Requesting a Budget Revision that Requires Sponsor Approval in the Grants Portal

A budget revision is a process by which a change in the approved budget is made. Some sponsors automatically allow you to rebudget your projects as you see fit with few restrictions or limitations. Other sponsors require approval to rebudget even a penny. You can check with your <u>SPA Pre-Award</u> <u>Representative</u> or look on your award check sheet in the Grants Portal in order to determine if your sponsored project requires sponsor approval to rebudget or not. If the sponsor's approval is required for the revision, or if you think it might be required, please follow the steps below.

1. Log in to the <u>Grants Portal</u> using your **UGA MyID** and **Password**.





Login as:	
User Name:	[
Password:	
Login	

Login using your UGA MyID and password.

2. Click on the "**Projects**" link in the red menu bar to search for the specific project that will be modified.



 Projects that require action, such as approving the transmittal form, are in your "Projects To Do List" at the top of the page. To search for a specific project and initiate a modification request, scroll to the "Projects" section of the page.

Projects To Do List

Click on the Name or the Action Required to open the project and complete the required action.

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ID	PI	Project Title	State	OSP Rep	IMS Prop #	Action Required	Grants Assistant
FP00012624	test-copi4	test-test	Awarded	test-deptappr11		Approve Transmittal Data as Investigator	test-deptappr16
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If you cannot find the project you are looking for in the list below try the Detailed Project Search Page.

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ID	Project Title	State	PI	Modified Date	OSP Rep	Primary Sponsor	Application Type	Due Date	IMS#
FP00012624	test-test	Awarded	test-copi4	4/23/2018 2:20 PM	test- deptappr11	GA COMMODITY COMM FOR BEEF	New	7/5/2018	
FP00012566	test award with sub	Award Modification Requested	test-pi1	3/19/2018 9:00 AM	test- deptappr11	NATIONAL INSTITUTES OF HEALTH	New	2/16/2018	

4. Click the arrow in the Filter dropdown box to select the available search criteria. You can search in a variety of ways, such as by Project Title, PI, etc. Enter the text to search, and click the "Go" button. If you want to search using multiple filters, click "+Add Filter" and enter additional search parameters.

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5. Once the correct project is located, click on the project title. This takes you to the project workspace where you will find the "**Request Award Mod**" activity.

View Transmittal and Background Info ▼	test-test GA COMMODITY COMM P	FOR BEEF
Federal Application Package -	PI:	test-copi4 test-copi4
General Actions -	Initiator:	Tammi Childs
Communications -	Sponsor:	GA COMMODITY COMM FOR BEEF
Communications •	Proposal Start Date:	9/1/2018
Transmittal Actions ▼	Proposal End Date:	8/31/2020
Update Permissions List	Award Begin Date:	
	Award End Date:	
Request Award Mod		

6. Click the "Request Award Mod" button and a pop-up appears. Select "Re-budget (Sponsor Approval Required)" from the options provided under Modification Type.

Request Award Modification

This is a request to the Pre-Award Office and not to the sponsor. It does not guarantee the Modification will be approved. The Pre-Award Office will submit your request if the award is eligible for the modification. If not they will reject your request.

* Modification Type:

- O Supplement
- O No Cost Extension
- O Re-budget (Sponsor Approval Required)
- O Non Competing Continuation
- Carryover (Carryforward restricted accounts only)
- O Change in scope of work
- O Early Termination
- O Pre-Award Spending
- O Change of PI / Co-PI
- O Other Changes

Clear

Justification For Change:

*Explain why a budget revision is needed. If effort commitments of senior/key personnel will be affected, be sure to include that information in the request.

Will this modification affect any Subaward / Subcontract? O Yes No Clear *If any subawards will be increased or decreased, a budget and Supporting Documentation: justification is required for the subawards affected. Adding a new sub will also require a scope of work for the subcontract + Add Upload a copy of the revised budget, revised budget justification, and any other pertinent documents. If subawards will be affected, upload the revised subaward information here as well. Name Description

There are no items to display

Additional Comments:

Information entered here will display in the project history tab of the project workspace	e.

- 7. Once you have entered all the required information, click the "**OK**" button and the request will automatically route to the appropriate Pre-Award Awarder.
- 8. The award modification request, including attachments and any additional comments provided, will display in the project history.

Project History	Transmittal Data	Franklin College	Award Increments	Permissions	Follow-On Submissions	Versions
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notes for pre-awar	rd awarder					

OK

Cancel

- The Project Status will update to "Award Modification Requested" on the Project Workspace and the Pre-Award Awarder will receive notification that a Modification is ready for review and processing.
- 10. SPA Pre-Award will send your request to the sponsor if sponsor approval is required for the change. Once they have the sponsor's approval or if sponsor approval is not required, SPA will process the request and you will get an email letting you know the change has been made. SPA will also alert you if your request is denied by the sponsor or if additional information is required.