Agency Summary & Statutory Authority

Peace Officers Standards and Training Academy (POST) delivers training and technical assistance to all levels of law enforcement throughout the state by providing both basic and specialized training programs for all commissioned peace officers, adult and juvenile corrections officers, and dispatchers [Statutory Authority: Section 19-5102, Idaho Code].

POST Expenditure Details

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- For FY 2022 the POST Academy is authorized 29.67 FTP and appropriated $4,880,300.
- Receives its dedicated fund revenue through court fees, misdemeanor probation fees, and dormitory fees, and other misc. fees. POST receives a Grant Edward Byrne Memorial Justice Assistance formula Grant.
- POST has received cash transfers for the previous three fiscal years to help fund a revenue shortfall until a long-term solution can be found. Transfers include: $1,030,800 from the General Fund in FY 2020, $477,900 from the Alcohol Beverage Control Fund in FY 2021 and $400,000 from the General Fund in FY 2022.
- POST does multiple academies per year and verifies that all agencies that conduct their own training use POST certified curriculum. Currently, ISP, Boise Police, Ada County Sheriff, IDOC, Correctional Alternative Placement Program, and Nampa/Meridian Police Departments conduct their own training.
- Four colleges offer POST Certified Programs, they are: North Idaho College, College of Western Idaho, College of Southern Idaho, and Idaho State University.
Peace Officer Standards and Training (POST)

FY 2023 Budget

Brad Johnson, Administrator
Making a Difference

“Any time you have an opportunity to make a difference in this world and you don’t, you’re simply wasting your time on earth”

- Roberto Clemente
Making a Difference
Professionalism Through Training

- Annually certify nearly 700 officers across all nine disciplines
- 19 Basic Academy sessions annually across all nine disciplines
- Provide and/or facilitate in-service training for over 6,000 law enforcement officers from more than 200 agencies throughout Idaho every year
- Funding to IPAA to enhance professional development for Prosecuting Attorneys around the state
Making a Difference

VISION
To ensure that Idaho law enforcement professionals model the highest level of integrity, safety and service through excellence in standards and training.

VALUES
POST Funding Legislation

Annual POST Fund Revenue from Court Fines and Fees

- FY16: 3.46M
- FY17: 3.25M
- FY18: 3.41M
- FY19: 3.33M
- FY20: 3.12M
- FY21: 3.17M
POST Funding Legislation

POST Original Appropriation & Total Revenue

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POST Funding Legislation

-current revenues in the Peace Officer Standards and Training Fund are insufficient.

-POST is not over-appropriated; POST is underfunded.

-Temporary solutions have greatly helped, but a long-term solution is needed.

-House Bill 469:
  -Permanent solution, ongoing source of revenue
  -1.5% of the amount annually distributed from the Liquor Fund to the General Fund, after all other distributions, would be transferred to the POST Fund
  -Liquor Fund projections indicate that in FY23 this would provide an additional $777,500 to POST.
Replacement Items

POST requests $134,300 from the Peace Officer Standards and Training Fund for equipment replacement.

- $22,900 in one-time operating expenditures
- $111,400 in one-time capital outlay

Requested items include:

- Laptop computer
- Computers and equipment
- Training suits
- Emergency vehicle operator course (EVOC) Vehicles.
Multi-Factor Authentication

POST requests $900 in ongoing operating expenditures from the Peace Officer Standards and Training Fund for multi-factor authentication (MFA).

- The agency request totals $16,000 from various dedicated funds
- Provides additional security required to comply with FBI Criminal Justice Information Systems requirements
- MFA will be implemented this fiscal year; this request would provide ongoing appropriation for future years.
Misdemeanor Probation Fund

POST requests $80,000 from the Misdemeanor Probation Officer (MPO) Training Fund-

- $20,000 for personnel costs, $30,000 for operating expenditures, $30,000 for trustee and benefit payments
- Revenue from misdemeanor cost of supervision fees
- Spending limited to training and certification for MPOs
- Cash tracked separately but appropriation has been absorbed within the base budget for the Peace Officers Training Fund
- Aligns revenues and expenditures with appropriation
Driving Simulators

POST requests $250,000 in one-time capital outlay from the Idaho Law Enforcement Fund to purchase two driving simulators.

- Enhance and improve current Emergency Vehicle Operation Course (EVOC) training programs
- Allows advanced training that may not be safely conducted on the POST driving track
- Used in courses conducted by the POST Academy and ISP’s advanced training course for new troopers
Regional Training Coordinator

POST requests 1.00 FTP and an ongoing net-zero object transfer of $60,900 from operating expenditures to personnel costs to hire a regional training coordinator (RTC).

- Currently there is one RTC located in each of POST’s four regions.
- This position would add a second RTC to POST Region 2, serving Adams, Valley, Washington, Payette, Gem, Boise, Canyon, Ada, and Owyhee counties.
- Growth in region 2 has caused an increased workload that can no longer be managed by one FTP.
Regional Training Coordinator

**Training Rosters Processed by POST Region**

- Region 1
- Region 2
- Region 3
- Region 4

**POST Sponsored In-Service Classes by Region**

- Region 1
- Region 2
- Region 3
- Region 4
Regional Training Coordinator

**R2 Training Rosters and POST Instructor Certification Evaluations Processed**

- **Evaluations for Instructor Certifications**
- **Training Rosters Reviewed and Processed**

**R2 Off-site Academies, POST Sponsored In-Service Classes, and Lateral Challenges**

- **Lateral Challenge Evaluations**
- **POST Sponsored Inservice Classes**
- **Off-site Academies Conducted**
The Governor’s FY22 recommended supplemental budget for the Permanent Building Fund includes $10,000,000 in one-time spending for a new POST dormitory.

- Existing 78-bed facility was built in 1994, when POST only provided basic academy training for Patrol and Detention officers.
- Today, POST also houses students attending Correction, P&P, three Juvenile disciplines, ECO, MPO, and ATC academies. Demand exceeds existing capacity.
- Current building is increasingly in need of extra repair and maintenance.
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