

1 **State of Arkansas**  
2 **79th General Assembly**  
3 **Regular Session, 1993**  
4 **By: Joint Budget Committee**

# **A Bill**

**ACT 804 OF 1993**  
**HOUSE BILL 1849**

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

8 "AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION TO THE SOIL AND WATER  
9 CONSERVATION COMMISSION FOR GRANTS TO THE EAST ARKANSAS  
10 RESOURCE CONSERVATION AND DEVELOPMENT COUNCIL FOR RURAL  
11 WATER EXPANSION PROJECTS; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES."

## **Subtitle**

14 "AN ACT FOR THE SOIL AND WATER CONSERVATION COMMISSION  
15 CAPITAL IMPROVEMENT APPROPRIATION."

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

19 SECTION 1. APPROPRIATIONS - GENERAL IMPROVEMENT. There is hereby  
20 appropriated, to the Soil and Water Conservation Commission, to be payable  
21 from the General Improvement Fund or its successor fund or fund accounts, the  
22 following:

23 (A) For a grant to the East Arkansas Resource Conservation and  
24 Development Council for the Buck Lake Road Rural Water Expansion Project, the  
25 sum of ..... \$26,225.

27 (B) For a grant to the East Arkansas Resource Conservation and  
28 Development Council for the Holmes Rural Water Expansion Project, the sum of  
29 \$8,715.

31 (C) For a grant to the East Arkansas Resource Conservation and  
32 Development Council for the Lake Grove Rural Water Expansion Project, the sum  
33 of \$12,148.

35 (D) For a grant to the East Arkansas Resource Conservation and

1 Development Council for the Arnold Rural Water Expansion Project, the sum of  
2 \$5,162.

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4 SECTION 2. DISBURSEMENT CONTROLS. (A) No contract may be awarded nor  
5 obligations otherwise incurred in relation to the project or projects  
6 described herein in excess of the State Treasury funds actually available  
7 therefor as provided by law. Provided, however, that institutions and  
8 agencies listed herein shall have the authority to accept and use grants and  
9 donations including Federal funds, and to use its unobligated cash income or  
10 funds, or both available to it, for the purpose of supplementing the State  
11 Treasury funds for financing the entire costs of the project or projects  
12 enumerated herein. Provided further, that the appropriations and funds  
13 otherwise provided by the General Assembly for Maintenance and General  
14 Operations of the agency or institutions receiving appropriation herein shall  
15 not be used for any of the purposes as appropriated in this Act.

16 (B) The restrictions of any applicable provisions of the State  
17 Purchasing Law, the General Accounting and Budgetary Procedures Law, the  
18 Revenue Stabilization Law and any other applicable fiscal control laws of this  
19 State and regulations promulgated by the Department of Finance and  
20 Administration, as authorized by law, shall be strictly complied with in  
21 disbursement of any funds provided by this Act unless specifically provided  
22 otherwise by law.

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24 SECTION 3. LEGISLATIVE INTENT. It is the intent of the General  
25 Assembly that any funds disbursed under the authority of the appropriations  
26 contained in this Act shall be in compliance with the stated reasons for which  
27 this Act was adopted, as evidenced by the Agency Requests, Executive  
28 Recommendations and Legislative Recommendations contained in the budget  
29 manuals prepared by the Department of Finance and Administration, letters, or  
30 summarized oral testimony in the official minutes of the Arkansas Legislative  
31 Council or Joint Budget Committee which relate to its passage and adoption.

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33 SECTION 4. CODE. All provisions of this Act of a general and permanent  
34 nature are amendatory to the Arkansas Code of 1987 Annotated and the Arkansas  
35 Code Revision Commission shall incorporate the same in the Code.

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SECTION 5. SEVERABILITY. If any provision of this Act or the application thereof to any person or circumstance is held invalid, such invalidity shall not affect other provisions or applications of the Act which can be given effect without the invalid provision or application, and to this end the provisions of this Act are declared to be severable.

SECTION 6. GENERAL REPEALER. All laws and parts of laws in conflict with this Act are hereby repealed.

SECTION 7. EMERGENCY CLAUSE. It is hereby found and determined by the Seventy-Ninth General Assembly, that the Constitution of the State of Arkansas prohibits the appropriation of funds for more than a two (2) year period; that the effectiveness of this Act on July 1, 1993 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 Regular Session, the delay in the effective date of this Act beyond July 1, 1993 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, 1993.

*/s/John E. Miller*

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