

**FY23 President’s Budget Request**

**Memorandum | 2 May 2022**

**BLUF:** President Biden released the FY23 President’s Budget on March 28th, 2022, with most budget supporting documents not being released until late April.

**Defense Authorizations**

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| **President’s Budget Release** | **House Committee**  **NDAA**  **(HASC)** | **Senate Committee**  **NDAA**  **(SASC)** | **Full House-passed NDAA** | **Full Senate-passed NDAA** | **Conference Committee** | **Signed Into Law** |

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Current Point

**Defense Appropriations**

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| **President’s Budget Release** | **House Committee Approps.**  **(HAC-D)** | **Senate Committee Approps.**  **(SAC-D)** | **Full House-passed Approps. Bill.** | **Full Senate-passed Approps. Bill** | **Conference Committee** | **Signed Into Law** |

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*Provisions cited below are requests only and do not equal final authorizations or funding.*

**Summary funding:** The president’s budget requests $773B for the Department of Defense (DoD). This is an increase of 5.75%, or $44.5B above FY22 enacted levels. The late release of the President’s Budget was due, in-part, to the extremely late FY22 appropriations legislation in which the federal government operated under a continuing resolution for the first six months of FY22. This has caused a cascading effect on the rest of the cycle, delaying normal FY23 NDAA and appropriations processes.

**Army National Guard**

* + Requests funding for ARNG end strength at 336,000 soldiers
  + $693.8M for modernization of 35 AH-64 Apache Block IIIA helicopters for the Army
    - 24 aircraft designated for the ARNG
  + No request for AH-64 Apache Block IIIB new-build helicopters for the Army or ARNG
  + $718.5M for 25 UH-60M Black Hawk helicopters for the Army National Guard
  + $178.6M for 28 UH-60 Black Hawk L and V model helicopters for the ARNG
  + $187.9M for 6 CH-47 Chinook helicopters for the Army
    - No aircraft designated for the ARNG
  + $307.4M for the Abrams Upgrade Program to modernize 21 M1 Abrams tanks for the ARNG
  + $493M for 27 Paladin Integrated Management Systems for the Army
    - 13 designated for the ARNG
  + $703.1M for 2,909 Joint Light Tactical Vehicles (JLTVs) for the Army
  + $297.2M for ARNG military construction (MILCON), includes requested funding for projects in 13 states and Puerto Rico
  + Maintains 27 ARNG Brigade Combat Teams (BCTs), 8 Combat Aviation Brigades (CABs) and 2 Theater Aviation Brigades
  + The Army will conduct 20 brigade-level Combat Training Center (CTC) rotations in FY22

**Air National Guard**

* + Requests funding for ANG end strength at 108,400 airmen
  + $3.9B for 33 F-35A Lightning II aircraft for the Air Force
    - No aircraft designated for the ANG
  + $2.7B for 24 F-15EX aircraft for the Air Force
    - No aircraft designated for the ANG
  + $2.7B for 15 KC-46A Pegasus aircraft for the Air Force
    - No aircraft designated for the ANG
  + $707M for 10 HH-60W Combat Rescue Helicopters for the Air Force
  + $148.8M for ANG MILCON, includes requested funding for projects in 5 states
  + Reduces ANG Combat Coded Squadrons from 21 (FY21) to 20 (FY22) and reduces ANG TAI from 1,010 to 1,014
    - Air Force documentation cites divestment of 42 A-10s, 48 F-15C/Ds, 47 F-16C/Ds, 32 KC-135/KC-10s, 4 E-8 JSTARS, and 8 C-130Hs

**Joint-Personnel**

* + Requests a 4.6 percent military and civilian personnel pay raise
    - 1.9 percent more than FY21 levels
  + $96.9M for the National Guard Counter-drug program
  + $5.6M for National Guard Counter-Drug Schools

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