b>	<b>2,503,015</b>	<b>1,262,267</b>	<b>1,368,493</b>	<b>1,268,744</b>
<b><u>To Be Funded As Follows:</u></b>				
State Appropriations	912,277	917,441	1,023,667	922,966
Federal Funds	1,443,722	344,826	344,826	345,778
National Sea Grant Law Center	147,016	0	0	0
<b>Totals</b>	<b>2,503,015</b>	<b>1,262,267</b>	<b>1,368,493</b>	<b>1,268,744</b>
<b><u>Summary Of Headcounts</u></b>				
Permanent	13	7	7	7
Time-Limited	0	0	0	0
<b>Totals</b>	<b>13</b>	<b>7</b>	<b>7</b>	<b>7</b>
<b><u>Summary Of Funding</u></b>				
General Funds	912,277	917,441	1,023,667	922,966
State Support Funds	0	0	0	0
Special Funds	1,590,738	344,826	344,826	345,778
<b>Totals</b>	<b>2,503,015</b>	<b>1,262,267</b>	<b>1,368,493</b>	<b>1,268,744</b>

**Agency Description and Programs**

The Law Research Institute was established under Section 57-55-5, Mississippi Code of 1972, as an official advisory law revision, research, and reform agency of the state. The mission of the Institute is to examine and study the law of Mississippi to identify defects, inequities, and needed improvements; to receive and consider suggestions from legislators, judges, and other public officials, lawyers, and the general public as to defects and anachronisms in the law; to advise and assist local governments, state agencies, and associations; to provide in-depth and comprehensive legal research and recommendations to the Mississippi Legislature and other agencies of the state and local government for improvement of the jurisprudence of the state utilizing staff council, law school faculty, and law students.

## 1. Research

This program provides law research to promote and encourage the clarification and simplification of the law of Mississippi, to improve the administration of justice, and to carry on scholarly law research in anticipation of legal requirements for the efficient utilization and conservation of the natural resources of the state and the promotion of social, agricultural, industrial, and commercial development.

	FY 2025 Actual	FY 2026 Estimated	FY 2027 Requested	FY 2027 Recommended
<b><u>Summary By Program</u></b>				
1. Research				
Total Funds	2,503,015	1,262,267	1,368,493	1,268,744