

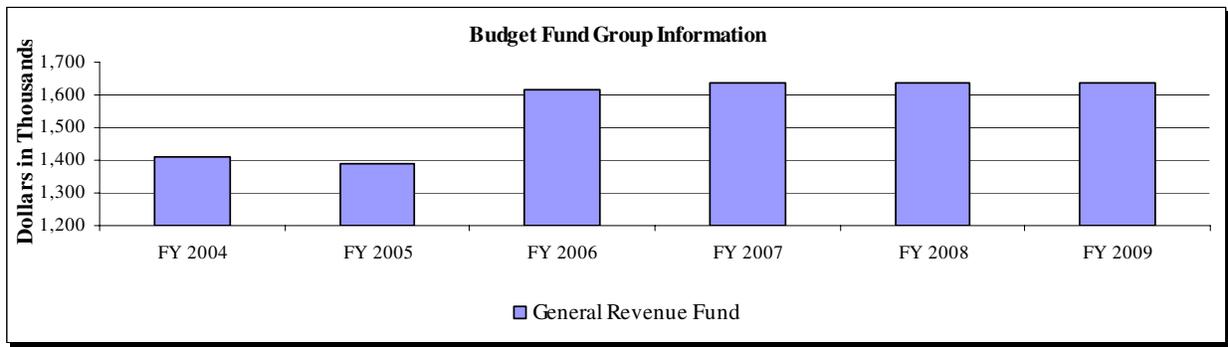
**Role and Overview**

Thirteen veterans' organizations, including the Korean War Veterans, the Jewish War Veterans, the Catholic War Veterans, the Military Order of the Purple Heart, the Vietnam Veterans of America, the American Legion of Ohio, the AMVETS, the Disabled American Veterans, the Marine Corps League, the 37<sup>th</sup> Division Veterans' Association, the Veterans of Foreign Wars, the Army and Navy Union, U.S.A., and the American Ex-Prisoners of War, receive a subsidy from the state to help veterans and their dependents identify and claim benefits to which they are entitled. Each organization provides services to its particular constituency. State funding supplements each organization's other funding raised through membership dues, fund-raising efforts, private donations, and federal grants.

**Executive Priorities for the Veterans' Organizations**

- Support the needs of veterans.

**Summary of Budget History and Recommendations**



(In thousands)	ACTUAL			ESTIMATE	%	RECOMMENDED				
	BUDGET FUND GROUP	FY 2004	FY 2005	FY 2006	FY 2007	FY 06-07	FY 2008	CHANGE	FY 2009	CHANGE
General Revenue Fund		1,409	1,387	1,618	1,635	1.0	1,635	.0	1,635	.0
<b>TOTAL</b>		<b>1,409</b>	<b>1,387</b>	<b>1,618</b>	<b>1,635</b>	<b>1.0</b>	<b>1,635</b>	<b>.0</b>	<b>1,635</b>	<b>.0</b>

(In thousands)	ACTUAL			ESTIMATE	%	RECOMMENDED				
	OBJECT OF EXPENSE	FY 2004	FY 2005	FY 2006	FY 2007	FY 06-07	FY 2008	CHANGE	FY 2009	CHANGE
Subsidy		1,409	1,387	1,618	1,635	1.0	1,635	.0	1,635	.0
<b>TOTAL</b>		<b>1,409</b>	<b>1,387</b>	<b>1,618</b>	<b>1,635</b>	<b>1.0</b>	<b>1,635</b>	<b>.0</b>	<b>1,635</b>	<b>.0</b>

**PROGRAM SERIES 01: Veterans' Interests**

This program series provides a subsidy payment to each of the 13 veterans' groups to support the needs of their memberships.

**State of Ohio**  
**Veterans' Organizations**

**Program 01.01: Subsidy**

This program supports the activities of the 13 veterans' groups. Activities include assisting veterans in the benefits claiming process, transporting veterans to VA medical facilities, assisting veterans with job placement and training, and helping homeless and needy veterans find the assistance that they need.

**The Executive Recommendation will:**

- Provide each organization with the same level of subsidy funding as received in fiscal year 2007.

<b>FUND</b>				<b>RECOMMENDED</b>	
<b>GROUP</b>	<b>FUND</b>	<b>ALI</b>	<b>ALI NAME</b>	<b>FY 2008</b>	<b>FY 2009</b>
GRF	GRF	743-501	American Ex-Prisoners of War	25,030	25,030
GRF	GRF	746-501	Army and Navy Union, USA, Inc.	55,012	55,012
GRF	GRF	747-501	Korean War Veterans	49,453	49,453
GRF	GRF	748-501	Jewish War Veterans	29,715	29,715
GRF	GRF	749-501	Catholic War Veterans	57,990	57,990
GRF	GRF	750-501	Military Order of the Purple Heart	56,377	56,377
GRF	GRF	751-501	Viet Nam Veterans of America	185,954	185,954
GRF	GRF	752-501	American Legion of Ohio	302,328	302,328
GRF	GRF	753-501	AMVETS	287,919	287,919
GRF	GRF	754-501	Disabled American Veterans	216,308	216,308
GRF	GRF	756-501	Marine Corps League	115,972	115,972
GRF	GRF	757-501	37th Division Veterans Association	5,946	5,946
GRF	GRF	758-501	Veterans of Foreign Wars	246,615	246,615
<b>TOTAL FOR PROGRAM</b>				<b>1,634,619</b>	<b>1,634,619</b>

## LINE ITEM SUMMARY - Veterans' Organizations

FUND	ALI	ALI TITLE	FY 2004 ACTUAL	FY 2005 ACTUAL	FY 2006 ACTUAL	FY 2007 ESTIMATE	FY 2008 RECOMMENDED	% CHANGE	FY 2009 RECOMMENDED	% CHANGE
GRF	743-501	American Ex-Prisoners of War	25,030	25,030	25,030	25,030	25,030	.0	25,030	.0
GRF	746-501	Army and Navy Union, USA, Inc.	55,012	55,012	55,012	55,012	55,012	.0	55,012	.0
GRF	747-501	Korean War Veterans	53,953	49,453	49,453	49,453	49,453	.0	49,453	.0
GRF	748-501	Jewish War Veterans	29,715	29,715	29,715	29,715	29,715	.0	29,715	.0
GRF	749-501	Catholic War Veterans	57,990	57,990	57,990	57,990	57,990	.0	57,990	.0
GRF	750-501	Military Order of the Purple Heart	56,377	56,377	56,377	56,377	56,377	.0	56,377	.0
GRF	751-501	Viet Nam Veterans of America	185,954	185,954	185,954	185,954	185,954	.0	185,954	.0
GRF	752-501	American Legion of Ohio	252,328	252,328	302,328	302,328	302,328	.0	302,328	.0
GRF	753-501	AMVETS	237,415	220,341	270,938	287,919	287,919	.0	287,919	.0
GRF	754-501	Disabled American Veterans	166,308	166,308	216,308	216,308	216,308	.0	216,308	.0
GRF	756-501	Marine Corps League	85,972	85,972	115,972	115,972	115,972	.0	115,972	.0
GRF	757-501	37th Division Veterans Association	5,946	5,946	5,946	5,946	5,946	.0	5,946	.0
GRF	758-501	Veterans of Foreign Wars	196,615	196,615	246,615	246,615	246,615	.0	246,615	.0
<b>TOTAL General Revenue Fund</b>			<b>1,408,615</b>	<b>1,387,041</b>	<b>1,617,638</b>	<b>1,634,619</b>	<b>1,634,619</b>	<b>.0</b>	<b>1,634,619</b>	<b>.0</b>
<b>TOTAL Veterans' Organizations</b>			<b>1,408,615</b>	<b>1,387,041</b>	<b>1,617,638</b>	<b>1,634,619</b>	<b>1,634,619</b>	<b>.0</b>	<b>1,634,619</b>	<b>.0</b>