

**PROGRAM DESCRIPTION**

Department of Higher Education and Workforce Development

HB Section(s): 3.085

Program Name: Public Service Officer Survivor Grant Program

Program is found in the following core budget(s): Public Service Officer Survivor Grant Program

**1a. What strategic priority does this program address?**

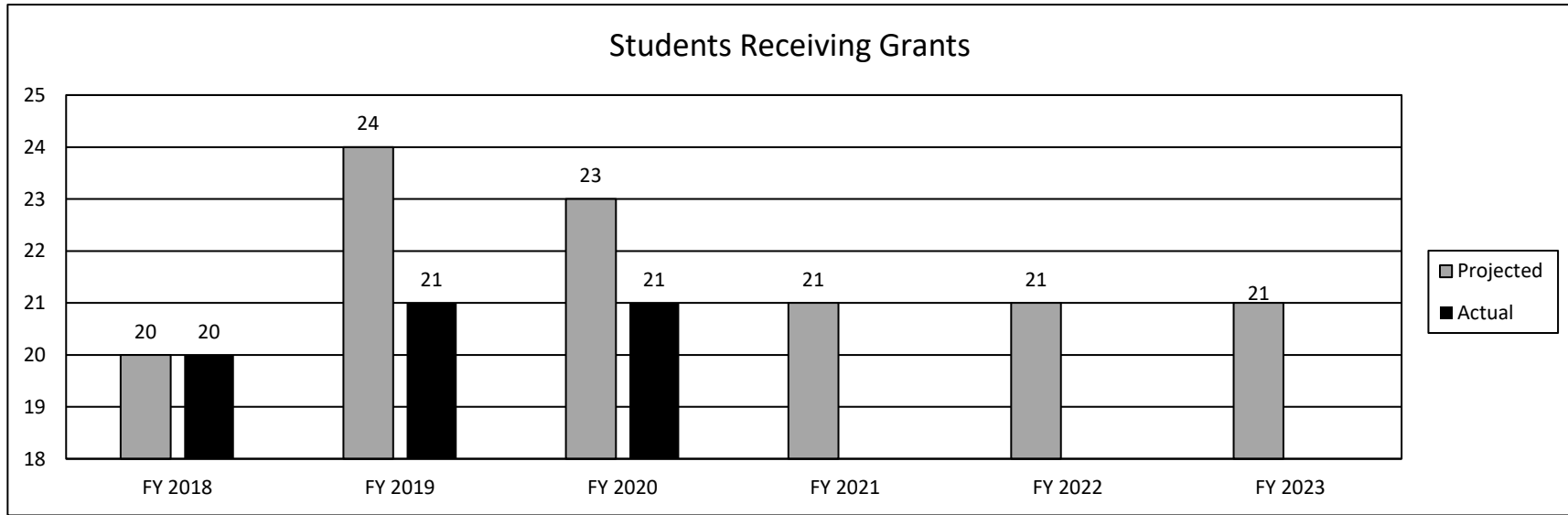
Affordability, Access and Success

**1b. What does this program do?**

This program is designed to provide educational grants to the children or spouses of certain public safety officers killed or permanently and totally disabled in the line of duty. Additionally, children (natural, adopted or stepchild) of a Missouri Department of Transportation employee engaged in the construction or maintenance of the state's highways, roads, and bridges officers killed or permanently and totally disabled in the line of duty are also eligible. The grant should reduce the cost of education for as many eligible students as possible whose families have suffered a significant personal and financial loss.

A public service officer includes any firefighter, uniformed employee of the office of the state fire marshal, emergency medical technician, police officer, capitol police officer, parole officer, probation officer, state correctional employee, water safety officer, park ranger, conservation officer or highway patrolman, emergency medical technician, air ambulance pilot, air ambulance registered professional nurse, air ambulance registered respiratory therapist, or flight crew member.

**2a. Provide an activity measure(s) for the program.**



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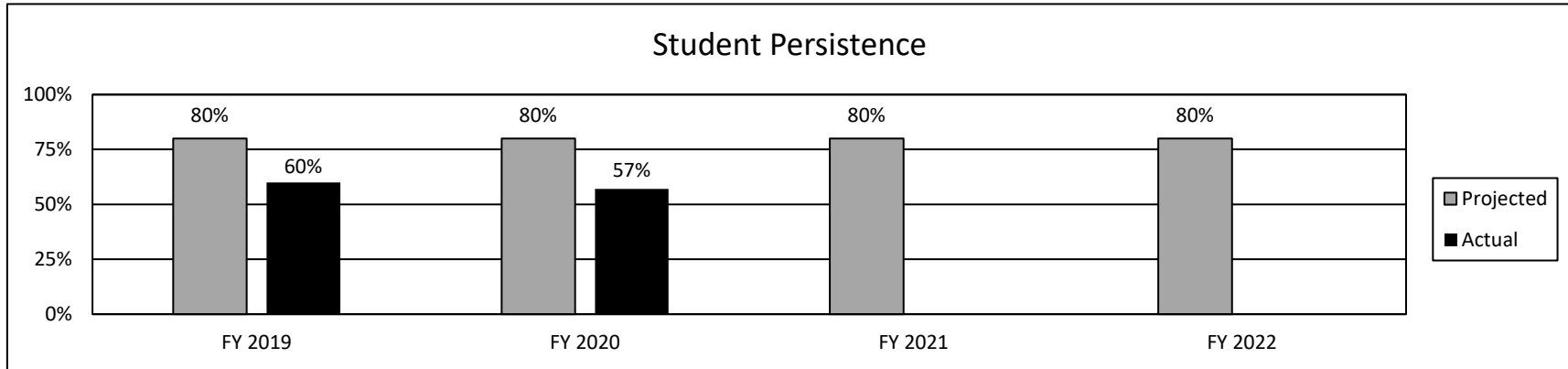
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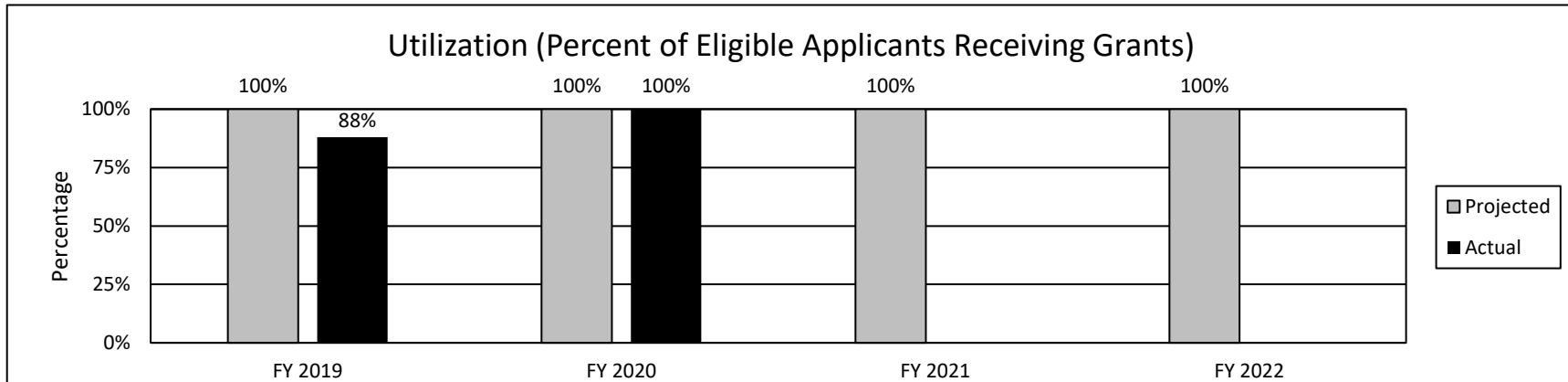
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2b. Provide a measure(s) of the program's quality.



**Note:** Persistence represents recipients who received a Public Service Officer Survivor Grant or other state award in the prior academic year and current academic year. This measure compares the recipients who persisted to the total recipients each year. It does not account for students who may have graduated.

2c. Provide a measure(s) of the program's impact.



This program does not have an application deadline in order to serve as many qualifying students as possible. This makes it difficult to project the number of eligible applicants who may receive a grant.

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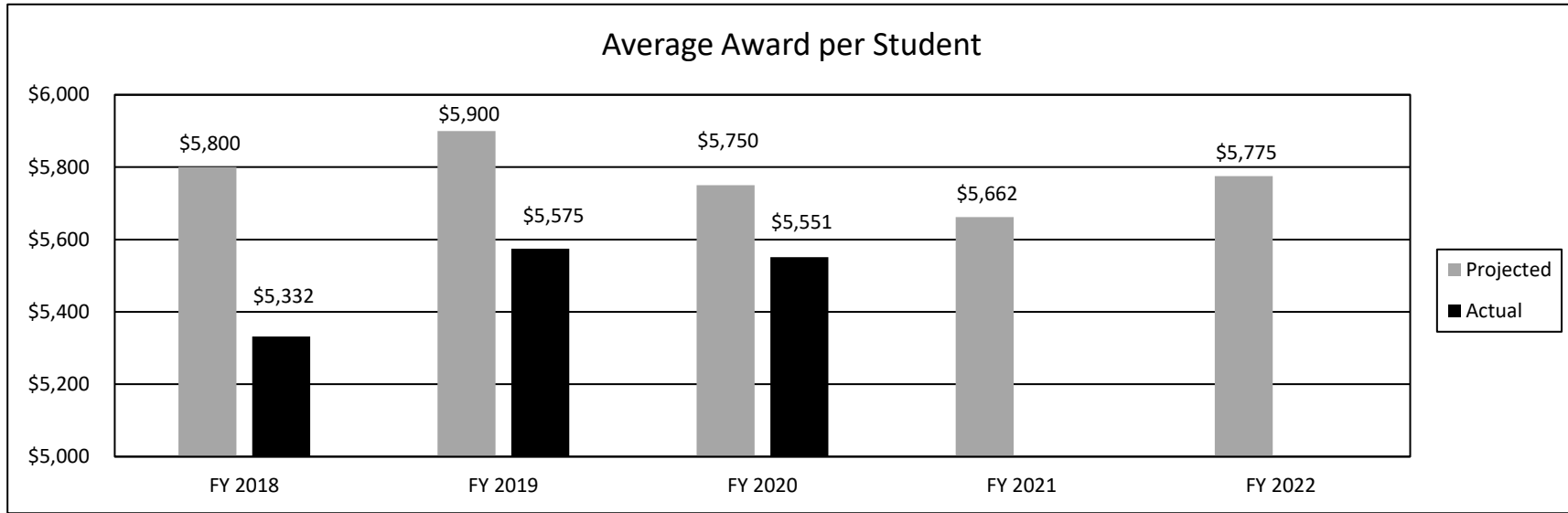
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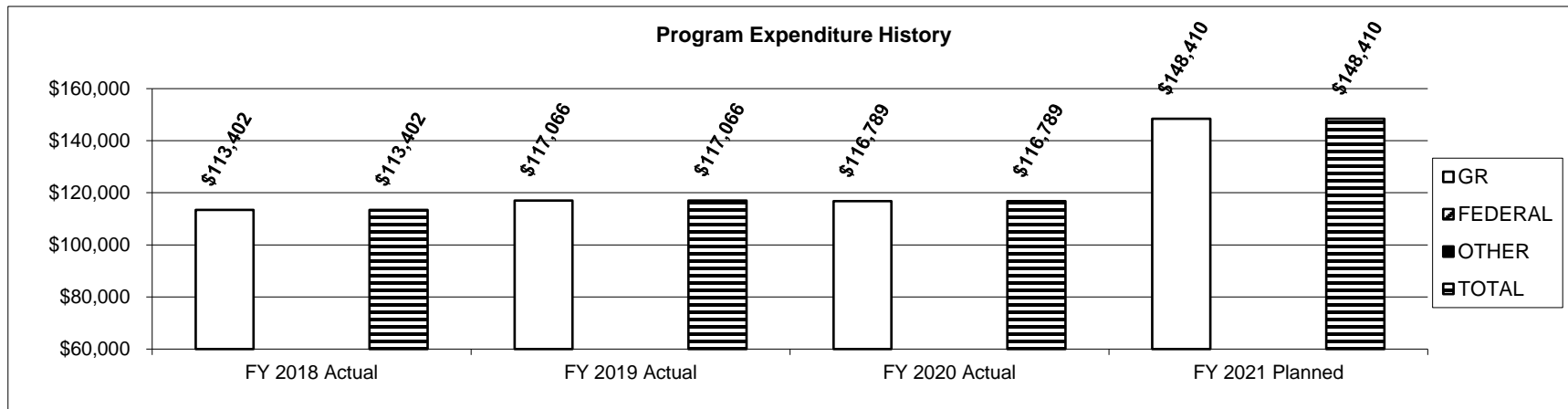
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2d. Provide a measure(s) of the program's efficiency.



3. Provide actual expenditures for the prior three fiscal years and planned expenditures for the current fiscal year. (Note: Amounts do not include fringe benefit costs.)



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**4. What are the sources of the "Other " funds?**

N/A

**5. What is the authorization for this program, i.e., federal or state statute, etc.? (Include the federal program number, if applicable.)**

Section 173.260, RSMo

**6. Are there federal matching requirements? If yes, please explain.**

No

**7. Is this a federally mandated program? If yes, please explain.**

No