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A Bill

SENATE BILL 560

By: Senator Stone
By: Representative Barker

For An Act To Be Entitled

AN ACT TO AMEND ELEMENTS OF THE FUN PARKS GRANTS
PROGRAM; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Subtitle

TO AMEND ELEMENTS OF THE FUN PARKS GRANTS
PROGRAM.

BE IT ENACTED BY THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF THE STATE OF ARKANSAS:

SECTION 1. Arkansas Code § 14-270-202 is amended to read as follows:
14-270-202. Elements of grants program.

(a) There is hereby established the FUN Parks Grants Program to be administered by the Department of Parks, Heritage, and Tourism.

(b) The purpose of the FUN Parks Grants Program is to provide basic outdoor recreation facilities including baseball and softball fields, basketball courts, picnic tables and pavilions, and playground equipment to residents of small Arkansas communities. ~~The goal of this program is to build two hundred (200) new outdoor parks statewide in communities of two thousand five hundred (2,500) with a population of seven thousand five hundred (7,500) or less as established by the 1990~~ 2020 federal decennial census. ~~Up to fifty (50) new FUN parks may be constructed each year in each of the next four (4) years at a cost not to exceed ten thousand dollars (\$10,000) for each FUN park.~~

APPROVED: 4/11/23

