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July 7, 2023

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

RE: FY24 Cash Appropriation Increase Request(s)

Dear Co-Chairs:

I am forwarding for appropriate action as required by law, the attached Cash Appropriation Increase Request(s) that have received my approval as Chief Fiscal Officer of the State.

Sincerely,

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Secretary

Attachment(s)



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BA: 0610 FC: 907

Fund: (New) NFA0015 Func. Area: ADMN

CI: 502:00:02 Fund Balance: \$0 (NEW FUND)

May 30, 2023

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

Dear Secretary Walther:

The Department of Finance and Administration Budget and Management Services is requesting an increase in Cash Fund appropriation for SFY 2024 from the Cash Fund Holding Appropriation as authorized in Act 796, Section 27 (1) as follows:

From:

0620 - 9990000 - A08 - 590:00:33 - \$400,000

To:

0610 - NFA0015 - 907 - 502:00:02 - \$400,000

This appropriation is needed due to a change of the process in relation to paying postage for warrant and remittance advices mailed from the Auditor of State's Office.

The current business process is DFA Office of Accounting (DFA OA) emails state agencies, colleges and universities quarterly statements for postage paid. The state agency, college, or university issues payments to the US Postal Service which are sent to DFA OA, who then takes those payments to the US Post Office in Little Rock to be applied to a postage account owned by DFA. This process requires multiple trips to the post office by DFA staff and, if a warrant is lost, requires DFA to obtain an Affidavit of Forged Warrant from the US Postal Service.

The new business process will have DFA OA transferring money from the state agency's Treasury Fund directly to a DFA Treasury Cash Fund, where a warrant will be issued and taken to the US Post Office directly. Colleges and universities will issue checks to DFA OA for deposit in the Treasury Cash Fund to be included with the state agencies' warrant to the US Postal Service. This change will streamline the business process and allow for better efficiencies.

Please contact Melanie Hazeslip (501) 682-5229 if you have any questions.

Sincerely,

Alan McVev

Chief of Staff/Chief Fiscal Officer

cc: Melanie Hazeslip



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June 20, 2023

BA: 0620 FC: NEW

Fund: NDP0025 (NEW) Func. Area: ADMN CI: 510:00:04

Fund Balance remaining in fund HUA0152 as of 6.21.23 to be

transferred: \$12,013,361.19

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

Dear Secretary Walther:

The Department of Finance and Administration Disbursing Officer is requesting a transfer of cash fund appropriation as authorized in Act 796 of 2023, Section 27 (01).

From:

0620 - 9990000 - A08 - 590:00:33 - \$11,950,924.19

To:

0620 - NDP0025 -NEW- 510:00:04 - \$11,950,924.19

This appropriation is needed to allow for DFA to transfer funding for Law Enforcement Stipend Grants to state agencies, colleges and universities. These grants are funded by Act 561 of 2023, Section 3(a)27(B).

Please contact Melanie Hazeslip (501) 682-5229 if you have any questions.

Sincerely,

Alan McVey Chief of Staff

cc: Melanie Hazeslip



**Sarah Huckabee Sanders** 

Governor

**Shea Lewis** 

Interim Secretary

July 7, 2023

Secretary Larry W. Walther Department of Finance and Administration 1509 West Seventh Street Suite 401 Little Rock, AR 72201 BA:0900 FC: New Fund: New Func. Area: REC CI: 590:00:46 Fund Balance: \$0 dv

Re: FY2024 Cash Fund Request

Dear Secretary Walther:

The Arkansas Department of Parks, Heritage and Tourism respectfully requests an increase in our cash fund appropriation for FY2024. This increase is needed for matching funds for a grant through the U.S. Economic Development Administration.

The department is requesting an increase of \$1,000,000 Commitment Item 46, Miscellaneous appropriation.

Please contact Jami Fisher at 501-682-7613, Jami.Fisher@arkansas.gov if you have any questions.

Respectfully submitted,

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Chief Financial Officer

CC: Shea Lewis