



STATE OF ARKANSAS  
**Department of Finance  
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June 4, 2021


Senator Jonathan Dismang, Co-Chair  
Representative Michelle Gray, Co-Chair  
Performance Evaluation & Expenditure Review Committee  
Arkansas Legislative Council  
State Capitol Building  
Little Rock, AR 72201

RE: FY 22 Various Temporary Appropriation Request(s)

Dear Co-Chairs:

Pursuant to Act 997 of 2021, Section 35, I am forwarding for appropriate action as required by law, the attached Various Temporary Appropriation for State Agencies and Institutions Request(s) for Fiscal Year 2021 that have received my approval as Chief Fiscal Officer of the State.

Sincerely,

  
Larry W. Walther  
Cabinet Secretary

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Attachment(s)

University of Arkansas for Medical Sciences  
4301 West Markham Street, Slot. 632  
Little Rock, AR 72205-7199

ADGeorge@uams.edu

FY22  
BA 0150  
New FC/F/CC  
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Amanda George, CPA, MHSA  
Vice Chancellor for Finance &  
Chief Financial Officer

May 24, 2021

Department of Finance and Administration  
Attn: Secretary Larry Walther  
1509 West 7<sup>th</sup> Street  
Little Rock, AR 72201

Dear Secretary Walther,

UAMS is requesting appropriation from the Various Temporary Appropriation holding account pursuant to sections 33 and 78 of Act 997 of 2021 for funding provided in the Miscellaneous Agencies Fund in the amount of \$350,000, Commitment Item 5900046 to allow us to spend funding provided to the UAMS – Child Abuse/Rape/Domestic Violence Commission.

Sincerely,

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Amanda George, CPA, MHSA  
Vice Chancellor for Finance &  
Chief Financial Officer  
University of Arkansas for Medical Sciences (UAMS)



May 28, 2021

Secretary Larry W. Walther  
Department of Finance & Administration  
1509 West Seventh Street, Suite 402  
Little Rock, AR 72201

Re: Appropriation Request

Dear Secretary Walther,

North Arkansas College is requesting a Various Temporary Appropriation, authorized under Section 33 of Act 997 of 2021, in the amount of \$3,000,000. This appropriation will be used for the state fund construction portion of the Center for Robotics and Manufacturing Innovation facility.

If there are any questions, I may be reached at 870-391-3216 or [richard.stipe@northark.edu](mailto:richard.stipe@northark.edu).

Fund Center: 291

Fund: CWN0000

CI: 509-00-05

Sincerely,

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Richard M. Stipe  
Vice President for Finance & Administration



Asa Hutchinson  
Governor

# ARKANSAS DEPARTMENT OF AGRICULTURE

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Wes Ward  
Secretary of Agriculture

May 12, 2021

Secretary Larry W. Walther  
Department of Finance & Administration  
1509 West Seventh Street, Suite 402  
Little Rock, AR 72201

BA 0400  
FC E87  
Fund MFA0500  
CI 510:00:04  
FA COMM KB 05/24/21

Re: Arkansas Department of Agriculture Request for Temporary Appropriation for State Agencies

Dear Secretary Walther:

The Arkansas Department of Agriculture respectfully requests your approval for one-time, temporary appropriation pursuant to Section 33 of Act 997 of 2021 in the amount of \$1,046,000 for FY2022.

This appropriation will allow the Department to utilize Restricted Reserve Funding to make grant payments to County and District Fairs of the Department of Agriculture. This will provide needed relief to the fairs to help defray unavoidable expenses and needs created by the Coronavirus over the past year.

I appreciate your consideration and hope you will let me know if additional information is needed.

Sincerely,

Wesley W. Ward  
Secretary of Agriculture  
State of Arkansas



Michael Preston  
SECRETARY OF COMMERCE

Charisse Childers, Ph.D.  
DIRECTOR,  
DIVISION OF WORKFORCE SERVICES

Joseph Baxter  
Commissioner  
Arkansas Rehabilitation Services

April 30, 2021

Secretary Larry W. Walther  
Department of Finance and Administration  
1509 West Seventh Street, Suite 401  
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BA: 0520  
Func. Area: EDUC  
FC: 374  
Fund: STC0100  
CI: 512:00:11 \$20,000  
510:00:04 \$50,000

EY

Re: Appropriation Transfer Request for SFY2022

Dear Secretary Walther:

I am respectfully requesting your approval for additional appropriation for the Department of Commerce – Arkansas Rehabilitation Services for the following programs:

- The Statewide Disability Telecomm Equipment Program (FC 374, Fund STC0100):  
The Program is requesting an additional \$20,000 in Capital Outlay for a new Case Management System for tracking costs and client records and an additional \$50,000 in Grants and Aid due to increased prices of new technology (smartphones/tablets) to serve under-served populations. All funding is from Special Revenue.

I appreciate your consideration in this request. Please feel free to contact me for additional information.

Joseph Baxter  
Commissioner, Arkansas Rehabilitation Services

Request in compliance with approved IT plan on file DFA IGS State Technology Planning

  
Signature

5/19/2021  
Date

cc: James McCune, Division Fiscal Manager

CABINET SECRETARY

Michael Preston, Cabinet Secretary, Arkansas Department of Commerce

4/30/21

Date

Arkansas Department of Commerce  
Division of Workforce Services - Arkansas Rehabilitation Services  
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## Division of Higher Education

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Johnny Key  
Secretary

Maria Markham, Ph.D.  
Director

May 13, 2021

Secretary Larry W. Walther  
Department of Finance and Administration  
1509 West 7<sup>th</sup> Street, Suite 401  
Little Rock, AR 72203-3278

Dear Secretary Walther,

The Arkansas Division of Higher Education (ADHE) respectfully requests a transfer of \$475,000 in appropriation from the Various Temporary Appropriation for State Agencies and Institutions pursuant to Section 33 of Act 997 of 2021. The appropriation will allow ADHE to begin the development and overhaul of the Youuniversal scholarship portal to ensure a more user friendly environment and quicker response time to both student and campus financial aid needs. This appropriation is requested in the following line items:

Fund Center: 59B	
Fund: HEG7047	
Commitment Items: 502:00:02	\$50,000
506:00:10	\$425,000

Thank you for your assistance in this matter. If you have questions, please contact Nick Fuller at 501-371-2026 or [nick.fuller@adhe.edu](mailto:nick.fuller@adhe.edu).

Sincerely,

*Maria Markham*      *Concur. JKey*  
 Maria Markham, Ph.D.  
 Director



BA 0700  
MPK  
FC X60  
Fund HEG1100  
CI 590:00:46

## Division of Higher Education

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Johnny Key  
Secretary

Maria Markham, Ph.D.  
Director

June 1, 2021

Secretary Larry W. Walther  
Department of Finance and Administration  
1509 West 7<sup>th</sup> Street, Suite 401  
Little Rock, AR 72203-3278

A handwritten signature in blue ink, appearing to read 'Larry Walther'.

Dear Secretary Walther,

The Arkansas Division of Higher Education (ADHE) respectfully requests a transfer of \$83,000 in appropriation from the Various Temporary Appropriation for State Agencies and Institutions pursuant to Section 33 of Act 997 of 2021. The appropriation will allow ADHE to initiate the startup and initial distribution of loans and/or scholarships from the Osteopathic Rural Medical Practice Student Loan and Scholarship Program. This appropriation is requested in the following line items:

Fund Center: X60  
Fund: HEG1100  
Commitment Item: 590:00:46      \$83,000

Thank you for your assistance in this matter. If you have questions, please contact Nick Fuller at 501-371-2026 or [nick.fuller@adhe.edu](mailto:nick.fuller@adhe.edu).

Sincerely,

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Maria Markham, Ph.D.  
Director

Cc: Johnny Key, Secretary  
Arkansas Department of Education



**Asa Hutchinson**  
Governor  
**Stacy Hurst**  
Secretary

May 11, 2021

Secretary Larry W. Walther  
Department of Finance and Administration  
1509 West Seventh Street, Suite 401  
Little Rock, AR 72201

BA: 0887  
FY: 2022  
Fund Center: 480  
Fund: TGT0100  
Commitment Item: 510:00:04  
Amount: \$2,000,000  
Fund Balance: \$0  
DY 5/17/2021

Re: Temporary Holding Account Appropriation Request

Dear Secretary Walther,

I respectfully request your approval for additional appropriation under Section 33 of Act 997 of 2021, in the amount of \$2,000,000 to the NCRC Grant and Trust Fund for the Department of Parks, Heritage and Tourism – Natural & Cultural Resources Council. The Arkansas Natural and Cultural Resources Council (ANCRC) was established by the Arkansas Legislature in 1987 by Arkansas Act 729 to manage and supervise a grant and trust fund for the acquisition, management, and stewardship of state-owned properties acquired or used for ANCRC approved purposes. The grants are funded through a percentage of collections in the state's real estate transfer tax.

Applicants eligible for funding from the Natural and Cultural Resources Grants and Trust Fund are agencies of the State of Arkansas receiving General Revenue funding and are authorized by law to acquire, manage, operate or maintain state-owned lands or to preserve state-owned historic sites, buildings, structures or objects which the Council determines to be of value for recreation or conservation purposes.

Federal matching grant dollars have become available for reimbursement of successful ANCRC-funded projects and will be received in early FY22. This appropriation increase is necessary to allow the department to take advantage of this reimbursement and disburse these funds as determined by the bylaws of the council.

The department is requesting an increase of \$2,000,000 in Commitment Item 04, Grants and Aid, Fund TGT0100, Fund Center 480, and Business Area 0887.

Thank you for your consideration.

Respectfully submitted,

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read 'Cynthia Dunlap'.

Cynthia Dunlap, CPA  
Chief Fiscal Officer

Cc: Stacy Hurst  
Debra Fithen  
Leslie Fisker





JAMI COOK  
SECRETARY

State of Arkansas  
Governor Asa Hutchinson

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**DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC SAFETY**

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BA: 9913  
FA: SFTY  
FC: Z36  
Fund: TCR0101  
CI: 511:00:15  
KDR 05/28/21

May 28, 2021

Larry W. Walther, Secretary  
Department of Finance and Administration  
Office of the Secretary  
1509 West 7<sup>th</sup> Street, Suite 401  
Little Rock, AR 72203-3278

Dear Secretary Walther:

The Arkansas Department of Public Safety is requesting additional appropriation authorized under Section 33 of Act 997 of 2021, in the amount of \$1,029,960. This appropriation will allow the Department of Public Safety to utilize Restricted Reserve funding to continue to provide financial compensation to victims who have suffered personal injury or death as the result of violent crime.

If there are any questions, please contact John Smith at 501-682-2749.

Business Area: 9913  
Functional Area: SFTY  
Funds Center: Z36  
Fund: TCR0101  
Commitment Item: 511:00:15

Sincerely,

Jami L. Cook  
Secretary