

## Partnership Program Draft Rules Education Service Cooperatives

ARKANSAS DIVISION OF PUBLIC SCHOOL ACADEMIC FACILITIES AND TRANSPORTATION

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# Educational Facilities Partnership Fund Committed Projects

Immediate Repair \$28,079,953.32

Transitional \$86,000,000.36

Catastrophic \$2,448,856.00

PARTNERSHIP \$746,147,265.58

TOTAL COMMITTED

PROJECTS \$862,676,075.46



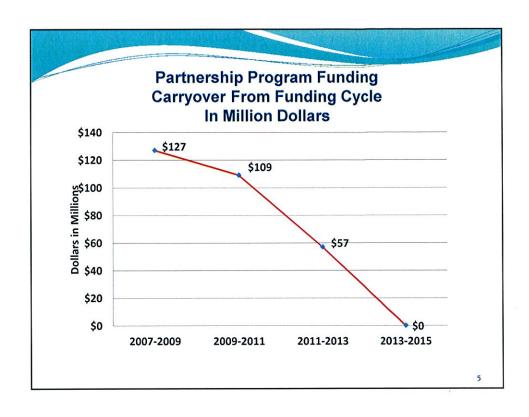
### Partnership Program Funding Approximate in Million Dollars

Revenue Stabilization \$35M / FY

Bonded Debt Assistance Savings \$15-\$25M / FY

Approximate Yearly Budget \$60M / FY

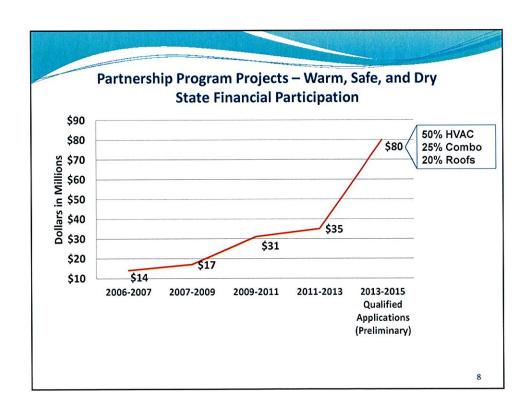
Act 1031 of 2007 (One Time) \$456M

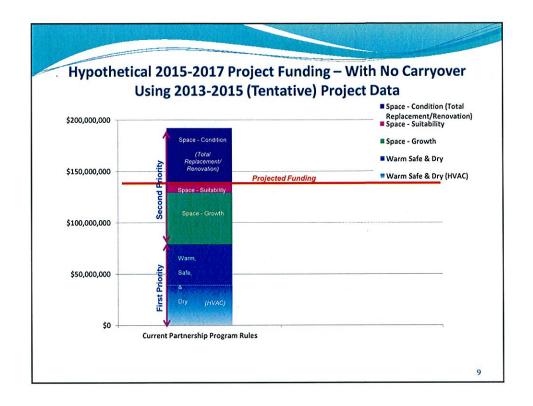


#### **Partnership Program Ranking Process** (Partnership Program Rules - Section 5.05) CURRENT Project Type: WARM, SAFE, DRY (System Replacement) FIRST **PRIORITY** Facility Condition Index (FCI) Ranking Factors: Wealth Index 10-Year Enrollment Growth % SPACE Project Type: (Growth, Suitability, Condition Replacement) SECOND **PRIORITY** Facility Condition Index (FCI) Ranking Factors: Wealth Index 10-Year Enrollment Growth % 6

### Warm, Safe, and Dry Projects (Partnership Program Rules – Section 3.34)

- Qualified Systems
  - Roofs
  - HVAC
  - Fire/Safety
  - Plumbing
  - Electrical
  - Structural
- > Task Force Expectations
  - State facilities program about new academic facilities
  - Immediate needs addressed in program start-up
  - Diminishing requirements for Warm, Safe, and Dry repairs





## Ozarks Unlimited Resources Center Partnership Program Through 2011-2013 Funding Cycle

PROJECT TYPE	STATE FINANCIAL PARTICIPATION		NUMBER OF
WARM, SAFE, DRY			
(SYSTEM RENOVATIONS)	\$4,040,643	24	6
SPACE			
GROWTH	\$2,194,971	6	3
SUITABILITY	\$11,752,600	14	5
CONDITION REPLACEMENT	\$7,517,175	6	3
TOTAL SPACE	\$21,464,746	26	7
GRAND TOTAL	\$25,505,388	50	10

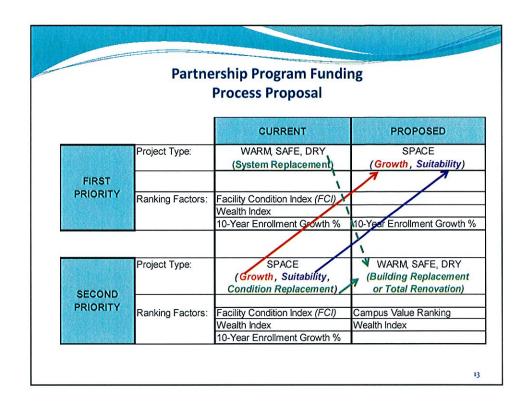
## **Concerns with Current Partnership Program Rules**

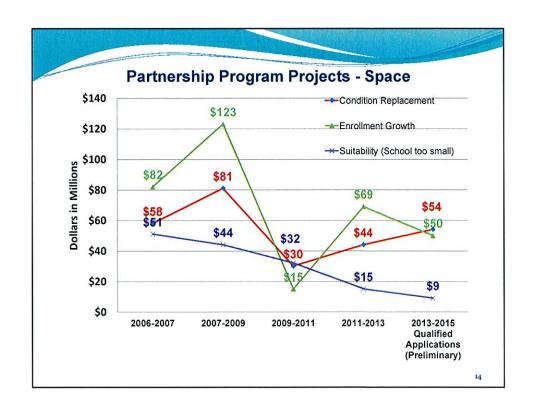
- > Warm, Safe and Dry System Replacements
  - Funded in lieu of Space projects
  - Short-term, fragmented approach to building life cycle
- Ranking Factors (FCI, Wealth Index, 10-Year Growth
   "growing" districts for all projects
- FCI values may not accurately reflect building condition

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### What is the Partnership Program Proposal?

- Modify Partnership Program Rules
  - Redefine and enhance Warm, Safe, and Dry system replacement to Warm, Safe, and Dry facility replacement (or total renovation) projects
  - Revise the project prioritization/ranking process





### Other Features of Proposal

- Division to develop a state-wide academic building value list
  - All academic buildings depreciated 2% per year (50-year life)
- School districts must address all academic buildings with 0% value in Master Plan

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#### **Summary**

- At current funding levels, more prudently uses funds available for:
  - Growth and Suitability projects
  - Warm, Safe, and Dry facilities using a comprehensive, building life-cycle approach

#### **Draft Rules 2012 Calendar**

August 22 Commissioner's Advisory Group

August 22 AAEA Executive Director and Assistant Director

August 23 Academic Facilities Review Board (Teleconference)

> August 27 Facilities Consultants

August 30 Advisory Committee on Public School Academic Facilities

> September 7 Commission Meeting to release Draft Rules for Public Comment

September 7 – October 12 30-Day Public Comment Period

➤ October 2 – 1:00 p.m. Public Comment Hearing

October 26 – 9:00 a.m.
Commission Meeting to review Draft Rule

Comments

December Appear before Legislative Rules

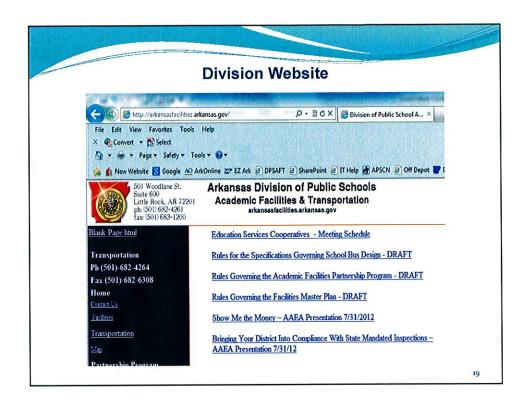
Sub-Committee (if Commission approves

Rule revisions)

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## Master Plan / Partnership Program Dates New Rules

February 1, 2013		Preliminary Master Plan
Spring/Summer/Fall 2013	<b>600 *</b>	Master Plan Consultation Meetings
By May 1, 2013	<b>*</b>	Approved 2013-2015 Partnership Program List (Current Rules)
February 1, 2014		Final Master Plan
March 1, 2014		2015-2017 Partnership Program Application
September 1, 2014	<b>*</b>	Master Plan Approval
By May 1, 2015	<b>*</b>	Approved 2015-2017 Partnership Program List



#### **Rules Public Comments Hearing**

#### **Public Comment Hearing**

October 2, 2012, Tuesday 1:00 p.m. Auditorium Arkansas Department of Education Four Capitol Mall Room 404-A Little Rock, AR 72201

#### Comments may be mailed to

Office of Legal Services Arkansas Department of Education Four Capitol Mall Room 404-A Little Rock, AR 72201

#### Comments may be e-mailed to

ADE.RulesComments@arkansas.gov

#### Comments may be submitted online at

http://arkansased.org/divisions/legal/rules/pending



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# Education Service Cooperatives Meeting Dates

COOPERATIVES	DATES
Dawson Education Service Center	September 12, 2012
Arkansas River Education Service Center	September 13, 2012
LRSD, NLRSD, PCSSD	September 14, 2012
South Central Education Service Center	September 17, 2012
Southwest Arkansas Education Service Center	September 18, 2012
Wilbur D. Mills Education Service Center	September 19, 2012
Western Arkansas Education Service Center	September 20, 2012
Ozarks Unlimited Resources Center	September 25, 2012
Northeast Arkansas Education Service Center	September 26, 2012
Great Rivers Education Service Center	September 27, 2012
Northwest Arkansas Education Service Center	October 4, 2012
Northcentral Arkansas Education Service Center	October 10, 2012
Arch Ford Education Service Center	October 11, 2012
Southeast Arkansas Education Service Center	October 17, 2012
DeQueen/Mena Education Service Center	October 18, 2012
Crowley's Ridge Education Service Center	October 24, 2012