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Awards	1,000	1,000	1,000	1,200
Other Instruments	16,500	16,500	17,500	18,200
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Fees, Fines and Forfeitures	12,500	12,500	12,500	10,700
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