

Senate Committee Expenditures Resolutions, 113th Congress, and Funding Authorizations Since 1999

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Summary

In the Senate a biennial funding process applies to all Senate committees except Appropriations and Ethics, which have permanent authorizations for their staff and operating expenses. The Senate Committee on Rules and Administration has jurisdiction over committee funding resolutions and issues regulations governing committee funding and staff.

On March 5, 2013, the Senate adopted by unanimous consent S.Res. 64, authorizing expenditures by Senate committees for the period March 1, 2013, through September 30, 2013. On October 3, 2013, the Senate adopted by unanimous consent S.Res. 253, authorizing expenditures by Senate committees for the period October 1, 2013, through September 30, 2014, and for the period October 1, 2014, through February 28, 2015.

This report, which provides committee funding requests and authorizations for Senate committees in the 106th through 113th Congresses, will be updated as warranted.

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Background

The Senate biennial committee funding process applies to all Senate committees except Appropriations¹ and Ethics,² which have permanent authorizations for their staff and operating expenses. The Senate Committee on Rules and Administration has jurisdiction over committee funding resolutions and issues regulations governing committee funding and staff. Committee funding and staff are also regulated by Senate rules, especially Rule XXVI, clause 9, and Rule XXVII, as well as by statute. The funds authorized and allocated by resolution are appropriated in legislative branch appropriations acts.

Under Senate Rule XXVI, clause 9, each Senate committee (except Appropriations and Ethics) is required to report a funding resolution providing for its expenses for March 1 of that year through February 28 of the following year. The Senate took several steps in 1999 to move to a biennial funding process that more clearly reflects a fiscal year orientation. In subsequent funding resolutions, the aggregate authorization for each committee is apportioned among three calendar periods—from March 1 to September 30 of the first year of a Congress, from October 1 to September 30 of the following year, and from October 1 to the following February 28. This permits the Senate to identify the amounts authorized for each fiscal year and the subsequent appropriations required.

On March 5, 2013, the Senate adopted by voice vote S.Res. 64, authorizing expenditures by Senate committees for the period March 1, 2013, through September 30, 2013. On October 3, 2013, the Senate adopted by unanimous consent S.Res. 253, authorizing expenditures by Senate committees for the period October 1, 2013, through September 30, 2014, and for the period October 1, 2014, through February 28, 2015.

Table 1 provides the requested and the authorized levels of funding for committees for the 113th Congress. **Table 2** through **Table 8** provide committee funding requests and authorizations for Senate committees in the 106th through 112th Congresses. **Table 9** through **Table 15** provide the same information, calculated in constant (January 2013) dollars.

¹ P.L. 79-601, Legislative Reorganization Act of 1946, Section 202(b), 80 Stat. 834.

² S.Res. 290, 96th Congress, adopted November 29, 1979; and S.Res. 425, 97th Congress, adopted August 12, 1982.

		Req	uest			Auth	norization			
Committee	3/1/2013- 9/30/2013	10/1/2013- 9/30/2014	10/1/2014- 2/28/2015	Total Request	3/1/2013- 9/30/2013	10/1/2013- 9/30/2014	10/1/2014- 2/28/2015	Total Authorization	Difference ^a	%
Agriculture, Nutrition, and Forestry	\$2,464,069	\$4,181,090	\$1,742,121	\$8,387,280	\$2,464,069	\$4,181,090	\$1,742,121	\$8,387,280	\$0	100.00%
Armed Services	\$4,179,885	\$6,421,128	\$2,675,470	\$13,276,483	\$4,179,885	\$6,421,128	\$2,675,470	\$13,276,483	\$0	100.00%
Banking, Housing, and Urban Affairs	\$3,787,685	\$5,293,156	\$2,205,482	\$11,286,323	\$3,787,685	\$5,293,156	\$2,205,482	\$11,286,323	\$0	100.00%
Budget	\$3,950,532	\$5,997,777	\$2,499,074	\$12,447,383	\$3,950,532	\$5,997,777	\$2,499,074	\$12,447,383	\$0	100.00%
Commerce, Science, and Transportation	\$4,080,06 l	\$6,583,591	\$2,743,163	\$13,406,815	\$4,080,06 l	\$6,583,591	\$2,743,163	\$13,406,815	\$0	100.00%
Energy and Natural Resources	\$3,453,383	\$5,463,481	\$2,276,450	\$11,193,314	\$3,453,383	\$5,463,481	\$2,276,450	\$11,193,314	\$0	100.00%
Environment and Public Works	\$3,178,904	\$5,194,253	\$2,164,272	\$10,537,429	\$3,178,904	\$5,194,253	\$2,164,272	\$10,537,429	\$0	100.00%
Finance	\$4,693,75 I	\$7,993,936	\$3,330,807	\$16,018,494	\$4,693,75 I	\$7,993,936	\$3,330,807	\$16,018,494	\$0	100.00%
Foreign Relations	\$3,866,195	\$6,599,622	\$2,749,842	\$13,215,659	\$3,866,195	\$6,599,622	\$2,749,842	\$13,215,659	\$0	100.00%
Health, Education, Labor, and Pensions	\$5,381,475	\$8,663,935	\$3,609,973	\$17,655,383	\$5,381,475	\$8,663,935	\$3,609,973	\$17,655,383	\$0	100.00%
Homeland Security and Governmental Affairs	\$6,074,429	\$9,488,952	\$3,953,730	\$19,517,111	\$6,074,429	\$9,488,952	\$3,953,730	\$19,517,111	\$0	100.00%
Judiciary	\$5,882,131	\$9,267,893	\$3,861,622	\$19,011,646	\$5,882,131	\$9,267,893	\$3,861,622	\$19,011,646	\$0	100.00%
Rules and Administration	\$1,619,831	\$2,334,743	\$972,810	\$4,927,384	\$1,619,831	\$2,334,743	\$972,810	\$4,927,384	\$0	100.00%
Small Business and Entrepreneurship	\$1,524,917	\$2,581,019	\$1,075,424	\$5,181,360	\$1,524,917	\$2,581,019	\$1,075,424	\$5,181,360	\$0	100.00%
Veterans' Affairs	\$1,409,970	\$2,178,117	\$907,549	\$4,495,636	\$1,409,970	\$2,178,117	\$907,549	\$4,495,636	\$0	100.00%
Special Committee on Aging	\$1,704,661	\$2,375,377	\$989,740	\$5,069,778	\$1,704,661	\$2,375,377	\$989,740	\$5,069,778	\$0	100.00%
Indian Affairs	\$1,304,696	\$2,009,768	\$837,403	\$4,151,867	\$1,304,696	\$2,009,768	\$837,403	\$4,151,867	\$0	100.00%
Select Committee on Intelligence	\$3,739,220	\$5,516,196	\$2,298,415	\$11,553,831	\$3,739,220	\$5,459,962	\$2,274,984	\$11,474,166	-\$79,665	99.31%
Reserve Fund					\$3,850,000	b	c	N/A	\$0	100.00%

Table I. Senate Committee Funding Requests and Authorizations,	1 13th Congress, Nominal Dollars
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Source: Individual committee funding resolutions introduced in the 113th Congress (2013-2014); S.Res. 64, S.Res. 253, as adopted by the Senate.

a. Difference between total request and amount authorized.

b. Specific amount not provided; S.Res. 253 provides that "not to exceed 7 percent of the appropriation for the account that are available."

c. Specific amount not provided; S.Res. 253 provides that "not to exceed 7 percent of the amount equal to 5/12th of the appropriation for the account that are available."

		Req	uest			Auth	orization			
Committee	3/1/2011- 9/30/2011	10/1/2011- 9/30/2012	10/1/2012- 2/28/2013	Total Request	3/1/2011- 9/30/2011	10/1/2011- 9/30/2012	10/1/2012- 2/28/2013	Total Authorization	Difference ^a	%
Agriculture, Nutrition, and Forestry	\$2,800,079	\$4,800,136	\$2,000,057	\$9,600,272	\$2,800,079	\$4,800,136	\$2,000,057	\$9,600,272	\$0	100.00%
Armed Services	\$4,749,869	\$8,142,634	\$3,392,765	\$16,285,268	\$4,749,869	\$8,142,634	\$3,392,765	\$16,285,268	\$0	100.00%
Banking, Housing, and Urban Affairs	\$4,304,188	\$7,378,606	\$3,074,419	\$14,757,213	\$4,304,188	\$7,378,606	\$3,074,419	\$14,757,213	\$0	100.00%
Budget	\$4,489,241	\$7,695,840	\$3,206,599	\$15,391,680	\$4,489,241	\$7,695,840	\$3,206,599	\$15,391,680	\$0	100.00%
Commerce, Science, and Transportation	\$4,636,433	\$7,948,171	\$3,311,738	\$15,896,342	\$4,636,433	\$7,948,171	\$3,311,738	\$15,896,342	\$0	100.00%
Energy and Natural Resources	\$3,924,299	\$6,727,369	\$2,803,070	\$13,454,738	\$3,924,299	\$6,727,369	\$2,803,070	\$13,454,738	\$0	100.00%
Environment and Public Works	\$3,612,391	\$6,192,669	\$2,580,278	\$12,385,338	\$3,612,391	\$6,192,669	\$2,580,278	\$12,385,338	\$0	100.00%
Finance	\$5,333,808	\$9,143,671	\$3,809,862	\$18,287,341	\$5,333,808	\$9,143,671	\$3,809,862	\$18,287,341	\$0	100.00%
Foreign Relations	\$4,393,404	\$7,531,549	\$3,138,145	\$15,063,098	\$4,393,404	\$7,531,549	\$3,138,145	\$15,063,098	\$0	100.00%
Health, Education, Labor, and Pensions	\$6,115,313	\$10,483,393	\$4,368,081	\$20,966,787	\$6,115,313	\$10,483,393	\$4,368,081	\$20,966,787	\$0	100.00%
Homeland Security and Governmental Affairs	\$6,902,759	\$11,833,302	\$4,930,543	\$23,666,604	\$6,902,759	\$11,833,302	\$4,930,543	\$23,666,604	\$0	100.00%
Judiciary	\$6,684,239	\$11,458,695	\$4,774,457	\$22,917,391	\$6,684,239	\$11,458,695	\$4,774,457	\$22,917,391	\$0	100.00%
Rules and Administration	\$1,840,717	\$3,155,515	\$1,314,798	\$6,311,030	\$1,840,717	\$3,155,515	\$1,314,798	\$6,311,030	\$0	100.00%
Small Business and Entrepreneurship	\$1,732,860	\$2,970,617	\$1,237,755	\$5,941,232	\$1,732,860	\$2,970,617	\$1,237,755	\$5,941,232	\$0	100.00%
Veterans' Affairs	\$1,602,238	\$2,746,693	\$1,144,455	\$5,493,386	\$1,602,238	\$2,746,693	\$1,144,455	\$5,493,386	\$0	100.00%
Special Committee on Aging	\$1,937,114	\$3,320,767	\$1,383,653	\$6,641,534	\$1,937,114	\$3,320,767	\$1,383,653	\$6,641,534	\$0	100.00%
Indian Affairs	\$1,482,609	\$2,541,614	\$1,059,007	\$5,083,230	\$1,482,609	\$2,541,614	\$1,059,007	\$5,083,230	\$0	100.00%
Select Committee on Intelligence	\$4,249,113	\$7,284,194	\$3,035,081	\$14,568,388	\$4,249,113	\$7,284,194	\$3,035,081	\$14,568,388	\$0	100.00%
Reserve Fund					\$4,375,000	\$7,500,000	\$3,125,000	\$15,000,000		

Table 2. Senate Committee Funding Requests and Authorizations, 112th Congress, Nominal Dollars

Source: Individual committee funding resolutions introduced in the 112th Congress (2011-2012) and S.Res. 81, as adopted by the Senate.

		Req	uest			Auth	orization			
Committee	3/1/2009- 9/30/2009	0/ /2009- 9/30/20 0	10/1/2010- 2/28/2011	Total Request	3/1/2009- 9/30/2009	10/1/2009- 9/30/2010	0/ /20 0- 2/28/20	Total Authorization	Difference ^a	%
Agriculture, Nutrition, and Forestry	\$2,735,622	\$4,809,496	\$2,048,172	\$9,593,290	\$2,735,622	\$4,809,496	\$2,048,172	\$9,593,290	\$0	100.00%
Armed Services	\$4,639,258	\$8,158,696	\$3,475,330	\$16,273,284	\$4,639,258	\$8,158,696	\$3,475,330	\$16,273,284	\$0	100.00%
Banking, Housing, and Urban Affairs	\$4,204,901	\$7,393,024	\$3,148,531	\$14,746,456	\$4,204,901	\$7,393,024	\$3,148,531	\$14,746,456	\$0	100.00%
Budget	\$4,384,507	\$7,711,049	\$3,284,779	\$15,380,335	\$4,384,507	\$7,711,049	\$3,284,779	\$15,380,335	\$0	100.00%
Commerce, Science, and Transportation	\$4,529,245	\$7,963,737	\$3,391,751	\$15,884,733	\$4,529,245	\$7,963,737	\$3,391,751	\$15,884,733	\$0	100.00%
Energy and Natural Resources	\$3,833,400	\$6,740,569	\$2,870,923	\$13,444,892	\$3,833,400	\$6,740,569	\$2,870,923	\$13,444,892	\$0	100.00%
Environment and Public Works	\$3,529,786	\$6,204,665	\$2,641,940	\$12,376,391	\$3,529,786	\$6,204,665	\$2,641,940	\$12,376,391	\$0	100.00%
Finance	\$5,210,765	\$9,161,539	\$3,901,707	\$18,274,011	\$5,210,765	\$9,161,539	\$3,901,707	\$18,274,011	\$0	100.00%
Foreign Relations	\$4,291,761	\$7,546,310	\$3,214,017	\$15,052,088	\$4,291,761	\$7,546,310	\$3,214,017	\$15,052,088	\$0	100.00%
Health, Education, Labor, and Pensions	\$5,973,747	\$10,503,951	\$4,473,755	\$20,951,453	\$5,973,747	\$10,503,951	\$4,473,755	\$20,951,453	\$0	100.00%
Homeland Security and Governmental Affairs	\$6,742,824	\$11,856,527	\$5,049,927	\$23,649,278	\$6,742,824	\$11,856,527	\$5,049,927	\$23,649,278	\$0	100.00%
Judiciary	\$6,528,294	\$11,481,341	\$4,890,862	\$22,900,497	\$6,528,294	\$11,481,341	\$4,890,862	\$22,900,497	\$0	100.00%
Rules and Administration	\$1,797,669	\$3,161,766	\$1,346,931	\$6,306,366	\$1,797,669	\$3,161,766	\$1,346,931	\$6,306,366	\$0	100.00%
Small Business and Entrepreneurship	\$1,693,240	\$2,976,370	\$1,267,330	\$5,936,940	\$1,693,240	\$2,976,370	\$1,267,330	\$5,936,940	\$0	100.00%
Veterans' Affairs	\$1,565,089	\$2,752,088	\$1,172,184	\$5,489,361	\$1,565,089	\$2,752,088	\$1,172,184	\$5,489,361	\$0	100.00%
Special Committee on Aging	\$1,892,515	\$3,327,243	\$1,416,944	\$6,636,702	\$1,892,515	\$3,327,243	\$1,416,944	\$6,636,702	\$0	100.00%
Indian Affairs	\$1,449,343	\$2,546,445	\$1,083,838	\$5,079,626	\$1,449,343	\$2,546,445	\$1,083,838	\$5,079,626	\$0	100.00%
Select Committee on Intelligence	\$4,151,023	\$7,298,438	\$3,108,302	\$14,557,763	\$4,151,023	\$7,298,438	\$3,108,302	\$14,557,763	\$0	100.00%
Reserve Fund					\$4,375,000	\$7,500,000	\$3,125,000	\$15,000,000		

Table 3. Senate Committee Funding Requests and Authorizations, 111th Congress, Nominal Dollars

Source: Individual committee funding resolutions introduced in the IIIth Congress (2009-2010) and S.Res. 73, as adopted by the Senate.

		Re	quest			Auth	orization			
Committee	3/1/2007- 9/30/2007	10/1/2007- 9/30/2008	10/1/2008- 2/28/2009	Total Request	3/1/2007- 9/30/2007	10/1/2007- 9/30/2008	10/1/2008- 2/28/2009	Total Authorization	Difference ^a	%
Agriculture, Nutrition, and Forestry	\$2,204,538	\$3,862,713	\$1,640,188	\$7,707,439	\$2,204,538	\$3,862,713	\$1,640,188	\$7,707,439	\$0	100.00%
Armed Services	\$4,073,254	\$7,139,800	\$3,032,712	\$14,245,766	\$4,073,254	\$7,139,800	\$3,032,712	\$14,245,766	\$0	100.00%
Banking, Housing, and Urban Affairs	\$3,370,280	\$5,905,629	\$2,507,776	\$11,783,685	\$3,370,280	\$5,905,629	\$2,507,776	\$11,783,685	\$0	100.00%
Budget	\$3,554,606	\$6,230,828	\$2,646,665	\$12,432,099	\$3,554,606	\$6,230,828	\$2,646,665	\$12,432,099	\$0	100.00%
Commerce, Science, and Transportation	\$3,652,466	\$6,400,559	\$2,718,113	\$12,771,138	\$3,652,467	\$6,400,560	\$2,718,112	\$12,771,139	\$1	100.00%
Energy and Natural Resources	\$3,083,641	\$5,404,061	\$2,295,042	\$10,782,744	\$3,083,641	\$5,404,061	\$2,295,042	\$10,782,744	\$0	100.00%
Environment and Public Works	\$2,841,799	\$4,978,284	\$2,113,516	\$9,933,599	\$2,841,799	\$4,978,284	\$2,113,516	\$9,933,599	\$0	100.00%
Finance	\$4,203,707	\$7,356,895	\$3,120,762	\$14,681,364	\$3,970,374	\$6,956,895	\$2,954,095	\$13,881,364	-\$800,000	94.55%
Foreign Relations	\$3,469,450	\$6,071,938	\$2,575,710	\$12,117,098	\$3,265,283	\$5,721,937	\$2,429,876	\$11,417,096	-\$700,002	94.22%
Health, Education, Labor, and Pensions	\$4,794,663	\$8,402,456	\$3,568,366	\$16,765,485	\$4,794,663	\$8,402,456	\$3,568,366	\$16,765,485	\$0	100.00%
Homeland Security and Governmental Affairs	\$5,393,404	\$9,451,962	\$4,014,158	\$18,859,524	\$5,393,404	\$9,451,962	\$4,014,158	\$18,859,524	\$0	100.00%
Judiciary	\$5,220,177	\$9,150,340	\$3,886,766	\$18,257,283	\$5,220,177	\$9,150,340	\$3,886,766	\$18,257,283	\$0	100.00%
Rules and Administration	\$1,461,012	\$2,561,183	\$1,087,981	\$5,110,176	\$1,461,012	\$2,561,183	\$1,087,981	\$5,110,176	\$0	100.00%
Small Business and Entrepreneurship	\$1,373,063	\$2,405,349	\$1,021,186	\$4,799,598	\$1,373,063	\$2,405,349	\$1,021,186	\$4,799,598	\$0	100.00%
Veterans' Affairs	\$1,259,442	\$2,207,230	\$937,409	\$4,404,081	\$1,259,442	\$2,207,230	\$937,409	\$4,404,081	\$0	100.00%
Special Committee on Aging	\$1,524,019	\$2,670,342	\$1,133,885	\$5,328,246	\$1,524,019	\$2,670,342	\$1,133,885	\$5,328,246	\$0	100.00%
Indian Affairs	\$1,183,262	\$2,071,712	\$879,131	\$4,134,105	\$1,183,262	\$2,071,712	\$879,131	\$4,134,105	\$0	100.00%
Select Committee on Intelligence	\$3,334,682	\$5,848,084	\$2,483,180	\$11,665,946	\$3,220,932	\$5,643,433	\$2,396,252	\$11,260,617	-\$405,329	96.53%
Reserve Fund					\$4,375,000	\$7,500,000	\$3,125,000	\$15,000,000		

Table 4. Senate Committee Funding: Requests and Authorizations, 110th Congress, Nominal Dollars

Source: Individual committee funding resolutions introduced in the 110th Congress (2007-2008) and S.Res. 89, as adopted by the Senate.

		Red	quest			Auth	orization			
Committee	3/1/2005- 9/30/2005	10/1/2005- 9/30/2006	10/1/2006- 2/28/2007	Total Request	3/1/2005- 9/30/2005	10/1/2005- 9/30/2006	10/1/2006- 2/28/2007	Total Authorization	Difference ^a	%
Agriculture, Nutrition, and Forestry	\$2,090,901	\$3,670,623	\$1,562,289	\$7,323,813	\$2,090,901	\$3,670,623	\$1,562,289	\$7,323,813	\$0	100.00%
Armed Services	\$3,859,485	\$6,778,457	\$2,886,176	\$13,524,118	\$3,859,485	\$6,778,457	\$2,886,176	\$13,524,118	\$0	100.00%
Banking, Housing, and Urban Affairs	\$3,196,078	\$5,611,167	\$2,388,363	\$11,195,608	\$3,196,078	\$5,611,167	\$2,388,363	\$11,195,608	\$0	100.00%
Budget	\$3,367,870	\$5,915,179	\$2,518,660	\$11,801,709	\$3,367,870	\$5,915,179	\$2,518,660	\$11,801,709	\$0	100.00%
Commerce, Science, and Transportation	\$3,463,046	\$6,080,372	\$2,588,267	\$12,131,685	\$3,463,046	\$6,080,372	\$2,588,267	\$12,131,685	\$0	100.00%
Energy and Natural Resources	\$2,923,302	\$5,133,032	\$2,185,132	\$10,241,466	\$2,923,302	\$5,133,032	\$2,185,132	\$10,241,466	\$0	100.00%
Environment and Public Works	\$2,696,689	\$4,732,998	\$2,014,046	\$9,443,733	\$2,696,689	\$4,732,998	\$2,014,046	\$9,443,733	\$0	100.00%
Finance	\$4,081,365	\$7,165,470	\$3,049,082	\$14,295,917	\$3,765,508	\$6,610,598	\$2,813,662	\$13,189,768	-\$1,106,149	92.26%
Foreign Relations	\$3,290,588	\$5,769,387	\$2,452,849	\$11,512,824	\$3,095,171	\$5,434,387	\$2,313,266	\$10,842,824	-\$670,000	94.18%
Health, Education, Labor, and Pensions	\$4,545,576	\$7,981,411	\$3,397,620	\$15,924,607	\$4,545,576	\$7,981,411	\$3,397,620	\$15,924,607	\$0	100.00%
Homeland Security and Governmental Affairs	\$5,112,891	\$8,977,796	\$3,821,870	\$17,912,557	\$5,112,891	\$8,977,796	\$3,821,870	\$17,912,557	\$0	100.00%
Judiciary	\$4,946,007	\$8,686,896	\$3,698,827	\$17,331,730	\$4,946,007	\$8,686,896	\$3,698,827	\$17,331,730	\$0	100.00%
Rules and Administration	\$1,383,997	\$2,431,002	\$1,035,189	\$4,850,188	\$1,383,997	\$2,431,002	\$1,035,189	\$4,850,188	\$0	100.00%
Small Business and Entrepreneurship	\$1,302,943	\$2,286,820	\$973,120	\$4,562,883	\$1,302,943	\$2,286,820	\$973,120	\$4,562,883	\$0	100.00%
Veterans' Affairs	\$1,394,529	\$2,445,763	\$1,040,152	\$4,880,444	\$1,193,865	\$2,096,382	\$892,457	\$4,182,704	-\$697,740	85.70%
Special Committee on Aging	\$1,445,446	\$2,537,525	\$1,080,025	\$5,062,996	\$1,445,446	\$2,537,525	\$1,080,025	\$5,062,996	\$0	100.00%
Indian Affairs	\$1,124,384	\$1,972,189	\$838,771	\$3,935,344	\$1,124,384	\$1,972,189	\$838,771	\$3,935,344	\$0	100.00%
Select Committee on Intelligence	\$3,050,594	\$5,355,503	\$2,279,493	\$10,685,590	\$3,050,594	\$5,355,503	\$2,279,493	\$10,685,590	\$0	100.00%
Reserve Fund					\$4,375,000	\$7,500,000	\$3,125,000	\$15,000,000		

Table 5. Senate Committee Funding: Requests and Authorizations, 109th Congress, Nominal Dollars

Source: Individual committee funding resolutions introduced in the 109th Congress (2005-2006) and S.Res. 50, as adopted by the Senate.

		Rec	luest			Authorization				
Committee	3/1/2003- 9/30/2003	10/1/2003- 9/30/2004	10/1/2004- 2/28/2005	Total Request	3/1/2003- 9/30/2003	10/1/2003- 9/30/2004	10/1/2004- 2/28/2005	Total Authorization	Difference ^a	%
Agriculture, Nutrition, and Forestry	\$1,949,860	\$3,431,602	\$1,462,700	\$6,844,162	\$1,949,860	\$3,431,602	\$1,462,700	\$6,844,162	\$0	100.00%
Armed Services	\$3,594,172	\$6,328,829	\$2,698,836	\$12,621,837	\$3,594,172	\$6,328,829	\$2,698,836	\$12,621,837	\$0	100.00%
Banking, Housing, and Urban Affairs	\$2,979,871	\$5,244,760	\$2,235,697	\$10,460,328	\$2,979,871	\$5,244,760	\$2,235,697	\$10,460,328	\$0	100.00%
Budget	\$3,136,108	\$5,522,410	\$2,355,010	\$11,013,528	\$3,136,108	\$5,522,410	\$2,355,010	\$11,013,528	\$0	100.00%
Commerce, Science, and Transportation	\$3,227,950	\$5,681,955	\$2,422,263	\$11,332,168	\$3,227,950	\$5,681,955	\$2,422,263	\$11,332,168	\$0	100.00%
Energy and Natural Resources	\$2,724,301	\$4,795,783	\$2,044,614	\$9,564,698	\$2,724,301	\$4,795,783	\$2,044,614	\$9,564,698	\$0	100.00%
Environment and Public Works	\$2,516,590	\$4,427,783	\$1,886,876	\$8,831,249	\$2,516,590	\$4,427,783	\$1,886,876	\$8,831,249	\$0	100.00%
Finance	\$3,511,241	\$6,179,693	\$2,634,121	\$12,325,055	\$3,511,241	\$6,179,693	\$2,634,121	\$12,325,055	\$0	100.00%
Foreign Relations	\$2,933,624	\$5,163,940	\$2,201,453	\$10,299,017	\$2,516,590	\$4,427,783	\$1,886,876	\$8,831,249	-\$1,467,768	85.75%
Health, Education, Labor, and Pensions	\$4,764,738	\$8,387,779	\$3,576,035	\$16,728,552	\$4,764,738	\$8,387,779	\$3,576,035	\$16,728,552	\$0	100.00%
Homeland Security and Governmental Affairs	\$4,236,427	\$7,457,494	\$3,179,327	\$14,873,248	\$4,236,427	\$7,457,494	\$3,179,327	\$14,873,248	\$0	100.00%
Judiciary	\$4,605,727	\$8,110,222	\$3,548,55 I	\$16,264,500	\$4,605,727	\$8,110,222	\$3,548,55 I	\$16,264,500	\$0	100.00%
Rules and Administration	\$1,288,413	\$2,269,014	\$967,696	\$4,525,123	\$1,288,413	\$2,269,014	\$967,696	\$4,525,123	\$0	100.00%
Small Business and Entrepreneurship	\$1,215,913	\$2,139,332	\$911,668	\$4,266,913	\$1,215,913	\$2,139,332	\$911,668	\$4,266,913	\$0	100.00%
Veterans' Affairs	\$1,112,475	\$1,958,451	\$834,987	\$3,905,913	\$1,112,475	\$1,958,451	\$834,987	\$3,905,913	\$0	100.00%
Special Committee on Aging	\$1,347,927	\$2,372,258	\$1,011,165	\$4,731,350	\$1,347,927	\$2,372,258	\$1,011,165	\$4,731,350	\$0	100.00%
Indian Affairs	\$1,051,310	\$1,848,350	\$787,173	\$3,686,833	\$1,051,310	\$1,848,350	\$787,173	\$3,686,833	\$0	100.00%
Select Committee on Intelligence	\$2,117,309	\$3,726,412	\$1,588,401	\$7,432,122	\$2,117,309	\$3,726,412	\$1,588,401	\$7,432,122	\$0	100.00%
Reserve Fund					\$3,500,000	\$6,000,000	\$2,500,000	\$12,000,000		

 Table 6. Senate Committee Funding: Requests and Authorizations, 108th Congress, Nominal Dollars

Source: Individual committee funding resolutions introduced in the 108th Congress (2003-2004) and S.Res. 66, as adopted by the Senate.

Note: Committees are listed according to their names in the 112th Congress. In the 108th Congress, the Committee on Homeland Security and Governmental Affairs was known as the Committee on Governmental Affairs.

		Rec	luest			Auth				
Committee	3/1/2001- 9/30/2001	10/1/2001- 9/30/2002	10/1/2002- 2/28/2003	Total Request	3/1/2001- 9/30/2001	10/1/2001- 9/30/2002	10/1/2002- 2/28/2003	Total Authorization	Difference ^a	%
Agriculture, Nutrition, and Forestry	\$1,794,378	\$3,181,922	\$1,360,530	\$6,336,830	\$1,794,378	\$3,181,922	\$1,360,530	\$6,336,830	\$0	100.00%
Armed Services	\$3,301,692	\$5,859,150	\$2,506,642	\$11,667,484	\$3,301,692	\$5,859,150	\$2,506,642	\$11,667,484	\$0	100.00%
Banking, Housing, and Urban Affairs	\$2,741,526	\$4,862,013	\$2,079,076	\$9,682,615	\$2,741,526	\$4,862,013	\$2,079,076	\$9,682,615	\$0	100.00%
Budget	\$2,880,615	\$5,112,126	\$2,187,120	\$10,179,861	\$2,880,615	\$5,112,126	\$2,187,120	\$10,179,861	\$0	100.00%
Commerce, Science, and Transportation	\$2,968,783	\$5,265,771	\$2,251,960	\$10,486,514	\$2,968,783	\$5,265,771	\$2,251,960	\$10,486,514	\$0	100.00%
Energy and Natural Resources	\$2,504,922	\$4,443,495	\$1,900,457	\$8,848,874	\$2,504,922	\$4,443,495	\$1,900,457	\$8,848,874	\$0	100.00%
Environment and Public Works	\$2,318,050	\$4,108,958	\$1,756,412	\$8,183,420	\$2,318,050	\$4,108,958	\$1,756,412	\$8,183,420	\$0	100.00%
Finance	\$3,230,940	\$5,729,572	\$2,449,93 I	\$11,410,443	\$3,230,940	\$5,729,572	\$2,449,931	\$11,410,443	\$0	100.00%
Foreign Relations	\$2,495,457	\$4,427,295	\$1,893,716	\$8,816,468	\$2,495,457	\$4,427,295	\$1,893,716	\$8,816,468	\$0	100.00%
Health, Education, Labor, and Pensions	\$3,895,623	\$6,910,215	\$2,955,379	\$13,761,217	\$3,895,623	\$6,910,215	\$2,955,379	\$13,761,217	\$0	100.00%
Homeland Security and Governmental Affairs	\$4,380,936	\$7,771,451	\$3,323,832	\$15,476,219	\$4,380,936	\$7,771,451	\$3,323,832	\$15,476,219	\$0	100.00%
Judiciary	\$4,230,605	\$7,507,831	\$3,212,052	\$14,950,488	\$4,230,605	\$7,507,83I	\$3,212,052	\$14,950,488	\$0	100.00%
Rules and Administration	\$1,183,041	\$2,099,802	\$898,454	\$4,181,297	\$1,183,041	\$2,099,802	\$898,454	\$4,181,297	\$0	100.00%
Small Business and Entrepreneurship	\$1,119,973	\$1,985,266	\$848,624	\$3,953,863	\$1,119,973	\$1,985,266	\$848,624	\$3,953,863	\$0	100.00%
Veterans' Affairs	\$1,022,752	\$1,814,368	\$776,028	\$3,613,148	\$1,022,752	\$1,814,368	\$776,028	\$3,6 3, 48	\$0	100.00%
Special Committee on Aging	\$1,240,422	\$2,199,621	\$940,522	\$4,380,565	\$1,240,422	\$2,199,621	\$940,522	\$4,380,565	\$0	100.00%
Indian Affairs	\$970,754	\$1,718,989	\$734,239	\$3,423,982	\$970,754	\$1,718,989	\$734,239	\$3,423,982	\$0	100.00%
Select Committee on Intelligence	\$1,859,933	\$3,298,074	\$1,410,164	\$6,568,171	\$1,859,933	\$3,298,074	\$1,410,164	\$6,568,171	\$0	100.00%
Reserve Fund					\$2,000,000	\$3,700,000	\$1,600,000	\$7,300,000		

 Table 7. Senate Committee Funding: Requests and Authorizations, 107th Congress, Nominal Dollars

Source: Individual committee funding resolutions introduced in the 107th Congress (2001-2002) and S.Res. 54, as adopted by the Senate.

Note: Committees are listed according to their names in the 113th Congress. In the 107th Congress, the Committee on Homeland Security and Governmental Affairs was known as the Committee on Governmental Affairs.

		Req	Request Authorization				Authorization			
Committee	3/1/1999- 9/30/1999	10/1/1999- 9/30/2000	0/ /2000- 2/28/200	Total Request	3/1/1999- 9/30/1999	10/1/1999- 9/30/2000	10/1/2000- 2/28/2001	Total Authorization	Difference ^a	%
Agriculture, Nutrition, and Forestry	\$1,091,991	\$2,118,150	\$903,523	\$3,021,673	\$1,091,991	\$2,118,150	\$903,523	\$3,021,673	\$0	100.00%
Armed Services	\$1,693,175	\$3,796,030	\$1,568,418	\$5,364,448	\$1,693,175	\$3,796,030	\$1,568,418	\$5,364,448	\$0	100.00%
Banking, Housing, and Urban Affairs	\$1,784,395	\$3,160,739	\$1,348,349	\$4,509,088	\$1,784,395	\$3,160,739	\$1,348,349	\$4,509,088	\$0	100.00%
Budget	\$1,945,784	\$3,449,315	\$1,472,442	\$4,921,757	\$1,945,784	\$3,449,315	\$1,472,442	\$4,921,757	\$0	100.00%
Commerce, Science, and Transportation	\$2,157,797	\$3,823,318	\$1,631,426	\$5,454,744	\$2,157,797	\$3,823,318	\$1,631,426	\$5,454,744	\$0	100.00%
Energy and Natural Resources	\$1,650,792	\$2,924,935	\$1,248,068	\$4,173,003	\$1,650,792	\$2,924,935	\$1,248,068	\$4,173,003	\$0	100.00%
Environment and Public Works	\$1,518,386	\$2,688,097	\$1,146,192	\$3,834,289	\$1,518,386	\$2,688,097	\$1,146,192	\$3,834,289	\$0	100.00%
Finance	\$1,892,206	\$3,762,517	\$1,604,978	\$5,367,495	\$1,892,206	\$3,762,517	\$1,604,978	\$5,367,495	\$0	100.00%
Foreign Relations	\$1,697,074	\$3,158,449	\$1,347,981	\$4,506,430	\$1,697,074	\$3,158,449	\$1,347,981	\$4,506,430	\$0	100.00%
Health, Education, Labor, and Pensions	\$2,574,140	\$4,560,792	\$1,946,026	\$6,506,818	2574140	\$4,560,792	\$1,946,026	\$6,506,818	\$0	100.00%
Homeland Security and Governmental Affairs	\$2,836,961	\$5,026,582	\$2,144,819	\$7,171,401	\$2,836,961	\$5,026,582	\$2,144,819	\$7,171,401	\$0	100.00%
Judiciary	\$2,733,379	\$4,845,263	\$2,068,258	\$6,913,521	\$2,733,379	\$4,845,263	\$2,068,258	\$6,913,521	\$0	100.00%
Rules and Administration	\$929,755	\$1,647,719	\$703,526	\$2,351,245	\$929,755	\$1,647,719	\$703,526	\$2,351,245	\$0	100.00%
Small Business and Entrepreneurship	\$677,992	\$1,330,794	\$567,472	\$1,898,266	\$677,992	\$1,330,794	\$567,472	\$1,898,266	\$0	100.00%
Veterans' Affairs	\$703,242	\$1,246,174	\$531,794	\$1,777,968	\$703,242	\$1,246,174	\$531,794	\$1,777,968	\$0	100.00%
Special Committee on Aging	\$708,185	\$1,459,827	\$622,709	\$2,082,536	\$708,185	\$1,459,827	\$622,709	\$2,082,536	\$0	100.00%
Indian Affairs	\$712,580	\$1,260,534	\$537,123	\$1,797,657	\$712,580	\$1,260,534	\$537,123	\$1,797,657	\$0	100.00%
Select Committee on Intelligence	\$1,325,017	\$2,674,687	\$1,141,189	\$3,815,876	\$1,325,017	\$2,674,687	\$1,141,189	\$3,815,876	\$0	100.00%
Reserve Fund						\$ 3,700,000	\$ 1,600,000	\$5,300,000		

Table 8. Senate Committee Funding: Requests and Authorizations, 106th Congress, Nominal Dollars

Source: Data taken from committee funding resolutions introduced in the Senate for the 106th Congress (1999-2000); S.Res. 49, as adopted by the Senate; and S.Res. 189, as adopted by the Senate.

Note: Committees are listed according to their names in the 113th Congress. In the 106th Congress, the Committee on Homeland Security and Governmental Affairs was known as the Committee on Governmental Affairs.

		Req	uest			Auth				
Committee	3/1/2011- 9/30/2011	10/1/2011- 9/30/2012	10/1/2012- 2/28/2013	Total Request	3/1/2011- 9/30/2012	10/1/2012- 9/30/2013	10/1/2013- 2/28/2014	Total Authorization	Difference	%
Agriculture, Nutrition, and Forestry	\$2,927,951	\$5,019,345	\$2,091,394	\$10,038,691	\$2,927,951	\$5,019,345	\$2,091,394	\$10,038,691	\$0	100.00%
Armed Services	\$4,966,783	\$8,514,486	\$3,547,704	\$17,028,973	\$4,966,783	\$8,514,486	\$3,547,704	\$17,028,973	\$0	100.00%
Banking, Housing, and Urban Affairs	\$4,500,749	\$7,715,567	\$3,214,820	\$15,431,136	\$4,500,749	\$7,715,567	\$3,214,820	\$15,431,136	\$0	100.00%
Budget	\$4,694,253	\$8,047,289	\$3,353,036	\$16,094,577	\$4,694,253	\$8,047,289	\$3,353,036	\$16,094,577	\$0	100.00%
Commerce, Science, and Transportation	\$4,848,167	\$8,311,143	\$3,462,976	\$16,622,286	\$4,848,167	\$8,311,143	\$3,462,976	\$16,622,286	\$0	100.00%
Energy and Natural Resources	\$4,103,511	\$7,034,590	\$2,931,079	\$14,069,180	\$4,103,511	\$7,034,590	\$2,931,079	\$14,069,180	\$0	100.00%
Environment and Public Works	\$3,777,359	\$6,475,472	\$2,698,112	\$12,950,944	\$3,777,359	\$6,475,472	\$2,698,112	\$12,950,944	\$0	100.00%
Finance	\$5,577,389	\$9,561,238	\$3,983,848	\$19,122,475	\$5,577,389	\$9,561,238	\$3,983,848	\$19,122,475	\$0	100.00%
Foreign Relations	\$4,594,039	\$7,875,495	\$3,281,456	\$15,750,990	\$4,594,039	\$7,875,495	\$3,281,456	\$15,750,990	\$0	100.00%
Health, Education, Labor, and Pensions	\$6,394,583	\$10,962,142	\$4,567,560	\$21,924,285	\$6,394,583	\$10,962,142	\$4,567,560	\$21,924,285	\$0	100.00%
Homeland Security and Governmental Affairs	\$7,217,990	\$12,373,698	\$5,155,708	\$24,747,395	\$7,217,990	\$12,373,698	\$5,155,708	\$24,747,395	\$0	100.00%
Judiciary	\$6,989,490	\$11,981,983	\$4,992,494	\$23,963,967	\$6,989,490	\$11,981,983	\$4,992,494	\$23,963,967	\$0	100.00%
Rules and Administration	\$1,924,778	\$3,299,619	\$1,374,841	\$6,599,238	\$1,924,778	\$3,299,619	\$1,374,841	\$6,599,238	\$0	100.00%
Small Business and Entrepreneurship	\$1,811,995	\$3,106,277	\$1,294,280	\$6,212,552	\$1,811,995	\$3,106,277	\$1,294,280	\$6,212,552	\$0	100.00%
Veterans' Affairs	\$1,675,408	\$2,872,127	\$1,196,719	\$5,744,254	\$1,675,408	\$2,872,127	\$1,196,719	\$5,744,254	\$0	100.00%
Special Committee on Aging	\$2,025,577	\$3,472,418	\$1,446,841	\$6,944,835	\$2,025,577	\$3,472,418	\$1,446,841	\$6,944,835	\$0	100.00%
Indian Affairs	\$1,550,316	\$2,657,683	\$1,107,369	\$5,315,368	\$1,550,316	\$2,657,683	\$1,107,369	\$5,315,368	\$0	100.00%
Select Committee on Intelligence	\$4,443,159	\$7,616,844	\$3,173,685	\$15,233,688	\$4,443,159	\$7,616,844	\$3,173,685	\$15,233,688	\$0	100.00%
Reserve Fund					\$4,574,795	\$7,842,505	\$3,267,710	\$15,685,010		

Table 9. Senate Committee Funding: Requests and Authorizations, 112th Congress, Constant Dollars

Source: CRS calculations based on Senate committee funding resolutions in the 112th Congress (2011-2012) and the Consumer Price Index for January 2013, available at ftp://ftp.bls.gov/pub/special.requests/cpi/cpiai.txt.

Request						Auth				
Committee	3/1/2009- 9/30/2009	10/1/2009- 9/30/2010	10/1/2010- 2/28/2011	Total Request	3/1/2009- 9/30/2009	10/1/2009- 9/30/2010	10/1/2010- 2/28/2011	Total Authorization	Difference	%
Agriculture, Nutrition, and Forestry	\$2,936,365	\$5,162,423	\$2,198,469	\$10,297,258	\$2,936,365	\$5,162,423	\$2,198,469	\$10,297,258	\$0	100.00%
Armed Services	\$4,979,693	\$8,757,392	\$3,730,354	\$17,467,438	\$4,979,693	\$8,757,392	\$3,730,354	\$17,467,438	\$0	100.00%
Banking, Housing, and Urban Affairs	\$4,513,462	\$7,935,534	\$3,379,574	\$15,828,570	\$4,513,462	\$7,935,534	\$3,379,574	\$15,828,570	\$0	100.00%
Budget	\$4,706,248	\$8,276,896	\$3,525,820	\$16,508,964	\$4,706,248	\$8,276,896	\$3,525,820	\$16,508,964	\$0	100.00%
Commerce, Science, and Transportation	\$4,861,607	\$8,548,126	\$3,640,642	\$17,050,375	\$4,861,607	\$8,548,126	\$3,640,642	\$17,050,375	\$0	100.00%
Energy and Natural Resources	\$4,114,700	\$7,235,201	\$3,081,595	\$14,431,495	\$4,114,700	\$7,235,201	\$3,081,595	\$14,431,495	\$0	100.00%
Environment and Public Works	\$3,788,806	\$6,659,971	\$2,835,809	\$13,284,586	\$3,788,806	\$6,659,971	\$2,835,809	\$13,284,586	\$0	100.00%
Finance	\$5,593,138	\$9,833,824	\$4,188,019	\$19,614,981	\$5,593,138	\$9,833,824	\$4,188,019	\$19,614,981	\$0	100.00%
Foreign Relations	\$4,606,696	\$8,100,068	\$3,449,866	\$16,156,630	\$4,606,696	\$8,100,068	\$3,449,866	\$16,156,630	\$0	100.00%
Health, Education, Labor, and Pensions	\$6,412,108	\$11,274,744	\$4,802,045	\$22,488,897	\$6,412,108	\$11,274,744	\$4,802,045	\$22,488,897	\$0	100.00%
Homeland Security and Governmental Affairs	\$7,237,621	\$12,726,574	\$5,420,497	\$25,384,692	\$7,237,621	\$12,726,574	\$5,420,497	\$25,384,692	\$0	100.00%
Judiciary	\$7,007,349	\$12,323,857	\$5,249,760	\$24,580,965	\$7,007,349	\$12,323,857	\$5,249,760	\$24,580,965	\$0	100.00%
Rules and Administration	\$1,929,584	\$3,393,780	\$1,445,771	\$6,769,135	\$1,929,584	\$3,393,780	\$1,445,771	\$6,769,135	\$0	100.00%
Small Business and Entrepreneurship	\$1,817,492	\$3,194,780	\$1,360,328	\$6,372,600	\$1,817,492	\$3,194,780	\$1,360,328	\$6,372,600	\$0	100.00%
Veterans' Affairs	\$1,679,937	\$2,954,040	\$1,258,200	\$5,892,177	\$1,679,937	\$2,954,040	\$1,258,200	\$5,892,177	\$0	100.00%
Special Committee on Aging	\$2,031,390	\$3,571,400	\$1,520,921	\$7,123,712	\$2,031,390	\$3,571,400	\$1,520,921	\$7,123,712	\$0	100.00%
Indian Affairs	\$1,555,698	\$2,733,306	\$1,163,371	\$5,452,375	\$1,555,698	\$2,733,306	\$1,163,371	\$5,452,375	\$0	100.00%
Select Committee on Intelligence	\$4,455,630	\$7,834,007	\$3,336,393	\$15,626,030	\$4,455,630	\$7,834,007	\$3,336,393	\$15,626,030	\$0	100.00%
Reserve Fund					\$4,696,043	\$8,050,360	\$3,354,317	\$16,100,719		

Table 10. Senate Committee Funding: Requests and Authorizations, 111th Congress, Constant Dollars

Source: CRS calculations based on Senate committee funding resolutions in the 111th Congress (2009-2010) and the Consumer Price Index for January 2013, available at ftp://ftp.bls.gov/pub/special.requests/cpi/cpiai.txt.

	Request					Auth				
Committee	3/1/2007- 9/30/2007	10/1/2007- 9/30/2008	10/1/2008- 2/28/2009	Total Request	3/1/2007- 9/30/2007	10/1/2007- 9/30/2008	10/1/2008- 2/28/2009	Total Authorization	Difference	%
Agriculture, Nutrition, and Forestry	\$2,448,423	\$4,290,040	\$1,821,640	\$8,560,104	\$2,448,423	\$4,290,040	\$1,821,640	\$8,560,104	\$0	100.00%
Armed Services	\$4,523,873	\$7,929,668	\$3,368,217	\$15,821,758	\$4,523,873	\$7,929,668	\$3,368,217	\$15,821,758	\$0	100.00%
Banking, Housing, and Urban Affairs	\$3,743,130	\$6,558,962	\$2,785,208	\$13,087,300	\$3,743,130	\$6,558,962	\$2,785,208	\$13,087,300	\$0	100.00%
Budget	\$3,947,848	\$6,920,137	\$2,939,462	\$13,807,447	\$3,947,848	\$6,920,137	\$2,939,462	\$13,807,447	\$0	100.00%
Commerce, Science, and Transportation	\$4,056,534	\$7,108,645	\$3,018,815	\$14,183,994	\$4,056,535	\$7,108,646	\$3,018,814	\$14,183,995	\$1	100.00%
Energy and Natural Resources	\$3,424,781	\$6,001,906	\$2,548,940	\$11,975,626	\$3,424,781	\$6,001,906	\$2,548,940	\$11,975,626	\$0	100.00%
Environment and Public Works	\$3,156,184	\$5,529,026	\$2,347,332	\$11,032,541	\$3,156,184	\$5,529,026	\$2,347,332	\$11,032,541	\$0	100.00%
Finance	\$4,668,758	\$8,170,780	\$3,466,008	\$16,305,546	\$4,409,612	\$7,726,528	\$3,280,903	\$15,417,043	-\$888,503	94.55%
Foreign Relations	\$3,853,271	\$6,743,669	\$2,860,658	\$13,457,598	\$3,626,517	\$6,354,948	\$2,698,690	\$12,680,156	-\$777,442	94.22%
Health, Education, Labor, and Pensions	\$5,325,091	\$9,332,010	\$3,963,130	\$18,620,231	\$5,325,091	\$9,332,010	\$3,963,130	\$18,620,231	\$0	100.00%
Homeland Security and Governmental Affairs	\$5,990,070	\$10,497,621	\$4,458,240	\$20,945,93 I	\$5,990,070	\$10,497,621	\$4,458,240	\$20,945,93 I	\$0	100.00%
Judiciary	\$5,797,679	\$10,162,631	\$4,316,754	\$20,277,065	\$5,797,679	\$10,162,631	\$4,316,754	\$20,277,065	\$0	100.00%
Rules and Administration	\$1,622,642	\$2,844,524	\$1,208,343	\$5,675,509	\$1,622,642	\$2,844,524	\$1,208,343	\$5,675,509	\$0	100.00%
Small Business and Entrepreneurship	\$1,524,963	\$2,671,450	\$1,134,159	\$5,330,572	\$1,524,963	\$2,671,450	\$1,134,159	\$5,330,572	\$0	100.00%
Veterans' Affairs	\$1,398,773	\$2,451,413	\$1,041,113	\$4,891,299	\$1,398,773	\$2,451,413	\$1,041,113	\$4,891,299	\$0	100.00%
Special Committee on Aging	\$1,692,619	\$2,965,759	\$1,259,325	\$5,917,704	\$1,692,619	\$2,965,759	\$1,259,325	\$5,917,704	\$0	100.00%
Indian Affairs	\$1,314,165	\$2,300,903	\$976,388	\$4,591,456	\$1,314,165	\$2,300,903	\$976,388	\$4,591,456	\$0	100.00%
Select Committee on Intelligence	\$3,703,594	\$6,495,051	\$2,757,891	\$12,956,536	\$3,577,260	\$6,267,759	\$2,661,347	\$12,506,366	-\$450,170	96.53%
Reserve Fund					\$4,859,001	\$8,329,716	\$3,470,715	\$16,659,432		

 Table 11. Senate Committee Funding: Requests and Authorizations, 110th Congress, Constant Dollars

Source: CRS calculations based on Senate committee funding resolutions in the 110th Congress (2007-2008) and the Consumer Price Index for January 2013, available at ftp://ftp.bls.gov/pub/special.requests/cpi/cpiai.txt.

		Req	uest			Auth				
Committee	3/1/2005- 9/30/2005	10/1/2005- 9/30/2006	10/1/2006- 2/28/2007	Total Request	3/1/2005- 9/30/2005	10/1/2005- 9/30/2006	10/1/2006- 2/28/2007	Total Authorization	Difference	%
Agriculture, Nutrition, and Forestry	\$2,465,400	\$4,328,065	\$1,842,109	\$8,635,574	\$2,465,400	\$4,328,065	\$1,842,109	\$8,635,574	\$0	100.00%
Armed Services	\$4,550,754	\$7,992,540	\$3,403,116	\$15,946,410	\$4,550,754	\$7,992,540	\$3,403,116	\$15,946,410	\$0	100.00%
Banking, Housing, and Urban Affairs	\$3,768,525	\$6,616,178	\$2,816,140	\$13,200,843	\$3,768,525	\$6,616,178	\$2,816,140	\$13,200,843	\$0	100.00%
Budget	\$3,971,086	\$6,974,641	\$2,969,775	\$13,915,502	\$3,971,086	\$6,974,641	\$2,969,775	\$13,915,502	\$0	100.00%
Commerce, Science, and Transportation	\$4,083,309	\$7,169,422	\$3,051,849	\$14,304,580	\$4,083,309	\$7,169,422	\$3,051,849	\$14,304,580	\$0	100.00%
Energy and Natural Resources	\$3,446,892	\$6,052,405	\$2,576,509	\$12,075,805	\$3,446,892	\$6,052,405	\$2,576,509	\$12,075,805	\$0	100.00%
Environment and Public Works	\$3,179,690	\$5,580,721	\$2,374,780	\$11,135,191	\$3,179,690	\$5,580,721	\$2,374,780	\$11,135,191	\$0	100.00%
Finance	\$4,812,374	\$8,448,871	\$3,595,200	\$16,856,445	\$4,439,945	\$7,794,616	\$3,317,614	\$15,552,175	-\$1,304,270	92.26%
Foreign Relations	\$3,879,962	\$6,802,736	\$2,892,176	\$13,574,875	\$3,649,544	\$6,407,735	\$2,727,593	\$12,784,872	-\$790,003	94.18%
Health, Education, Labor, and Pensions	\$5,359,730	\$9,410,954	\$4,006,165	\$18,776,848	\$5,359,730	\$9,410,954	\$4,006,165	\$18,776,848	\$0	100.00%
Homeland Security and Governmental Affairs	\$6,028,656	\$10,585,801	\$4,506,402	\$21,120,858	\$6,028,656	\$10,585,801	\$4,506,402	\$21,120,858	\$0	100.00%
Judiciary	\$5,831,882	\$10,242,798	\$4,361,320	\$20,436,000	\$5,831,882	\$10,242,798	\$4,361,320	\$20,436,000	\$0	100.00%
Rules and Administration	\$1,631,883	\$2,866,416	\$1,220,601	\$5,718,901	\$1,631,883	\$2,866,416	\$1,220,601	\$5,718,901	\$0	100.00%
Small Business and Entrepreneurship	\$1,536,312	\$2,696,410	\$1,147,415	\$5,380,137	\$1,536,312	\$2,696,410	\$1,147,415	\$5,380,137	\$0	100.00%
Veterans' Affairs	\$1,644,302	\$2,883,821	\$1,226,453	\$5,754,576	\$1,407,697	\$2,471,863	\$1,052,304	\$4,931,864	-\$822,712	85.70%
Special Committee on Aging	\$1,704,338	\$2,992,019	\$1,273,467	\$5,969,824	\$1,704,338	\$2,992,019	\$1,273,467	\$5,969,824	\$0	100.00%
Indian Affairs	\$1,325,771	\$2,325,426	\$989,002	\$4,640,200	\$1,325,771	\$2,325,426	\$989,002	\$4,640,200	\$0	100.00%
Select Committee on Intelligence	\$3,596,983	\$6,314,722	\$2,687,771	\$12,599,476	\$3,596,983	\$6,314,722	\$2,687,771	\$12,599,476	\$0	100.00%
Reserve Fund					\$5,158,602	\$8,843,318	\$3,684,716	\$17,686,636		

 Table 12. Senate Committee Funding: Requests and Authorizations, 109th Congress, Constant Dollars

Source: CRS calculations based on Senate committee funding resolutions in the 109th Congress (2005-2006) and the Consumer Price Index for January 2013, available at ftp://ftp.bls.gov/pub/special.requests/cpi/cpiai.txt.

		Req	uest			Auth				
Committee	3/1/2003- 9/30/2003	10/1/2003- 9/30/2004	10/1/2004- 2/28/2005	Total Request	3/1/2003- 9/30/2003	10/1/2003- 9/30/2004	10/1/2004- 2/28/2005	Total Authorization	Difference	%
Agriculture, Nutrition, and Forestry	\$2,440,292	\$4,294,725	\$1,830,601	\$8,565,618	\$2,440,292	\$4,294,725	\$1,830,601	\$8,565,618	\$0	100.00%
Armed Services	\$4,498,184	\$7,920,667	\$3,377,652	\$15,796,503	\$4,498,184	\$7,920,667	\$3,377,652	\$15,796,503	\$0	100.00%
Banking, Housing, and Urban Affairs	\$3,729,373	\$6,563,931	\$2,798,023	\$13,091,328	\$3,729,373	\$6,563,931	\$2,798,023	\$13,091,328	\$0	100.00%
Budget	\$3,924,907	\$6,911,416	\$2,947,346	\$13,783,670	\$3,924,907	\$6,911,416	\$2,947,346	\$13,783,670	\$0	100.00%
Commerce, Science, and Transportation	\$4,039,850	\$7,111,090	\$3,031,515	\$14,182,455	\$4,039,850	\$7,111,090	\$3,031,515	\$14,182,455	\$0	100.00%
Energy and Natural Resources	\$3,409,522	\$6,002,027	\$2,558,879	\$11,970,427	\$3,409,522	\$6,002,027	\$2,558,879	\$11,970,427	\$0	100.00%
Environment and Public Works	\$3,149,567	\$5,541,467	\$2,361,466	\$11,052,500	\$3,149,567	\$5,541,467	\$2,361,466	\$11,052,500	\$0	100.00%
Finance	\$4,394,394	\$7,734,020	\$3,296,660	\$15,425,074	\$4,394,394	\$7,734,020	\$3,296,660	\$15,425,074	\$0	100.00%
Foreign Relations	\$3,671,494	\$6,462,783	\$2,755,166	\$12,889,444	\$3,149,567	\$5,541,467	\$2,361,466	\$11,052,500	-\$1,836,944	85.75%
Health, Education, Labor, and Pensions	\$5,963,173	\$10,497,488	\$4,475,486	\$20,936,146	\$5,963,173	\$10,497,488	\$4,475,486	\$20,936,146	\$0	100.00%
Homeland Security and Governmental Affairs	\$5,301,980	\$9,333,216	\$3,978,997	\$18,614,193	\$5,301,980	\$9,333,216	\$3,978,997	\$18,614,193	\$0	100.00%
Judiciary	\$5,764,167	\$10,150,119	\$4,441,089	\$20,355,375	\$5,764,167	\$10,150,119	\$4,441,089	\$20,355,375	\$0	100.00%
Rules and Administration	\$1,612,477	\$2,839,720	\$1,211,093	\$5,663,290	\$1,612,477	\$2,839,720	\$1,211,093	\$5,663,290	\$0	100.00%
Small Business and Entrepreneurship	\$1,521,742	\$2,677,421	\$1,140,972	\$5,340,134	\$1,521,742	\$2,677,421	\$1,140,972	\$5,340,134	\$0	100.00%
Veterans' Affairs	\$1,392,287	\$2,451,044	\$1,045,004	\$4,888,335	\$1,392,287	\$2,451,044	\$1,045,004	\$4,888,335	\$0	100.00%
Special Committee on Aging	\$1,686,960	\$2,968,932	\$1,265,495	\$5,921,387	\$1,686,960	\$2,968,932	\$1,265,495	\$5,921,387	\$0	100.00%
Indian Affairs	\$1,315,737	\$2,313,250	\$985,164	\$4,614,152	\$1,315,737	\$2,313,250	\$985,164	\$4,614,152	\$0	100.00%
Select Committee on Intelligence	\$2,649,858	\$4,663,686	\$1,987,918	\$9,301,462	\$2,649,858	\$4,663,686	\$1,987,918	\$9,301,462	\$0	100.00%
Reserve Fund					\$4,380,326	\$7,509,130	\$3,128,804	\$15,018,261		

 Table 13. Senate Committee Funding: Requests and Authorizations, 108th Congress, Constant Dollars

Source: CRS calculations based on Senate committee funding resolutions in the 108th Congress (2003-2004) and the Consumer Price Index for January 2013, available at ftp://ftp.bls.gov/pub/special.requests/cpi/cpiai.txt.

Note: January 2013 dollars. Committees are listed according to their names in the 113th Congress. In the 108th Congress, the Committee on Homeland Security and Governmental Affairs was known as the Committee on Governmental Affairs.

		Req	uest			Auth				
Committee	3/1/2001- 9/30/2001	10/1/2001- 9/30/2002	10/1/2002- 2/28/2003	Total Request	3/1/2001- 9/30/2001	10/1/2001- 9/30/2002	10/1/2002- 2/28/2003	Total Authorization	Difference	%
Agriculture, Nutrition, and Forestry	\$2,333,198	\$4,137,397	\$1,769,073	\$8,239,668	\$2,333,198	\$4,137,397	\$1,769,073	\$8,239,668	\$0	100.00%
Armed Services	\$4,293,132	\$7,618,549	\$3,259,342	\$15,171,023	\$4,293,132	\$7,618,549	\$3,259,342	\$15,171,023	\$0	100.00%
Banking, Housing, and Urban Affairs	\$3,564,758	\$6,321,990	\$2,703,386	\$12,590,133	\$3,564,758	\$6,321,990	\$2,703,386	\$12,590,133	\$0	100.00%
Budget	\$3,745,613	\$6,647,207	\$2,843,873	\$13,236,693	\$3,745,613	\$6,647,207	\$2,843,873	\$13,236,693	\$0	100.00%
Commerce, Science, and Transportation	\$3,860,256	\$6,846,989	\$2,928,184	\$13,635,429	\$3,860,256	\$6,846,989	\$2,928,184	\$13,635,429	\$0	100.00%
Energy and Natural Resources	\$3,257,106	\$5,777,798	\$2,471,131	\$11,506,034	\$3,257,106	\$5,777,798	\$2,471,131	\$11,506,034	\$0	100.00%
Environment and Public Works	\$3,014,119	\$5,342,805	\$2,283,831	\$10,640,756	\$3,014,119	\$5,342,805	\$2,283,831	\$10,640,756	\$0	100.00%
Finance	\$4,201,134	\$7,450,061	\$3,185,602	\$14,836,797	\$4,201,134	\$7,450,061	\$3,185,602	\$14,836,797	\$0	100.00%
Foreign Relations	\$3,244,799	\$5,756,733	\$2,462,365	\$11,463,898	\$3,244,799	\$5,756,733	\$2,462,365	\$11,463,898	\$0	100.00%
Health, Education, Labor, and Pensions	\$5,065,410	\$8,985,230	\$3,842,827	\$17,893,467	\$5,065,410	\$8,985,230	\$3,842,827	\$17,893,467	\$0	100.00%
Homeland Security and Governmental Affairs	\$5,696,454	\$10,105,080	\$4,321,920	\$20,123,454	\$5,696,454	\$10,105,080	\$4,321,920	\$20,123,454	\$0	100.00%
Judiciary	\$5,500,981	\$9,762,300	\$4,176,574	\$19,439,855	\$5,500,981	\$9,762,300	\$4,176,574	\$19,439,855	\$0	100.00%
Rules and Administration	\$1,538,287	\$2,730,335	\$1,168,244	\$5,436,867	\$1,538,287	\$2,730,335	\$1,168,244	\$5,436,867	\$0	100.00%
Small Business and Entrepreneurship	\$1,456,281	\$2,581,406	\$1,103,451	\$5,141,138	\$1,456,281	\$2,581,406	\$1,103,451	\$5,141,138	\$0	100.00%
Veterans' Affairs	\$1,329,866	\$2,359,191	\$1,009,055	\$4,698,112	\$1,329,866	\$2,359,191	\$1,009,055	\$4,698,112	\$0	100.00%
Special Committee on Aging	\$1,612,899	\$2,860,128	\$1,222,944	\$5,695,971	\$1,612,899	\$2,860,128	\$1,222,944	\$5,695,971	\$0	100.00%
Indian Affairs	\$1,262,254	\$2,235,171	\$954,718	\$4,452,143	\$1,262,254	\$2,235,171	\$954,718	\$4,452,143	\$0	100.00%
Select Committee on Intelligence	\$2,418,438	\$4,288,427	\$1,833,611	\$8,540,477	\$2,418,438	\$4,288,427	\$1,833,611	\$8,540,477	\$0	100.00%
Reserve Fund					\$2,600,565	\$4,811,045	\$2,080,452	\$9,492,061		

Table 14. Senate Committee Funding: Requests and Authorizations, 107th Congress, Constant Dollars

Source: CRS calculations based on Senate committee funding resolutions in the 107th Congress (2001-2002) and the Consumer Price Index for January 2013, available at ftp://ftp.bls.gov/pub/special.requests/cpi/cpiai.txt.

Note: January 2013 dollars. Committees are listed according to their names in the 113th Congress. In the 107th Congress, the Committee on Homeland Security and Governmental Affairs was known as the Committee on Governmental Affairs.

	Request					Auth				
Committee	3/1/199- 9/30/1999	10/1/1999- 9/30/2000	1 0/1/2000- 2/28/200 1	Total Request	3/1/199- 9/30/1999	10/1/1999- 9/30/2000	0/ /2000- 2/28/200	Total Authorization	Difference	%
Agriculture, Nutrition, and Forestry	\$1,509,386	\$2,927,777	\$1,248,879	\$5,686,042	\$1,509,386	\$2,927,777	\$1,248,879	\$5,686,042	\$0	100.00%
Armed Services	\$2,340,362	\$5,246,998	\$2,167,919	\$9,755,279	\$2,340,362	\$5,246,998	\$2,167,919	\$9,755,279	\$0	100.00%
Banking, Housing, and Urban Affairs	\$2,466,449	\$4,368,877	\$1,863,732	\$8,699,059	\$2,466,449	\$4,368,877	\$1,863,732	\$8,699,059	\$0	100.00%
Budget	\$2,689,527	\$4,767,757	\$2,035,258	\$9,492,541	\$2,689,527	\$4,767,757	\$2,035,258	\$9,492,541	\$0	100.00%
Commerce, Science, and Transportation	\$2,982,578	\$5,284,716	\$2,255,011	\$10,522,305	\$2,982,578	\$5,284,716	\$2,255,011	\$10,522,305	\$0	100.00%
Energy and Natural Resources	\$2,281,779	\$4,042,941	\$1,725,121	\$8,049,841	\$2,281,779	\$4,042,941	\$1,725,121	\$8,049,841	\$0	100.00%
Environment and Public Works	\$2,098,763	\$3,715,576	\$1,584,304	\$7,398,643	\$2,098,763	\$3,715,576	\$1,584,304	\$7,398,643	\$0	100.00%
Finance	\$2,615,469	\$5,200,675	\$2,218,453	\$10,034,598	\$2,615,469	\$5,200,675	\$2,218,453	\$10,034,598	\$0	100.00%
Foreign Relations	\$2,345,752	\$4,365,712	\$1,863,224	\$8,574,687	\$2,345,752	\$4,365,712	\$1,863,224	\$8,574,687	\$0	100.00%
Health, Education, Labor, and Pensions	\$3,558,061	\$6,304,077	\$2,689,86 I	\$12,551,999	\$3,558,061	\$6,304,077	\$2,689,861	\$12,551,999	\$0	100.00%
Homeland Security and Governmental Affairs	\$3,921,341	\$6,947,907	\$2,964,639	\$13,833,887	\$3,921,341	\$6,947,907	\$2,964,639	\$13,833,887	\$0	100.00%
Judiciary	\$3,778,166	\$6,697,282	\$2,858,814	\$13,334,262	\$3,778,166	\$6,697,282	\$2,858,814	\$13,334,262	\$0	100.00%
Rules and Administration	\$1,285,138	\$2,277,531	\$972,437	\$4,535,106	\$1,285,138	\$2,277,531	\$972,437	\$4,535,106	\$0	100.00%
Small Business and Entrepreneurship	\$937,143	\$1,839,467	\$784,378	\$3,560,989	\$937,143	\$1,839,467	\$784,378	\$3,560,989	\$0	100.00%
Veterans' Affairs	\$972,044	\$1,722,503	\$735,063	\$3,429,610	\$972,044	\$1,722,503	\$735,063	\$3,429,610	\$0	100.00%
Special Committee on Aging	\$978,877	\$2,017,821	\$860,729	\$3,857,426	\$978,877	\$2,017,821	\$860,729	\$3,857,426	\$0	100.00%
Indian Affairs	\$984,952	\$1,742,352	\$742,429	\$3,469,732	\$984,952	\$1,742,352	\$742,429	\$3,469,732	\$0	100.00%
Select Committee on Intelligence	\$1,831,482	\$3,697,040	\$1,577,389	\$7,105,911	\$1,831,482	\$3,697,040	\$1,577,389	\$7,105,911	\$0	100.00%
Reserve Fund						\$5,114,262	\$2,211,573			

 Table 15. Senate Committee Funding: Requests and Authorizations, 106th Congress, Constant Dollars

Source: CRS calculations based on Senate committee funding resolutions in the 106th Congress (1999-2000) and the Consumer Price Index for January 2013, available at ftp://ftp.bls.gov/pub/special.requests/cpi/cpiai.txt.

Note: January 2013 dollars. Note: Committees are listed according to their names in the 113th Congress. In the 106th Congress, the Committee on Homeland Security and Governmental Affairs was known as the Committee on Governmental Affairs.

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