

Departmental Base Budget Overview

Department **President's Athletic Representative**

Executive **President**

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Program **05**

Base Budgets:

1998	1999	2000	2001	2002	2003	2004	2005	2006	2007	2008	10-Year % Change
15,951	11,124	11,816	18,557	18,945	19,625	19,625	19,674	20,015	20,458	20,855	30.74%

Athletic Representative Office Description

Section 6.1.3 of the Bylaws of the National Collegiate Athletic Association (NCAA) states that, "A member institution shall designate an individual to serve as faculty athletics representative." Section 4.02.2 states further that the representative "...is designated by the institution's chief executive...to represent the institution and its faculty in the institution's relationship with the NCAA and its (the Big Sky) conference."

At the campus level, the Athletic Representative is charged with ensuring that Montana State University, Big Sky Conference and NCAA rules and regulations are followed in the conduct of the intercollegiate athletic program. This requires oversight of a wide spectrum of areas including, among other things, ethical recruiting practices, admissions and financial aid requirements, measurements of appropriate academic progress and graduation rates.

This position was funded from the President's Office Reserve for FY 02.