CREATING AN OPERATING BUDGET STRUCTURE AMENDMENT

Purpose:

To successfully submit a transfer of budget dollars to better align with actual spending

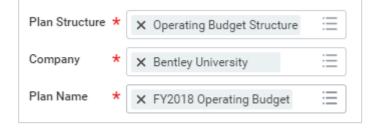
Helpful Hints:

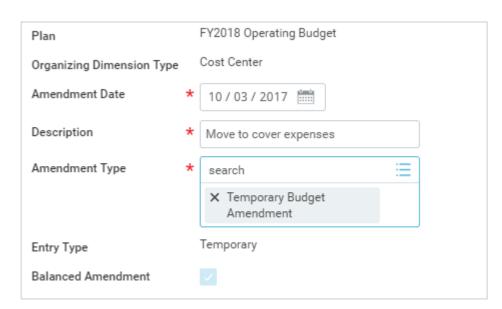
- You may search in any field by free typing in the box and hitting enter, this is useful when knowing only one or two key words
- To decrease a budget use a negative "-" sign in front of the dollar amount
- In order to enter information into a blank field, click the **Prompt** icon
 on the far right side of the box to display a list of available values to
 choose from.
- Fields with an asterisk (*) are required
- 1. Search Create Budget Amendment in the search bar.
- Under Plan Structure, select Operating Budget Structure.
- 3. Under Company select Bentley University.
- 4. Under Plan Name, determine the fiscal year

operating budget you want to use.

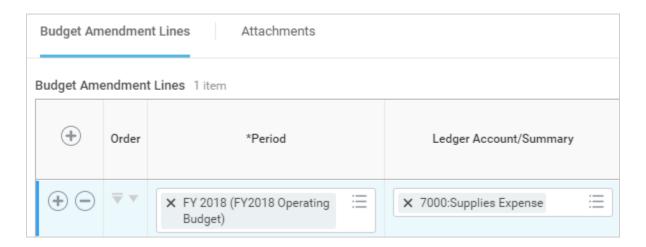


- Select the amendment date you want to use.
- Give a brief description of the amendment in the Description box





- 8. Select whether the amendment is temporary or permanent in the **Amendment Type** box.
- 9. Scroll down to the **Budget Amendment Lines** section.



10. Under the **Period** column, click the prompt icon on the far right of the box, and select the appropriate time period (there should only be one option).

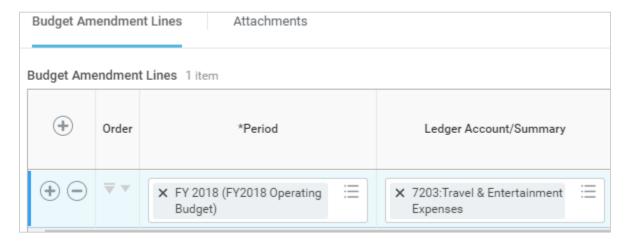


- 11. In the Ledger Account/Summary tab, select the account you want to increase.
- **12.** Select the appropriate cost center under the *Additional Worktags tab, the *Fund will default when you select the cost center.
- 13. Determine the amount you would like to increase by in the Amount Change tab.
- **14.** Under the **Memo** tab, you may provide any additional details.



15. Once completing the increase, click the button, which will add a row to your transaction. There are two buttons, both of which will perform the same task.

- **16.** Under the **Period**, select the appropriate budget period (there should be only one option)
- 17. In the Ledger Account/Summary tab, select the account you want to decrease.



- **18.** Select the appropriate cost center in the *Additional Worktags tab, the *Fund will again default when you select the cost center.
- 19. Determine the amount you would like to decrease by in the Amount Change tab.
- 20. Provide any additional details in the Memo field.



- 21. Note that the amount increase and amount decrease needs to balance in order to submit budget amendment. In order to make a decrease to a budget add a negative sign (-5,000) to the front of the number.
- 22. Click Submit.
- 23. Once submitted, the amendment will be sent to the Budget Office for approval.