

# (GD0) STATE SUPERINTENDENT OF EDUCATION (OSSE)

## **MISSION**

The mission of OSSE is to remove barriers and create pathways for District residents to receive a great education and prepare them for success in college, careers, and life.

## **SUMMARY OF SERVICES**

OSSE plays many roles in the lives of children, teens, and adults seeking an education in the District. As the State Education Agency for the District of Columbia, OSSE: distributes federal and District funding to education providers and ensures high quality and compliance in their programs; sets statewide policies; provides resources and support; collects and analyzes District-wide student and education data within its technology systems; and exercises accountability for all public education in the District. OSSE additionally administers payments for the Division of Special Education Transportation (Agency Code GO0), the District's Non-Public Tuition account (Agency Code GN0), and uniform per student funding formula payments to public charter schools in the District (Agency Code GC0).

## **BACKGROUND**

OSSE's capital program has historically covered the development of three separate information technology systems: its statewide longitudinal education database (SLED), its special education data system (SEDS), and its enterprise grants management system (EGMS). OSSE's SLED project aims to create a data warehouse populated with student and education information extracted from disparate system—OSSE's development of SLED was included as an objective in the District's Race to the Top application to the U.S. Department of Education. OSSE's SEDS project aims to create a comprehensive data system designed to support high quality, seamless service delivery for children with educational disabilities within the District—OSSE has mandated the use of SEDS by District of Columbia Public Schools and all public charter schools in the District. OSSE's EGMS project aims to create an online portal, accessible by both OSSE and its sub-grantees, to facilitate nearly all aspects of grant management and thereby greatly reduce the administrative burden of this work for OSSE and its sub-grantees—EGMS enables OSSE to hold grant competitions online and to issue grant awards electronically; it allows sub-grantees to complete narrative and budget applications for grant awards and to submit reimbursement requests against these grant awards; it houses many of OSSE's sub-recipient monitoring activities and documents; etc.

## **OSSE CAPITAL PROGRAM OBJECTIVES FOR FY19:**

### Enterprise Grants Management System – Phase II

OSSE's goal is to continue implementing Phase II of the EGMS build out, which is providing additional functionality to the system in the areas of sub-recipient monitoring, system reporting, auditing, and user experience. Through a more modern and streamlined system, users in OSSE and its sub-grantees will: have accurate, current data available at all times; receive and provide more positive and pre-emptive technical assistance; and be able to make more informed financial decisions.

### Data Infrastructure

OSSE's goal is to fully document the agency's information architecture, develop and begin implementing modernizations and enhancements to the agency's data infrastructure, develop a unified early childhood data system, and improve OSSE's special education data system. A fully documented information architecture will provide a singular view of all of OSSE's data systems, data assets, applications, platforms, and technologies, as well as how data flows through these various parts of the architecture and enhance OSSE's ability to integrate data across the agency. Modernization and enhancements to the data infrastructure will allow OSSE to properly support the growing data needs of the agency and the increase volume of data being collected and used by the agency. A unified early childhood data system will modernize outdated systems, reduce burden on providers and OSSE staff, integrate with other data systems, and allow OSSE staff to quickly analyze quality data in order to inform policy and programmatic changes. An improved special education data system will improve special education compliance and monitoring while reducing the burden on LEAs and replacing the current antiquated system that is difficult to maintain and enhance.

**Elements on this page of the Agency Summary include:**

- **Funding Tables:** Past budget allotments show the allotment balance, calculated as allotments received to date less all obligations (the sum of expenditures, encumbrances, intra-District advances and pre-encumbrances). Agencies are allowed to encumber and pre-encumber funds up to the limit of a capital project’s budget authority, which might be higher than allotments received to date. For this reason, a negative balance on a project sheet does not necessarily indicate overspending or an anti-deficiency violation. A negative balance is permitted in this calculation of remaining allotment authority.
- **Additional Appropriations Data (\$000):** Provides a summary of the budget authority over the life of the project. The table can be read as follows:
  - › **Original 6-Year Budget Authority:** Represents the authority from the fiscal year in which budget was first appropriated through the next 5 years.
  - › **Budget Authority Through FY 2023 :** Represents the lifetime budget authority, including the 6-year budget authority for FY 2018 through FY 2023.
  - › **FY 2018 Budget Authority Revisions:** Represents the changes to the budget authority as a result of reprogramming, redirections and rescissions (also reflected in Appendix F) for the current fiscal year.
  - › **6-Year Budget Authority Through FY 2023 :** This is the total 6-year authority for FY 2018 through FY 2023 including changes from the current fiscal year.
  - › **Budget Authority Request Through FY 2024 :** Represents the 6-year budget authority for FY 2019 through FY 2024.
  - › **Increase (Decrease) :** This is the change in 6-year budget requested for FY 2019 - FY 2024 (change in budget authority is shown in Appendix A).
- **Estimated Operating Impact:** If a project has operating impacts that the agency has quantified, the effects are summarized in the respective year of impact.
- **FTE Data (Total budget in FTE Table might differ from actual budget due to rounding):** Provides the number for Full-Time Equivalent (FTE) employees approved as eligible to be charged to capital projects by, or on behalf of, the agency. Additionally, it provides the total budget for these employees (Personal Services), the non personnel portion of the budget in the agency’s capital plan, and the percentage of the agency CIP budget from either expense category.
- **Facility Location Map:** For those agencies with facilities projects, a map reflecting projects and their geographic location within the District of Columbia.

(Dollars in Thousands)

Phase	Funding By Phase - Prior Funding					Proposed Funding						
	Allotments	Spent	Enc/ID-Adv	Pre-Enc	Balance	FY 2019	FY 2020	FY 2021	FY 2022	FY 2023	FY 2024	6 Yr Total
(04) Construction	3,340	3,340	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
(05) Equipment	34,726	34,532	194	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
(06) IT Requirements Development/Systems Design	15,152	12,682	624	1,870	-24	1,500	0	0	0	2,500	0	4,000
<b>TOTALS</b>	<b>53,217</b>	<b>50,554</b>	<b>818</b>	<b>1,870</b>	<b>-24</b>	<b>1,500</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>2,500</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>4,000</b>

Source	Funding By Source - Prior Funding					Proposed Funding						
	Allotments	Spent	Enc/ID-Adv	Pre-Enc	Balance	FY 2019	FY 2020	FY 2021	FY 2022	FY 2023	FY 2024	6 Yr Total
GO Bonds - New (0300)	12,753	12,482	308	0	-37	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Pay Go (0301)	5,404	3,516	227	1,647	13	0	0	0	0	2,500	0	2,500
Equipment Lease (0302)	33,966	33,772	194	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Short-Term Bonds – (0304)	1,095	783	89	223	0	1,500	0	0	0	0	0	1,500
<b>TOTALS</b>	<b>53,217</b>	<b>50,554</b>	<b>818</b>	<b>1,870</b>	<b>-24</b>	<b>1,500</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>2,500</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>4,000</b>

Additional Appropriation Data			Estimated Operating Impact Summary						
First Appropriation FY		2007	Expenditure (+) or Cost Reduction (-)						
Original 6-Year Budget Authority		56,899	FY 2019	FY 2020	FY 2021	FY 2022	FY 2023	FY 2024	6 Yr Total
Budget Authority Through FY 2023		58,717	No estimated operating impact						
FY 2018 Budget Authority Changes		0	Full Time Equivalent Data						
6-Year Budget Authority Through FY 2023		58,717	Object	FTE	FY 2019 Budget	% of Project			
Budget Authority Request Through FY 2024		57,217	Personal Services	0.0	0	0.0			
Increase (Decrease)		-1,500	Non Personal Services	0.0	1,500	100.0			

## GD0-GD001-DATA INFRASTRUCTURE

**Agency:** STATE SUPERINTENDENT OF EDUCATION (OSSE) (GD0)  
**Implementing Agency:** STATE SUPERINTENDENT OF EDUCATION (OSSE) (GD0)  
**Project No:** GD001  
**Ward:**  
**Location:** DISTRICT-WIDE  
**Facility Name or Identifier:** INFORMATION TECHNOLOGY  
**Status:** Ongoing Subprojects  
**Useful Life of the Project:** 15  
**Estimated Full Funding Cost:** \$9,429,000

### Description:

OSSE has become the central education-related data repository and reporting office within the District. OSSE has also increasingly interfaced with District agencies such as the DC Public Charter School Board and the Deputy Mayor for Education to craft data-driven policies. Existing data systems are old and obsolete. As OSSE expands the scope of the Student Longitudinal Education Database (SLED) to include additional data, the need for enhancement in both SLED and the source data systems has become a critical area for improvement for the District as a whole. In addition, OSSE's early childhood subsidy and uniform per-student funding formula (UPSFF) payments, including supplemental UPSFF payments, are manual exercises and prone to serious risk of inaccurate payments and non-compliance with Federal and/or District Law. Furthermore, OSSE has several applications for mandated activities (e.g., teacher licensure and childcare licensure) that are not technologically sufficient for the needs of their users. With these issues corrected, OSSE would be in a unique position to steer future analysis of and publish key findings regarding the early childhood to career pathways for District residents. To support the overhaul of data systems and to maintain this overhaul going forward, OSSE will strategically re-align its operating budget starting with the FY17 budge.

### Justification:

IT issues have become a critical area for improvement, such as OSSE scope expansion of the Student Longitudinal Education Database (SLED) to include additional data, and the need for enhancement in both SLED and the source data systems. In addition, OSSE's early childhood subsidy and uniform per-student funding formula (UPSFF) payments, including supplemental UPSFF payments, are manual exercises prone to serious risk of inaccurate payments and non-compliance with Federal and/or District Law. Furthermore, OSSE has several applications for mandated activities, e.g. teacher licensure and childcare licensure, that are not sufficient for the needs of their users. With these issues corrected, OSSE would be in a unique position to steer future analysis of and publish key findings regarding the early childhood to career pathways for District residents.

### Progress Assessment:

On-going project

### Related Projects:

N/A

(Dollars in Thousands)

Funding By Phase - Prior Funding						Proposed Funding						
Phase	Allotments	Spent	Enc/ID-Adv	Pre-Enc	Balance	FY 2019	FY 2020	FY 2021	FY 2022	FY 2023	FY 2024	6 Yr Total
(06) IT Requirements Development/Systems Design	5,929	3,760	288	1,870	11	1,000	0	0	0	2,500	0	3,500
<b>TOTALS</b>	<b>5,929</b>	<b>3,760</b>	<b>288</b>	<b>1,870</b>	<b>11</b>	<b>1,000</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>2,500</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>3,500</b>

  

Funding By Source - Prior Funding						Proposed Funding						
Source	Allotments	Spent	Enc/ID-Adv	Pre-Enc	Balance	FY 2019	FY 2020	FY 2021	FY 2022	FY 2023	FY 2024	6 Yr Total
Pay Go (0301)	4,929	3,072	199	1,647	11	0	0	0	0	2,500	0	2,500
Short-Term Bonds -- (0304)	1,000	688	89	223	0	1,000	0	0	0	0	0	1,000
<b>TOTALS</b>	<b>5,929</b>	<b>3,760</b>	<b>288</b>	<b>1,870</b>	<b>11</b>	<b>1,000</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>2,500</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>3,500</b>

### Additional Appropriation Data

First Appropriation FY	2016
Original 6-Year Budget Authority	5,500
Budget Authority Through FY 2023	10,929
FY 2018 Budget Authority Changes	0
6-Year Budget Authority Through FY 2023	10,929
Budget Authority Request Through FY 2024	9,429
Increase (Decrease)	-1,500

### Estimated Operating Impact Summary

Expenditure (+) or Cost Reduction (-)	FY 2019	FY 2020	FY 2021	FY 2022	FY 2023	FY 2024	6 Yr Total
No estimated operating impact							

### Milestone Data

	Projected	Actual
Environmental Approvals		
Design Start (FY)		
Design Complete (FY)		
Construction Start (FY)		
Construction Complete (FY)		
Closeout (FY)		

### Full Time Equivalent Data

Object	FTE	FY 2019 Budget	% of Project
Personal Services	0.0	0	0.0
Non Personal Services	0.0	1,000	100.0

## GD0-EMG16-EDUCATIONAL GRANT MANAGEMENT SYSTEM II

**Agency:** STATE SUPERINTENDENT OF EDUCATION (OSSE) (GD0)  
**Implementing Agency:** STATE SUPERINTENDENT OF EDUCATION (OSSE) (GD0)  
**Project No:** EMG16  
**Ward:**  
**Location:** DISTRICT-WIDE  
**Facility Name or Identifier:** INFORMATION TECHNOLOGY  
**Status:** Ongoing Subprojects  
**Useful Life of the Project:** 15  
**Estimated Full Funding Cost:** \$4,500,000

### Description:

The Enterprise Grants Management System (EGMS) and its monitoring functionality is a system designed to improve the District of Columbia's management of Federal and Local grants administered by the Office of the State Superintendent of Education (OSSE). The EGMS will replace the legacy application, the DC ONE APP. Additionally; EGMS replaces a manual, paper-based grant process that the agency was utilizing.

### Justification:

EGMS offers a wide range of benefits to all of those involved in improving student learning across the District of Columbia. The system provides a unified application, consolidating key components of grants management and compliance, including federal and local assurances, as well as offering enhanced reporting and accountability. EGMS expands the capacity to audit, monitor, and report on grant activities and expenditures for grant compliance (90+ grant programs, 221 schools, 500+ childcare centers). EGMS also reduces waste and controls costs by improving workflow automation. Lastly, EGMS will allow for a One Stop Portal data system that will allow all constituents easy access to grants including scholarships.

### Progress Assessment:

On-going project

### Related Projects:

N/A

(Dollars in Thousands)

Phase	Funding By Phase - Prior Funding					Proposed Funding						
	Allotments	Spent	Enc/ID-Adv	Pre-Enc	Balance	FY 2019	FY 2020	FY 2021	FY 2022	FY 2023	FY 2024	6 Yr Total
(06) IT Requirements Development/Systems Design	4,000	3,903	140	0	-43	500	0	0	0	0	0	500
<b>TOTALS</b>	<b>4,000</b>	<b>3,903</b>	<b>140</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>-43</b>	<b>500</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>500</b>

  

Source	Funding By Source - Prior Funding					Proposed Funding						
	Allotments	Spent	Enc/ID-Adv	Pre-Enc	Balance	FY 2019	FY 2020	FY 2021	FY 2022	FY 2023	FY 2024	6 Yr Total
GO Bonds - New (0300)	4,000	3,903	140	0	-43	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Short-Term Bonds - (0304)	0	0	0	0	0	500	0	0	0	0	0	500
<b>TOTALS</b>	<b>4,000</b>	<b>3,903</b>	<b>140</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>-43</b>	<b>500</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>500</b>

### Additional Appropriation Data

First Appropriation FY	2016
Original 6-Year Budget Authority	4,500
Budget Authority Through FY 2023	4,500
FY 2018 Budget Authority Changes	0
6-Year Budget Authority Through FY 2023	4,500
Budget Authority Request Through FY 2024	4,500
Increase (Decrease)	0

### Estimated Operating Impact Summary

Expenditure (+) or Cost Reduction (-)	FY 2019	FY 2020	FY 2021	FY 2022	FY 2023	FY 2024	6 Yr Total
No estimated operating impact							

### Milestone Data

	Projected	Actual
Environmental Approvals		
Design Start (FY)		
Design Complete (FY)		
Construction Start (FY)		
Construction Complete (FY)		
Closeout (FY)		

### Full Time Equivalent Data

Object	FTE	FY 2019 Budget	% of Project
Personal Services	0.0	0	0.0
Non Personal Services	0.0	500	100.0