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July 8, 2022

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 23 Restricted Reserve Fund Transfer Recommendation

Dear Co-Chairs:

Pursuant to Ark. Code Ann. § 19-5-1263 and Act 226 of 2022, as Chief Fiscal Officer of the State, I am recommending the transfer of Restricted Reserve Funds from the Majority Vote Various Improvements and Projects Set-Aside of the Restricted Reserve Fund for Fiscal Year 2023 as follows:

- Department of Veterans Affairs in the amount of \$15,000,000.
The Department is required to certify the funding by August 1st to qualify for Group 1 on the USDVA Priority List. Expenditure of funding is contingent upon the Department receiving the federal matching dollars under FAI# 05-006.
- Department of Public Safety in the amount of \$10,000,000.
To provide grants to law enforcement entities throughout the state through Public Safety Equipment Grant Program

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in blue ink that reads 'Larry W. Walther'.

Larry W. Walther
Cabinet Secretary

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ASA HUTCHINSON
Governor

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NATHANIEL (NATE) TODD
Secretary

June 6, 2022

Mr. Larry Walther
Department of Finance and Administration
1509 West 7th Street
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Commitment Item: 509:00:05
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RE: FY23 Restricted Reserve Funds Transfer Request, Act 226 of 22 (3)

Business Area – 0385
Funds Center – AS3
Fund – NVA1000
Cost Center – 311219
Functional Area – HHS

Dear Mr. Walther:

The Arkansas Department of Veterans Affairs (ADVA) respectfully requests \$15,000,000.00 from the Restricted Reserve Fund for replacement of the existing Fayetteville Veterans Home with construction of a new State Veterans Home to be built in Section 17, Township 19 North, Range 30 West of the Fifth Principal Meridian, Benton County, Arkansas on property that was donated to the State of Arkansas.

This \$15,000,000.00 request represents 35% of the total projected project cost of \$42,857,143.00 and is a one-time cost.

The ADVA has applied to the United States Department of Veterans Affairs (USDVA) for grant funding for the remaining 65% of total project costs under FAI# 05-006. The ADVA must certify that \$15,000,000.00 in State Matching Funds are available as of August 1, 2022 in order to qualify for Group 1 on the USDVA Priority List.

Thank you for your consideration of this request. Please do not hesitate to contact me if you require additional information.

Respectfully,

Nathaniel Todd
Secretary
Arkansas Department of Veterans Affairs



JAMI COOK
SECRETARY

State of Arkansas
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DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC SAFETY

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Func. Area: SFTY
CC: M913100901
DY 6/28/2022

June 28, 2022

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

RE: Restricted Reserve Funding Request – Department of Public Safety

Dear Secretary Walther:

The Arkansas Department of Public Safety respectfully requests \$10,000,000 from the Restricted Reserve Fund, pursuant to the provisions of Act 226 of 2022, Section 3. This funding will allow the Department to provide grants to law enforcement entities throughout the state through the Public Safety Equipment Grant Program for Fiscal Year 2023.

I appreciate your consideration of this request. If there are any questions, please contact John Smith at 501-682-2749.

Sincerely,

Jami L. Cook
Secretary



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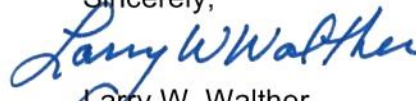
RE: FY 23 Restricted Reserve Fund Transfer Recommendation

Dear Co-Chairs:

Pursuant to Ark. Code Ann. § 19-5-1263 and Act 1058 of 2021, as Chief Fiscal Officer of the State, I am recommending the transfer of Restricted Reserve Funds from the Majority Vote Set-Aside of the Restricted Reserve Fund for Fiscal Year 2023 to various state agencies as follows:

- DFA – Disbursing Officer \$1,000,000
This will allow the disbursement of funding to the Hope Cancer Resource Center of Northwest Arkansas
- DHS – Division of Aging, Adult and Behavioral Services \$3,000,000
To assist Senior Citizen Centers in their mission to provide a comprehensive and coordinated services system for persons aged 60 and older
- COM – Economic Development Commission \$1,000,000
For a grant to the Arkansas Alliance of Boys and Girls Clubs for organizational projects
- COM – Economic Development Commission \$1,500,000
For a grant to the Museum of Discovery for renovation after February 2021 flooding

Sincerely,


Larry W. Walther
Cabinet Secretary

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June 10, 2022

Secretary Larry W. Walther
Department of Finance and Administration
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Dear Secretary Walther:

The Arkansas Department of Finance and Administration respectfully requests \$1,000,000 from the Restricted Reserve Fund - Unallocated Restricted Reserve Majority Vote Set-Aside for FY2023.

The Department will disburse funding to Hope Cancer Resource Center of Northwest Arkansas to establish an endowment to assist with cancer support services for patients and families in Benton, Carroll, Madison, and Washington Counties.

As always, I appreciate consideration.

Sincerely,

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Alan McVey
DFA Chief of Staff/Chief Financial Officer

Cc: Alan McVey, DFA Chief of Staff/Chief Financial Officer
Melanie Hazeslip, OAS Administrator



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June 13, 2022

Larry Walther, Secretary
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BA: 0710
FC: 898
Fund: PWE2300
CC: 417148
CB 6/13/2022

Dear Secretary Walther:

On behalf of the Department of Human Services (DHS), I respectfully request a release of Restricted Reserve Funds for Senior Citizens Centers to assist in their mission to provide a comprehensive and coordinated service system for persons aged 60 and older within the established service area.

DHS is requesting funds in the amount of \$3,000,000 to cover operational costs of the Senior Citizen Centers recognizing the hardship the continued public health emergency has placed on their revenue. Amounts for the various Senior Citizen Centers would be distributed to the local Area Agencies on Aging (AAA), then passed through in its entirety to the centers based on their standard funding formula determined by population served.

DHS also requests Various Temporary Appropriation in the amount of \$3,000,000 in fund PWE 2300 on behalf of the Division of Aging, Adult, and Behavioral Health (DAABH). This appropriation request will allow the Division to facilitate the payment to the AAAs for the benefit of the Senior Citizen Centers.

Thank you for your assistance in this matter. Please feel free to call me if you need additional information to support this request.

Sincerely,

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Cindy Gillespie
Secretary

CG:mbe



Asa Hutchinson
GOVERNOR

Michael Preston
SECRETARY OF COMMERCE

June 13, 2022

Mr. Larry W. Walther
Secretary, Department of Finance and Administration
1509 West 7th Street, Ste. 401
Little Rock, AR 72201-3933

Dear Secretary Walther:

Pursuant to Ark. Code Ann. 19-5-1263 and Act 1058 of 2021, the Department of Commerce - Arkansas Economic Development Commission respectfully requests a funds transfer of \$1,000,000 from the Unallocated Restricted Reserve Majority Vote Set-Aside of the Restricted Reserve Fund to the Arkansas Economic Development Commission Development and Enhancement Fund for a grant to the Arkansas Alliance of Boys and Girls Clubs. These funds will provide for Boys & Girls Clubs organizational projects.

Arkansas Economic Development Commission - \$1,000,000

Thank you for your consideration of this request.

Sincerely,

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Michael Preston
Secretary



Asa Hutchinson
GOVERNOR

Michael Preston
SECRETARY OF COMMERCE

June 13, 2022

Mr. Larry W. Walther
Secretary, Department of Finance and Administration
1509 West 7th Street, Ste. 401
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Dear Secretary Walther:

Pursuant to Ark. Code Ann. 19-5-1263 and Act 1058 of 2021, the Department of Commerce - Arkansas Economic Development Commission respectfully requests a funds transfer of \$1,500,000 from the Unallocated Restricted Reserve Majority Vote Set-Aside of the Restricted Reserve Fund to the Arkansas Economic Development Commission Development and Enhancement Fund for a grant to the Museum of Discovery. These funds will provide for renovation after February 2021 flooding.

Arkansas Economic Development Commission - \$1,500,000

Thank you for your consideration of this request.

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Michael Preston
Secretary