

1 **State of Arkansas**  
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4 **By: Senator Walters**

# A Bill

**SENATE BILL 142**

## **For An Act To Be Entitled**

8 "AN ACT TO AMEND ARK. CODE ANN. §20-80-203 PERTAINING TO  
9 ELIGIBILITY FOR PARTICIPATION IN THE OLDER WORKER  
10 COMMUNITY SERVICE EMPLOYMENT PROGRAM; AND FOR OTHER  
11 PURPOSES."

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

15 SECTION 1. Ark. Code Ann. §20-80-203 is hereby amended to read as  
16 follows:

17 "20-80-203. Definitions. As used in this subchapter, unless the  
18 context otherwise requires:

19 (1) 'Program' means the Older Worker Community Service Employment  
20 Program;

21 (2) 'Community service' means social, health, welfare, educational,  
22 recreational development, maintenance, or restoration of natural resources;  
23 community betterment or beautification; environmental protection; and such  
24 other services which are or might be essential and necessary to the community;

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26 (3) 'Department' means the Department of Human Services;

27 (4) 'Office' means the Arkansas Division of Aging and Adult Services;

28 (5) 'Eligible individual or participant' means an individual who is  
29 fifty-five (55) years of age or older and whose household income does not  
30 exceed two hundred percent (200%) of the Supplemental Security Income (SSI)  
31 level, as established by the Social Security Administration. Further,  
32 participants in the program funded under this subchapter shall not be  
33 considered to be state employees as a result of such employment for any  
34 purpose;

35 (6) 'Community-based agency' means a public or not-for-profit

1 organization whose primary purposes and experiences are in the development and  
2 implementation of programs for the elderly."

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4 SECTION 2. All provisions of this act of a general and permanent nature  
5 are amendatory to the Arkansas Code of 1987 Annotated and the Arkansas Code  
6 Revision Commission shall incorporate the same in the Code.

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8 SECTION 3. If any provision of this act or the application thereof to  
9 any person or circumstance is held invalid, such invalidity shall not affect  
10 other provisions or applications of the act which can be given effect without  
11 the invalid provision or application, and to this end the provisions of this  
12 act are declared to be severable.

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14 SECTION 4. All laws and parts of laws in conflict with this act are  
15 hereby repealed.

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17 /s/Walters

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