

State of Arkansas  
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# A Bill

SENATE BILL 61

By: Joint Budget Committee

## For An Act To Be Entitled

AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION FOR PERSONAL SERVICES  
AND OPERATING EXPENSES FOR THE ARKANSAS FAIR HOUSING  
COMMISSION FOR THE FISCAL YEAR ENDING JUNE 30, 2020;  
AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

## Subtitle

AN ACT FOR THE ARKANSAS FAIR HOUSING  
COMMISSION APPROPRIATION FOR THE 2019-  
2020 FISCAL YEAR.

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

SECTION 1. REGULAR SALARIES. There is hereby established for the  
Arkansas Fair Housing Commission for the 2019-2020 fiscal year, the following  
maximum number of regular employees.

Item No.	Class Code	Title	Maximum No. of Employees	Maximum Annual Salary Rate Fiscal Year 2019-2020
(1)	N177N	AFHC DIRECTOR	1	GRADE GS14
(2)	G076C	ADMINISTRATIVE SERVICES MANAGER	1	GRADE GS10
(3)	X112C	AFHC CHIEF INVESTIGATOR	1	GRADE GS07
(4)	C010C	EXECUTIVE ASSISTANT TO THE DIRECTOR	1	GRADE GS07
(5)	X150C	AFHC INVESTIGATOR	5	GRADE GS06
(6)	A074C	FISCAL SUPPORT SUPERVISOR	1	GRADE GS06
(7)	G180C	GRANTS ANALYST	1	GRADE GS06



(8) P027C PUBLIC INFORMATION SPECIALIST 1 GRADE GS06  
 MAX. NO. OF EMPLOYEES 12

SECTION 2. EXTRA HELP. There is hereby authorized, for the Arkansas Fair Housing Commission for the 2019-2020 fiscal year, the following maximum number of part-time or temporary employees, to be known as "Extra Help", payable from funds appropriated herein for such purposes: two (2) temporary or part-time employees, when needed, at rates of pay not to exceed those provided in the Uniform Classification and Compensation Act, or its successor, or this act for the appropriate classification.

SECTION 3. APPROPRIATION. There is hereby appropriated, to the Arkansas Fair Housing Commission, to be payable from the Miscellaneous Agencies Fund Account, for personal services and operating expenses of the Arkansas Fair Housing Commission for the fiscal year ending June 30, 2020, the following:

ITEM NO.	FISCAL YEAR 2019-2020
(01) REGULAR SALARIES	\$581,208
(02) EXTRA HELP	40,000
(03) PERSONAL SERVICES MATCHING	195,629
(04) MAINT. & GEN. OPERATION	
(A) OPER. EXPENSE	250,000
(B) CONF. & TRAVEL	58,000
(C) PROF. FEES	57,007
(D) CAP. OUTLAY	0
(E) DATA PROC.	0
(05) PUBLIC EDUCATION	<u>899</u>
TOTAL AMOUNT APPROPRIATED	<u><u>\$1,182,743</u></u>

SECTION 4. APPROPRIATION - EDUCATION - TRUST. There is hereby appropriated, to the Arkansas Fair Housing Commission, to be payable from the Arkansas Fair Housing Commission Trust Fund, for operating expenses of the Arkansas Fair Housing Commission for the fiscal year ending June 30, 2020, the following:

ITEM NO.	FISCAL YEAR 2019-2020
(01) MAINT. & GEN. OPERATION	
(A) OPER. EXPENSE	\$115,000
(B) CONF. & TRAVEL	55,000
(C) PROF. FEES	0
(D) CAP. OUTLAY	0
(E) DATA PROC.	<u>0</u>
TOTAL AMOUNT APPROPRIATED	<u><u>\$170,000</u></u>

SECTION 5. SPECIAL LANGUAGE. NOT TO BE INCORPORATED INTO THE ARKANSAS CODE NOR PUBLISHED SEPARATELY AS SPECIAL, LOCAL AND TEMPORARY LAW.

PROMOTIONAL ITEMS. Upon approval of the Chief Fiscal Officer of the State, the Arkansas Fair Housing Commission is hereby authorized to transfer appropriation from Operating Expenses to Promotional Items in the Education-Trust Appropriation provided by this Act in an amount not to exceed eight thousand dollars (\$8,000) each fiscal year to meet the Commission's educational needs. The provisions of this section shall be in effect only from July 1, ~~2018~~ 2019 through June 30, ~~2019~~ 2020.

SECTION 6. COMPLIANCE WITH OTHER LAWS. Disbursement of funds authorized by this act shall be limited to the appropriation for such agency and funds made available by law for the support of such appropriations; and the restrictions of the State Procurement Law, the General Accounting and Budgetary Procedures Law, the Revenue Stabilization Law, the Regular Salary Procedures and Restrictions Act, or their successors, and other fiscal control laws of this State, where applicable, and regulations promulgated by the Department of Finance and Administration, as authorized by law, shall be strictly complied with in disbursement of said funds.

SECTION 7. LEGISLATIVE INTENT. It is the intent of the General Assembly that any funds disbursed under the authority of the appropriations contained in this act shall be in compliance with the stated reasons for which this act was adopted, as evidenced by the Agency Requests, Executive Recommendations and Legislative Recommendations contained in the budget

manuals prepared by the Department of Finance and Administration, letters, or summarized oral testimony in the official minutes of the Arkansas Legislative Council or Joint Budget Committee which relate to its passage and adoption.

SECTION 8. EMERGENCY CLAUSE. It is found and determined by the General Assembly, that the Constitution of the State of Arkansas prohibits the appropriation of funds for more than a one (1) year period; that the effectiveness of this Act on July 1, 2019 is essential to the operation of the agency for which the appropriations in this Act are provided, and that in the event of an extension of the legislative session, the delay in the effective date of this Act beyond July 1, 2019 could work irreparable harm upon the proper administration and provision of essential governmental programs. Therefore, an emergency is hereby declared to exist and this Act being necessary for the immediate preservation of the public peace, health and safety shall be in full force and effect from and after July 1, 2019.