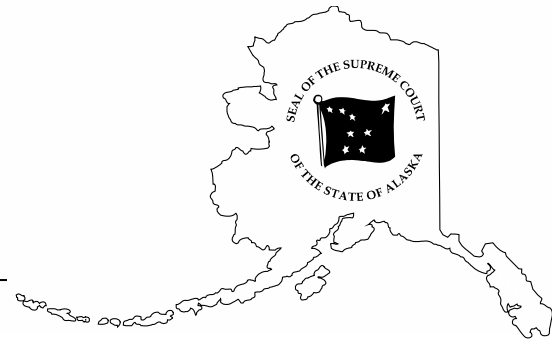


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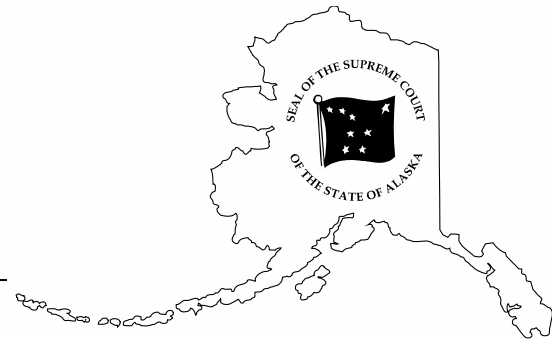


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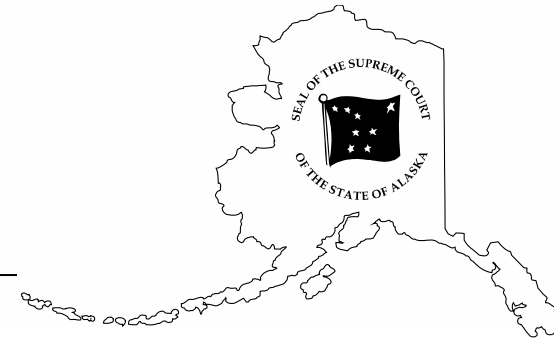


Mission Statement

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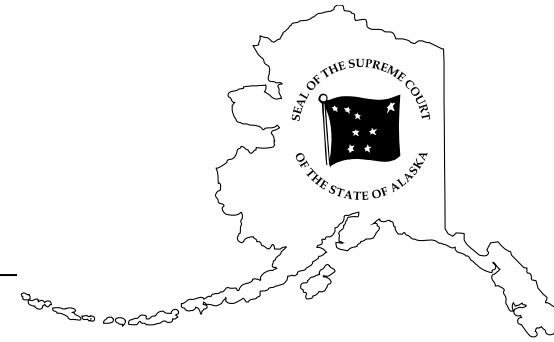


Criminal Jury Trials FY12 – FY14

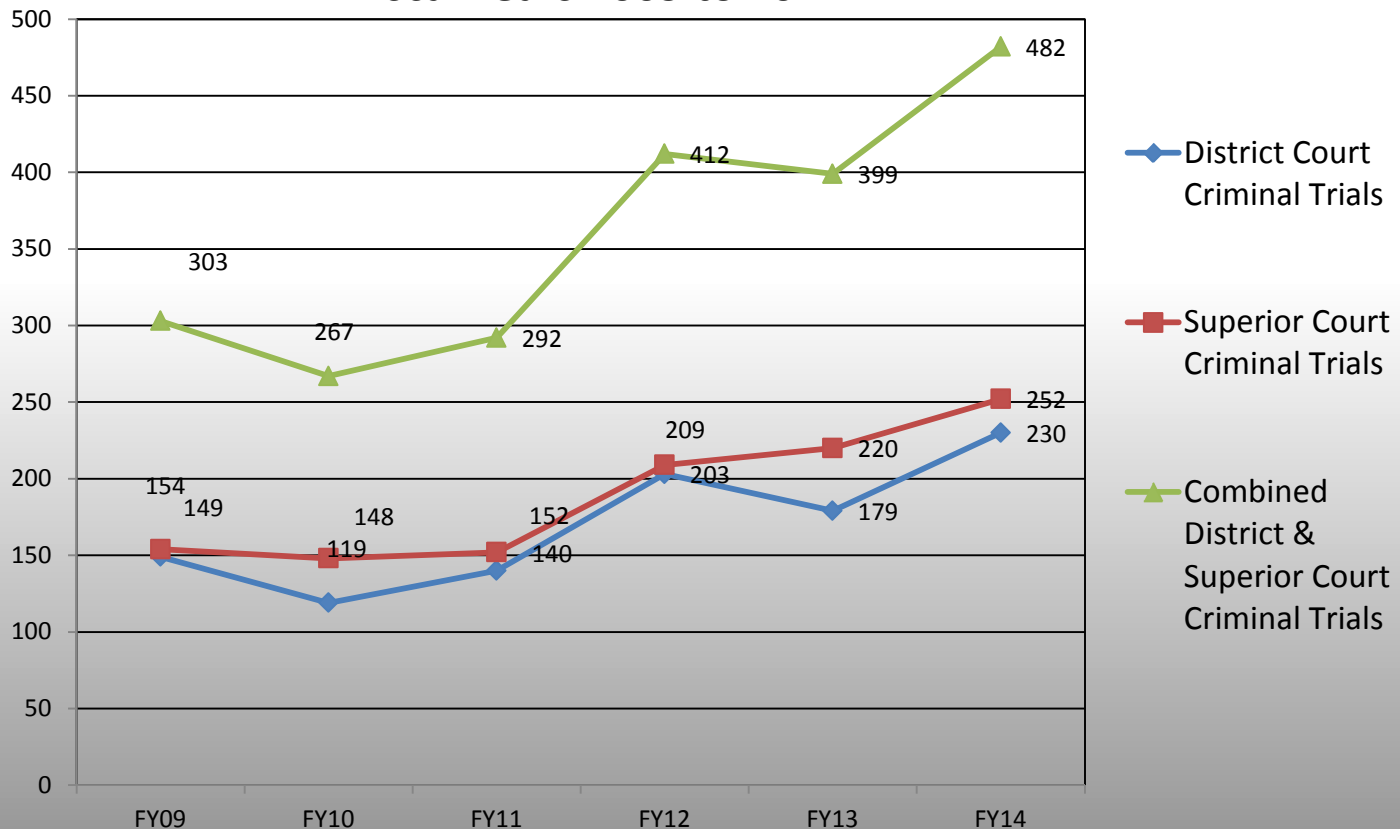
- Superior Court Felony Trials for FY14 are up 21% from FY12 Trial Totals and up 15% from FY13 Trial Totals
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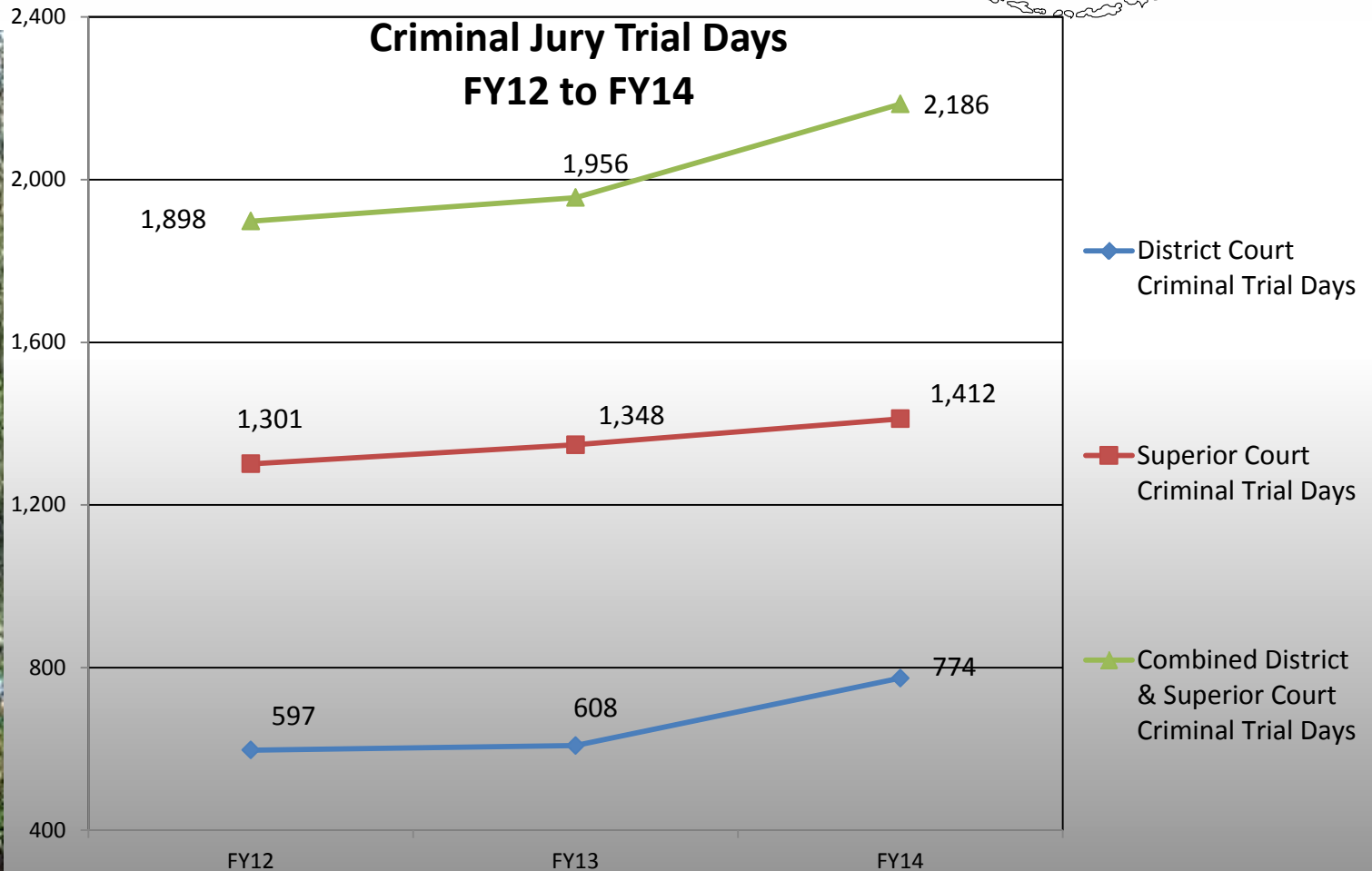
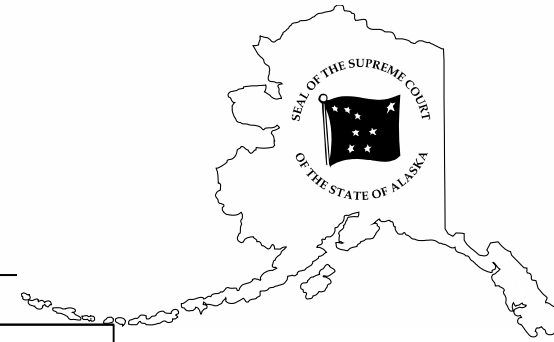
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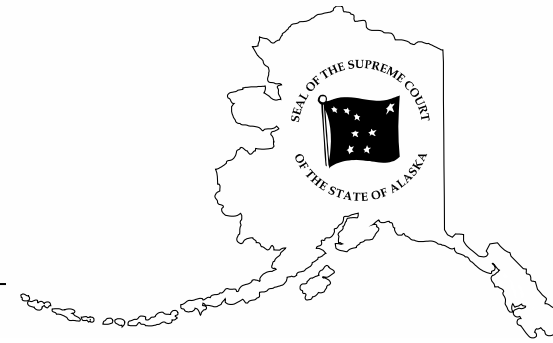
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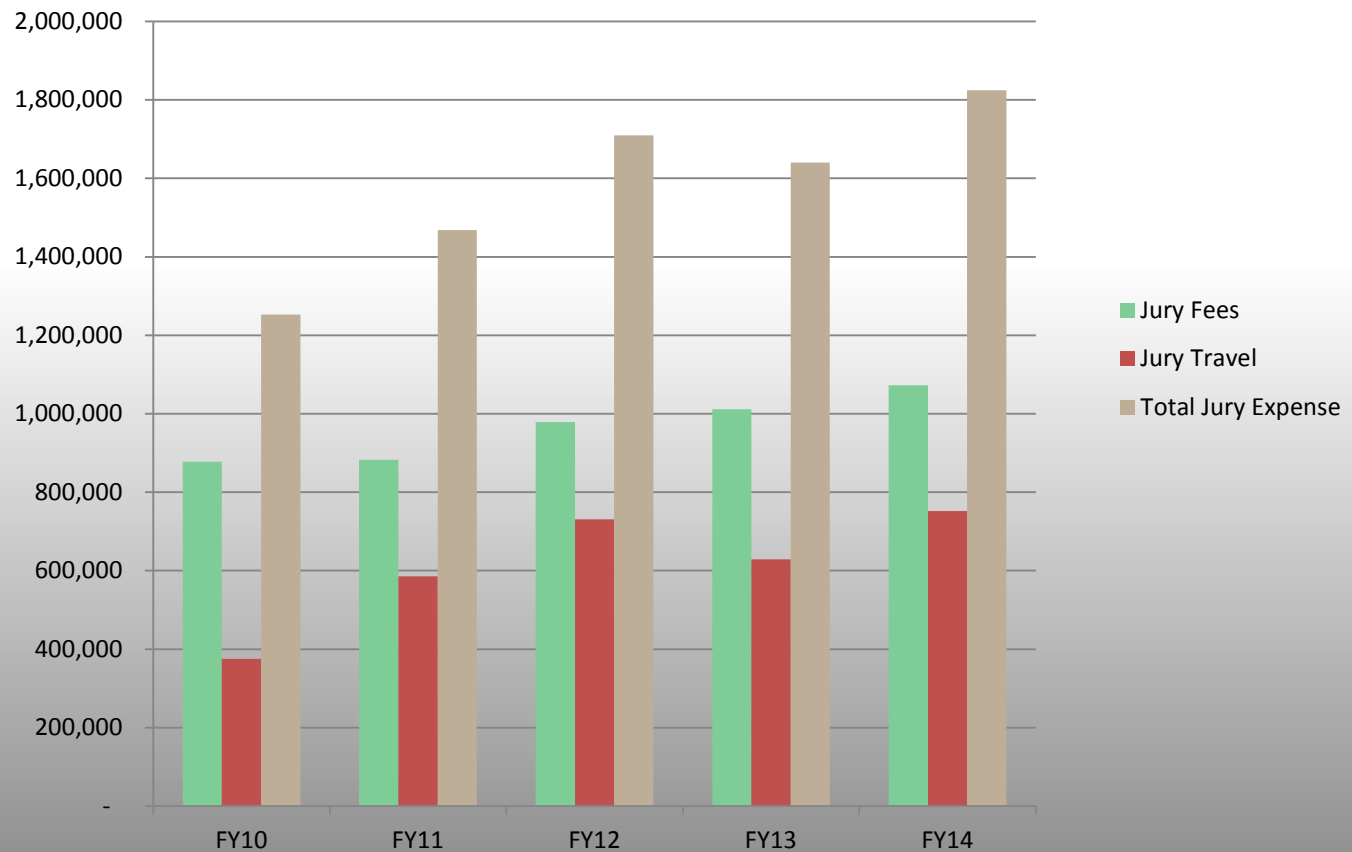
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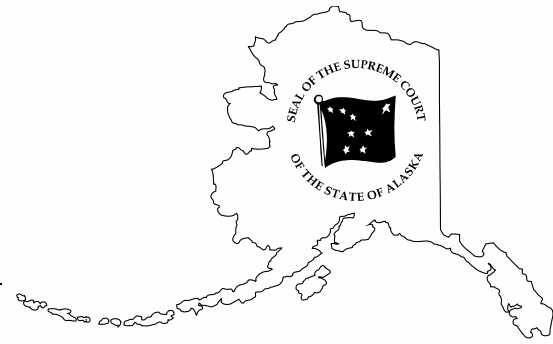
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Jury Expenses FY10 – FY14



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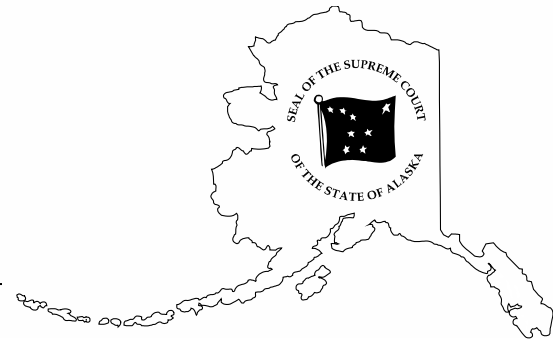


FY16 Operating Budget Increments

- Facility Operations and Maintenance Expenses - \$179.2
- Jury Trial Expenses - \$275.0
- Security Screening - \$320.0
- Computer Replacements - \$100.0
- Data Exchanges with Department of Corrections - \$150.0



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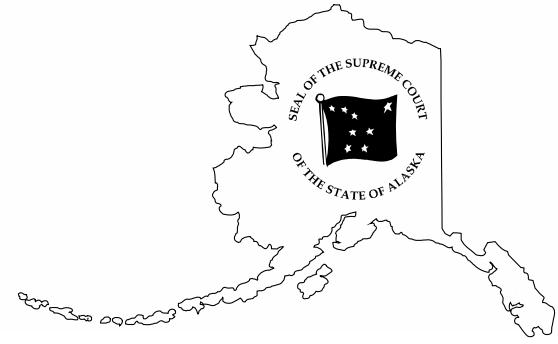


FY16 Operating Budget

- Annual Budget Development Process Commences in August
- FY16 Budget Approved by Supreme Court in October 2014 - Prior to the Severe Decline in Oil Prices
- FY16 Operating Budget Increment Requests Withdrawn and Base Budget Reduced



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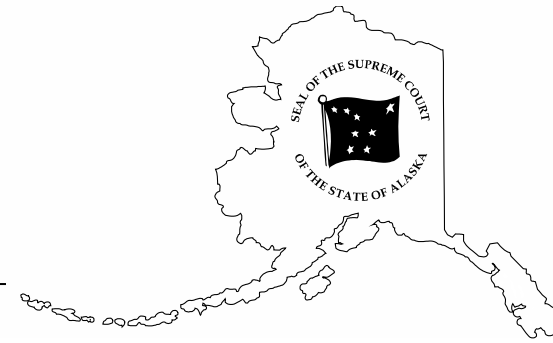


Breakdown of FY15 Funding (GF)

- ☐ Personal Services Costs – 76%
- ☐ Travel Costs – 1%
- ☐ Services – 20%
- ☐ Supplies/Commodities –3%



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FY16 "Governor's Amended" Budget

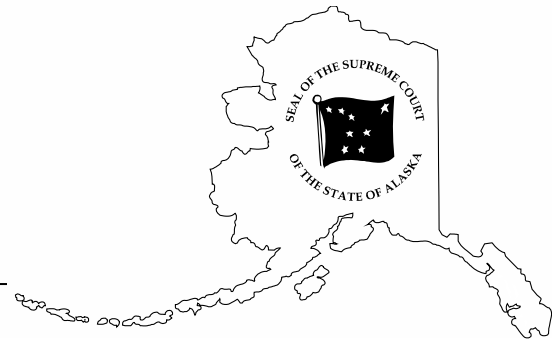


Description	FY16 "Gov Amended"
FY15 Base (GF)	110,658.3
FY16 Budget Increments	1,024.2
FY16 Salary Adjustments - 2.5% COLA	2,020.6
FY16 Initial Budget Request	113,703.1
Withdrawal of FY16 Budget Increments	(1,024.2)
Additional Reductions	(2,500.6)
Subtotal FY16 Budget Reductions	(3,524.8)
FY16 Governor's Amended Total	110,178.3
<i>Reduction as a % of the Initial Budget Request</i>	<i>(3.1%)</i>

Summary of Budget Reductions (Gov Amended):

Withdrawal of FY16 Budget Increments	(1,024.2)
Unpaid Days (Court Closures) - 4 days	(1,001.2)
Savings through Attrition	(550.4)
Voluntary Reduction of Hours	(144.0)
Supplies	(450.0)
Travel	(150.0)
Therapeutic Courts Substance Abuse Treatment	(75.0)
Services (Advertising, Mediation, Printing, Maintenance)	(130.0)
Total FY16 Budget Reductions	(3,524.8)

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Questions?

