



## Community Relations Service (CRS)

### FY 2021 Budget Request At A Glance

FY 2020 Enacted:	\$16.0 million (54 positions)
Current Services Adjustments:	-\$16.0 million
Program Changes:	+\$0
FY 2021 Budget Request:	\$0.0
Change From FY 2020 Enacted:	-\$16.0 million (-100.0%) (-54 positions)

#### Mission:

The Community Relations Service (CRS) assists State and local communities in the prevention and resolution of tension, violence, and civil disorders relating to actual or perceived discrimination on the basis of race, color, national origin, gender, gender identity, sexual orientation, religion, or disability. In FY 2021, to improve efficiency and appropriately rightsize the Federal role in local conflict resolutions, these activities will be consolidated within the Civil Rights Division (CRT), which has responsibility for enforcing all civil rights matters and for conferring with individuals and groups who call upon the Department of Justice in connection to civil rights matters.

#### Resources:

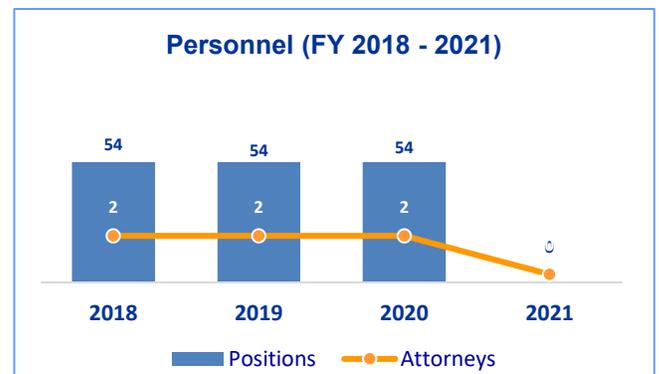
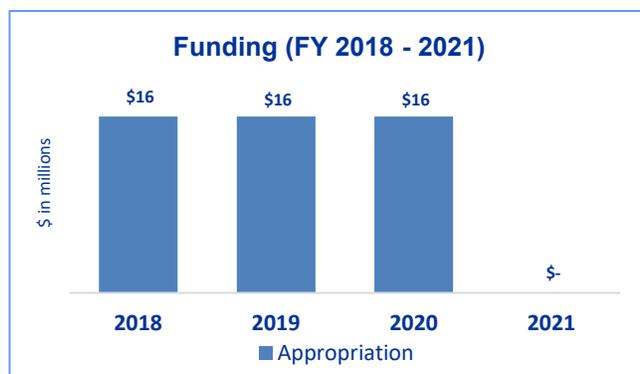
The FY 2021 Budget does not request an appropriation for CRS, and instead proposes to consolidate those functions within CRT. The Budget provides \$5 million and 15 positions to CRT to support this proposal.

#### Organization:

CRS is headed by a Director, who is appointed by the President and confirmed by the Senate. CRS has 10 regional offices and 4 field offices across the United States.

#### Personnel:

CRS has no direct authorized positions included in the FY 2021 budget request, a decrease of -54 positions from the FY 2020 Enacted level of 54 direct positions.



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(Dollars in Thousands)

	Community Relations Service		
	Pos	FTE	Amount
<b>2019 Appropriation</b>	<b>54</b>	<b>33</b>	<b>15,500</b>
<b>2020 Enacted</b>	<b>54</b>	<b>34</b>	<b>16,000</b>
<b>2021 Request</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>0</b>
<b>Change 2021 from 2020 Enacted</b>	<b>-54</b>	<b>-34</b>	<b>-16,000</b>
<b>Technical Adjustments</b>			
CRS Elimination with Mediation Functions Moved to Civil Rights Division	-54	-34	-16,000
<b>Total Technical Adjustments</b>	<b>-54</b>	<b>-34</b>	<b>-16,000</b>
<b>Base Adjustments</b>			
<b>Total Base Adjustments</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>0</b>
<b>2021 Current Services</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>0</b>
<b>Program Changes</b>			
<b>Increases:</b>			
<b>Subtotal, Program Increases</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>0</b>
<b>Decreases:</b>			
<b>Subtotal, Program Decreases</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>0</b>
<b>Total Program Changes</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>0</b>
<b>2021 Request</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>0</b>

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Comparison by activity and program	2020 Enacted			2021 Current Services		
	Pos.	FTE	Amount	Pos.	FTE	Amount
Conflict Resolution and Violence Prevention - Program Operations	54	34	16,000	0	0	0
<b>Total</b>	54	34	16,000	0	0	0

Comparison by activity and program	2021 Total Program Changes			2021 Request		
	Pos.	FTE	Amount	Pos.	FTE	Amount
Conflict Resolution and Violence Prevention - Program Operations	0	0	0	0	0	0
<b>Total</b>	0	0	0	0	0	0