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1. Provide a list of geographical position changes.

Enclosed please find a list of positions where the duty station has changed between January 2019 through January 2021. Also included in this summary is a list of positions that have approved telework agreements different than the position's duty station.

2. Provide a list of staff working out of state.

There are two DEED positions working out of state.

- 1) PCN 05-N21004 is a non-permanent Program Coordinator I position teleworking in Enterprise, Alabama. This position supports the distribution of the three COVID-19 Federal Relief packages.
- 2) PCN 05-0513 is a permanent full-time Alaska Commission on Postsecondary Education Financial Analyst II position working in Burlington, Vermont.
 - a. This position is a uniquely specialized position that requires a highly diverse range of acquired proprietary ACPE Finance Division loan knowledge for both existing and legacy loan programs. This position is a problem solving position that requires advanced understanding of both the technical and financial processing of our programs and systems, performing as a liaison for Finance when interacting with agency ISS Division Programmers/Analysts, as well as external financial and technical vendor representatives.
 - b. This ACPE position was previously filled by an ACPE employee with 28 years of ACPE tenure and significant agency knowledge. That employee resigned when relocating out of state and ACPE chose to not fill the position at the time, pending workload reassignment and evaluation. Upon review of workload reassignment of several positions, it was determined the position was required on a limited basis (long term, non-permanent; 20-30 hours/week), for the scheduled Servicing Outsourcing project by the agency. Given the specialized knowledge inherent of the Finance Analyst II position, the needs of the agency and the required limited term of the position, a rehire of a prior employee with their existing knowledge was the best solution available. This position will not be needed after the Servicing Outsourcing project is completed.

3. Provide rent for Atwood building for the positions located in Anchorage.

For FY2021, the Atwood Building leased space for DEED totals \$41,128.67 and the Linny Pacillo Parking Garage totals \$14,224.38.

4. Provide details of the Statewide Library Electronic Doorway (SLED) Database funding for FY2020 and projected for FY2021.

Enclosed is a summary of the SLED funding for FY2019 through FY2022 (Projected).

5. Provide a breakdown of Online with Libraries (OWL) users by geography/zip code.

Enclosed is a summary of the OWL users by town for calendar year 2020.

6. Provide a breakdown of Live Homework Help users by geography/zip code.

Enclosed is a summary of the Live Homework Help users by zip code for calendar year 2020.