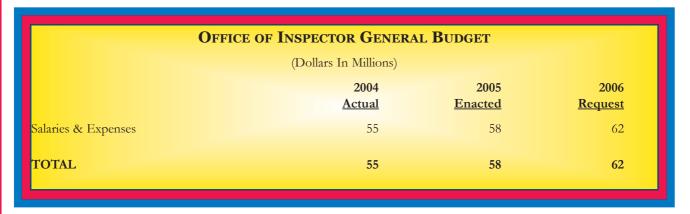
OFFICE OF INSPECTOR GENERAL

Overview: The Inspector General Act of 1978, as amended, established the Office of Inspector General (OIG) as an independent and objective organization within DOT. The Inspector General is committed to fulfilling its statutory mission and assisting the Secretary, Members of Congress and senior Department officials in achieving a safer, simpler, and smarter transportation system that furthers our vital national interests and enhances the quality of life of the American people.



FY 2006 Budget

Salaries and Expenses: The FY 2006 budget request for the OIG totals \$69.7 million to support a staff of 435 full-time equivalent employment. This budget request includes a \$62.5 million appropriation and \$7.2 million in reimbursable funding (\$3.5 million from FHWA, \$2 million from FTA, \$1.2 million from FAA, and \$500,000 from the National Transportation Safety Board).

