Sec. 171.05. The compensation of all employees of the Ohio retirement study council and other expenses of the council shall be paid upon vouchers signed APPROVED by the director and the chairperson of the council.

The public employees retirement system, the state teachers retirement system, the school employees retirement system, the state highway patrol retirement system, and the police and firemen's disability and pension fund shall pay the annual expenses of the Ohio retirement study council. The council shall prepare and submit to the retirement boards on or before the thirtieth day of June of each year an itemized estimate of the amounts necessary to pay the expenses of the council during the following year. Such expenses shall be charged to and paid by each of the retirement systems in the same ratio as the assets of each system, as of the preceding January first, bear to the total assets of all five systems on that date.

The treasurer of state shall be the custodian of all funds of the council.