

Stricken language would be deleted from and underlined language would be added to the law as it existed prior to this session of the General Assembly.

1 State of Arkansas
2 85th General Assembly
3 Regular Session, 2005

A Bill

HOUSE BILL 2080

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5 By: Representative Maloch
6 By: Senator Horn

For An Act To Be Entitled

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10 AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION TO THE DEPARTMENT
11 OF FINANCE AND ADMINISTRATION - DISBURSING
12 OFFICER FOR STATE ASSISTANCE TO FIRE DEPARTMENTS
13 IN COLUMBIA, LAFAYETTE AND MILLER COUNTIES; AND
14 FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Subtitle

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18 AN ACT FOR THE DEPARTMENT OF FINANCE
19 AND ADMINISTRATION - DISBURSING OFFICER
20 - STATE ASSISTANCE TO FIRE DEPARTMENTS
21 IN COLUMBIA, LAFAYETTE AND MILLER
22 COUNTIES GENERAL IMPROVEMENT
23 APPROPRIATION.

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

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28 SECTION 1. APPROPRIATIONS - FIRE DEPARTMENTS - COLUMBIA COUNTY. There is
29 hereby appropriated, to the Department of Finance and Administration -
30 Disbursing Officer, to be payable from the General Improvement Fund or its
31 successor fund or fund accounts, the following:

32 (A) For state assistance to the Taylor Fire Department, the sum of
33\$10,000.
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35 SECTION 2. APPROPRIATIONS - FIRE DEPARTMENTS - LAFAYETTE COUNTY. There is
36 hereby appropriated, to the Department of Finance and Administration -



1 Disbursing Officer, to be payable from the General Improvement Fund or its
2 successor fund or fund accounts, the following:

3 (A) For state assistance to the Lake Erling Volunteer Fire Department, the
4 sum of\$10,000.

5 (B) For state assistance to the Riverbend Volunteer Fire Department, the
6 sum of\$10,000.

7 (C) For state assistance to the Stamps Fire Department, the sum of
8\$10,000.

9 (D) For state assistance to the Mars Hill Volunteer Fire Department, the
10 sum of\$10,000.

11 (E) For state assistance to the Bradley Volunteer Fire Department, the sum
12 of\$10,000.

13 (F) For state assistance to the Midway-Boyd Hill Volunteer Fire
14 Department, the sum of\$10,000.

15 (G) For state assistance to the Walker Creek Volunteer Fire Department,
16 the sum of\$10,000.

17 (H) For state assistance to the Lewisville Volunteer Fire Department, the
18 sum of\$10,000.

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20 SECTION 3. APPROPRIATIONS - FIRE DEPARTMENTS - MILLER COUNTY. There is
21 hereby appropriated, to the Department of Finance and Administration -
22 Disbursing Officer, to be payable from the General Improvement Fund or its
23 successor fund or fund accounts, the following:

24 (A) For state assistance to the Doddridge Volunteer Fire Department, the
25 sum of\$10,000.

26 (B) For state assistance to the Bright Star Volunteer Fire Department, the
27 sum of\$10,000.

28 (C) For state assistance to the Garland City Volunteer Fire Department,
29 the sum of\$10,000.

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31 SECTION 4. DISBURSEMENT CONTROLS. (A) No contract may be awarded nor
32 obligations otherwise incurred in relation to the project or projects
33 described herein in excess of the State Treasury funds actually available
34 therefor as provided by law. Provided, however, that institutions and
35 agencies listed herein shall have the authority to accept and use grants and
36 donations including Federal funds, and to use its unobligated cash income or

1 funds, or both available to it, for the purpose of supplementing the State
 2 Treasury funds for financing the entire costs of the project or projects
 3 enumerated herein. Provided further, that the appropriations and funds
 4 otherwise provided by the General Assembly for Maintenance and General
 5 Operations of the agency or institutions receiving appropriation herein shall
 6 not be used for any of the purposes as appropriated in this act.

7 (B) The restrictions of any applicable provisions of the State Purchasing
 8 Law, the General Accounting and Budgetary Procedures Law, the Revenue
 9 Stabilization Law and any other applicable fiscal control laws of this State
 10 and regulations promulgated by the Department of Finance and Administration,
 11 as authorized by law, shall be strictly complied with in disbursement of any
 12 funds provided by this act unless specifically provided otherwise by law.

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 14 SECTION 5. LEGISLATIVE INTENT. It is the intent of the General Assembly
 15 that any funds disbursed under the authority of the appropriations contained
 16 in this act shall be in compliance with the stated reasons for which this act
 17 was adopted, as evidenced by the Agency Requests, Executive Recommendations
 18 and Legislative Recommendations contained in the budget manuals prepared by
 19 the Department of Finance and Administration, letters, or summarized oral
 20 testimony in the official minutes of the Arkansas Legislative Council or
 21 Joint Budget Committee which relate to its passage and adoption.

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 23 SECTION 6. EMERGENCY CLAUSE. It is found and determined by the General
 24 Assembly, that the Constitution of the State of Arkansas prohibits the
 25 appropriation of funds for more than a two (2) year period; that the
 26 effectiveness of this Act on July 1, 2005 is essential to the operation of
 27 the agency for which the appropriations in this Act are provided, and that in
 28 the event of an extension of the Regular Session, the delay in the effective
 29 date of this Act beyond July 1, 2005 could work irreparable harm upon the
 30 proper administration and provision of essential governmental programs.
 31 Therefore, an emergency is hereby declared to exist and this Act being
 32 necessary for the immediate preservation of the public peace, health and
 33 safety shall be in full force and effect from and after July 1, 2005.