

The Guam Board of Registration For Professional Engineers, Architects & Land Surveyors

Mission Statement:

Hafa Adai! The Guam Board of Registration for Professional Engineers, Architects and Land Surveyors (PEALS Board) mission is to safeguard the life, safety and welfare of the general public by ensuring that the professionals adhere to established law and promote their professionals within the guidelines of sound ethical practice.



STRATEGIC GOALS:

The PEALS Board has established the following goals which provide the framework for the results it wants to achieve in furtherance of its mission:

- **Professional Qualifications:** Ensure the professional qualifications of those entering the practice by meeting minimum requirements for education, experience and examination, and ethics;
- **Practice Standards:** Establish regulatory standards of practice to those licensed and registered as professional engineers, architects, land surveyors and landscape architects;
- **Public Awareness:** Increase public awareness of Professional Engineers, Architects and Land Surveyors, and Landscape Architects, board's mission, activities and services;
- **Organizational Relationships:** To improve effectiveness of relationships with local and federal agencies and other organizations in order to further PEALS Board mission and goals;
- **Customer Service:** Improve the quality of customer service in all programs.

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OPERATIONAL STRUCTURE AND DEMOGRAPHICS:

The PEALS composed of seven (7) members, at least two (2) being female, five (5) members who shall be registered the Director of Public Works, and a Public Member appointed by the Governor.

H. Mark Ruth, RA FAIA	Chairman
Gabriel A. Jugo, PE, SE	Vice Chair
Maria E. V. Cristi, PE	Sec./Tres.
Liza J. Provido, RA AIA	Member
Paul L. Santos, PLS	Member
Philip Villanueva	Public Member
Glen Leon Guerrero (DPW Director)	Ex-Officio

ADMINISTRATION AND SUPPORT:

- Provide administrative support based on regulations governing the practice of engineering, architecture, surveying and landscape architecture
- Interpret and execution of practice act, correspondence, reports, fiscal accounting and budgeting, personnel, procurement and legislation
- Administer examinations

ENFORCEMENT:

- Issuing citations and fining individuals and business firms engaged in the unlawful practice
- Enforce laws, codes, standards governing engineering, architectural, landscape architectural and surveying practice

REGULATORY:

- Regulate the practice of engineering, architecture, landscape architecture and land surveying
- Safeguard health, safety and promote public welfare
- Enforce practice requirements

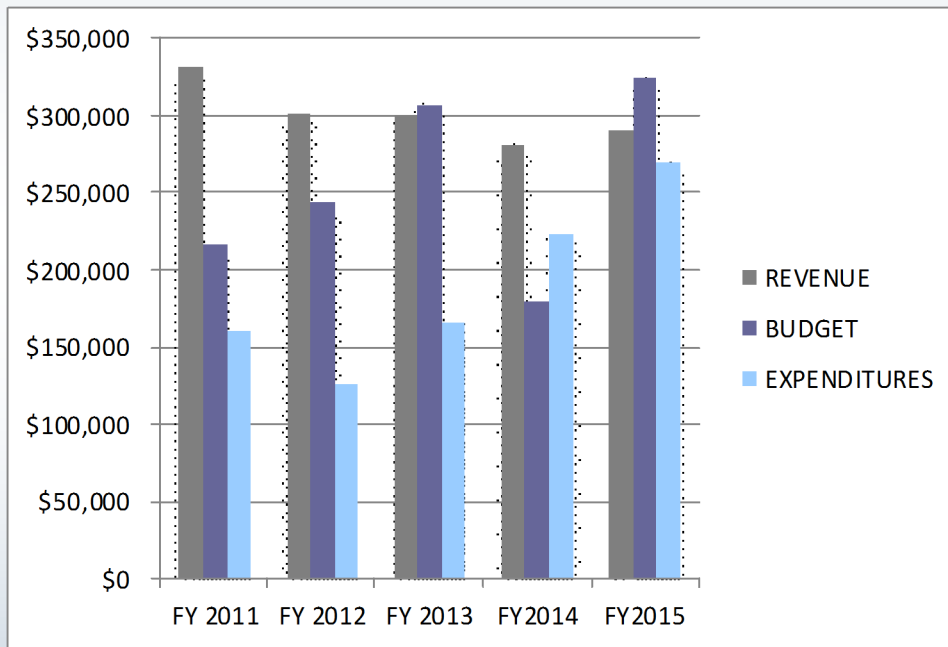
REGISTRANT DATABASE

	FY15	FY14	FY13	FY12	FY11	
ENGINEERS	ARCHITECTURAL	1	1	1	1	
	CIVIL	368	366	362	365	408
	CHEMICAL	4	5	5	5	5
	CM	1	1	1	3	0
	ELECTRICAL	110	107	105	102	115
	ENVIROMENTAL	9	9	8	7	9
	FIRE PROTECTION	19	18	15	12	12
	MECHANICAL	74	78	79	75	90
	STRUCTURAL	57	54	53	52	54
SURVEYORS	18	18	21	21	23	
ARCHITECTS	104	110	108	107	126	
LANDSCAPE ARCHITECTS	5	4	5	5	7	
INDUSTRIAL ENGINEER	0	0	0	0	0	
Total	770	771	763	755	850	

COA	FY15	FY14	FY13	FY12	FY11
	117	104	96	93	115
DISCIPLINE PER COA FY15	(1) 41	(2) 47	(3) 18	(4) 5	(5) 6

FINANCIAL DATA:

The Board's main sources of revenue are fees for the issuance and renewal of registrations and fees for application from individuals wish to take the engineering, architecture and land surveying examinations, and for applicants seeking registration by comity. These fees support the registration, examination, enforcement and administration programs, which includes processing and issuing registrations, statues, rules and regulations, and printing and distributing rosters, and general operating expenses.



FEES:

Application Fee

New

Individual Per Discipline:	\$120
Certification of Authorization:	\$150

Renewal

- Individual (Per Discipline): \$225
- COA (Per Service Provided): \$225
- Late Reg. Fee Per Month: \$25

Examination Fee

- Fundamentals (FE & LS): \$100
- Principles & Practices (PPLS & PLS): \$200
- Structural, Vertical Forces: \$400
- Structural, Lateral Forces: \$400
- Special Civil Seismic: \$200
- Proctor Exam (Military Only): \$150
- Guam Land Matters (GLM): \$75

Building Permit Review \$15

	REVENUE	BUDGET	EXPENDITURES
FY 2011	\$332,282	\$216,227	\$160,849
FY 2012	\$301,886	\$244,062	\$126,241
FY 2013	\$300,036	\$307,282	\$165,456
FY 2014	\$280,560	\$179,826	\$223,585
FY 2015	\$291,050	\$325,434	\$270,048

FUTURE CHALLENGES AND ECONOMIC OUTLOOK:

1. *Enforcement of Provisions of the PEALS Law: Enforcement of the provisions of the registration law*
2. *Maintain working relationship with NCARB, and NCEES and other local professional organizations, and government agencies*
3. *Maximize involvement with NCARB, and NCEES and obtain appointments to committees and elected office positions.*
4. *Maintain membership with NCARB and NCEES*

PEALS Board members and staff are required to participate at national meetings in order to influence national and international decisions that affect Guam. To gain the opportunity to serve on national committees that develops the examination and identify exam and practice issues for consideration at the annual meeting.

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