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A Bill

SENATE BILL 68

4
5 By: Joint Budget Committee

For An Act To Be Entitled

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8 AN ACT TO REAPPROPRIATE THE BALANCES OF CAPITAL
9 IMPROVEMENT APPROPRIATIONS FOR THE INSTITUTIONS OF
10 HIGHER EDUCATION; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Subtitle

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14 AN ACT FOR THE INSTITUTIONS OF HIGHER
15 EDUCATION REAPPROPRIATION.

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

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20 SECTION 1. REAPPROPRIATION - ARKANSAS STATE UNIVERSITY. There is
21 hereby appropriated, to the Arkansas State University, to be payable from the
22 Development and Enhancement Fund, for the Arkansas State University the
23 following:

24 (A) Effective July 1, 2024, the balance of the appropriation provided
25 in Item (A) of Section 1 of Act 231 of 2023, for construction, renovation,
26 maintenance, equipment, personal services and operating expenses of the
27 various institutions and entities of the Arkansas State University System, in
28 a sum not to exceed\$25,000,000.

29 (B) Effective July 1, 2024, the balance of the appropriation provided
30 in Item (B) of Section 1 of Act 231 of 2023, for costs of construction of an
31 Art and Innovation District, in a sum not to exceed\$2,000,000.

32 (C) Effective July 1, 2024, the balance of the appropriation provided
33 in Item (C) of Section 1 of Act 231 of 2023, for costs of construction of an
34 Athletic and Club Sport Campus, in a sum not to exceed\$2,000,000.

35 (D) Effective July 1, 2024, the balance of the appropriation provided
36 in Item (D) of Section 1 of Act 231 of 2023, for campus buildings deferred



1 maintenance, in a sum not to exceed\$5,000,000.

2 (E) Effective July 1, 2024, the balance of the appropriation provided
3 in Item (E) of Section 1 of Act 231 of 2023, for critical maintenance, in a
4 sum not to exceed\$720,000.

5 (F) Effective July 1, 2024, the balance of the appropriation provided
6 in Item (F) of Section 1 of Act 231 of 2023, for deferred maintenance, in a
7 sum not to exceed\$2,920,000.

8 (G) Effective July 1, 2024, the balance of the appropriation provided
9 in Item (G) of Section 1 of Act 231 of 2023, for the purchase, replacement,
10 and renewal of equipment and library holdings, in a sum not to exceed
11\$2,945,929.
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13 SECTION 2. REAPPROPRIATION - ARKANSAS STATE UNIVERSITY - SUSTAINABLE
14 BUILDING DESIGN. There is hereby appropriated, to the Arkansas State
15 University, to be payable from the Sustainable Building Design Revolving Loan
16 Fund, for the Arkansas State University the following:

17 (A) Effective July 1, 2024, the balance of the appropriation provided
18 in Item (A) of Section 2 of Act 221 of 2023, for construction, renovation,
19 maintenance and operating expenses, in a sum not to exceed\$226.
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21 SECTION 3. REAPPROPRIATION - ARKANSAS STATE UNIVERSITY - SOUTHERN
22 TENANT FARMERS MUSEUM GRAIN BIN RESTORATION AND INTERPRETATION. There is
23 hereby appropriated, to the Arkansas State University, to be payable from the
24 Arkansas Natural and Cultural Resources Grant and Trust Fund, for the
25 Arkansas State University the following:

26 (A) Effective July 1, 2024, the balance of the appropriation provided
27 in Section 25 of Act 479 of 2023, for the acquisition, management,
28 stewardship, or preservation of state owned lands, historic sites, buildings,
29 structures, or objects, in a sum not to exceed\$1,916,383.
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31 SECTION 4. REAPPROPRIATION - ARKANSAS TECH UNIVERSITY. There is hereby
32 appropriated, to the Arkansas Tech University, to be payable from the
33 Development and Enhancement Fund, for the Arkansas Tech University the
34 following:

35 (A) Effective July 1, 2024, the balance of the appropriation provided
36 in Item (A) of Section 2 of Act 231 of 2023, for renovation for Brown

1 Building academic utilization, in a sum not to exceed\$1,475,548.

2 (B) Effective July 1, 2024, the balance of the appropriation provided
3 in Item (B) of Section 2 of Act 231 of 2023, for utility upgrades, in a sum
4 not to exceed\$4,524,452.

5 (C) Effective July 1, 2024, the balance of the appropriation provided
6 in Item (C) of Section 2 of Act 231 of 2023, for technology upgrades, in a
7 sum not to exceed\$3,000,000.

8 (D) Effective July 1, 2024, the balance of the appropriation provided
9 in Item (D) of Section 2 of Act 231 of 2023, for critical maintenance, in a
10 sum not to exceed\$1,230,000.

11 (E) Effective July 1, 2024, the balance of the appropriation provided
12 in Item (E) of Section 2 of Act 231 of 2023, for deferred maintenance, in a
13 sum not to exceed\$3,860,000.

14 (F) Effective July 1, 2024, the balance of the appropriation provided
15 in Item (F) of Section 2 of Act 231 of 2023, for the purchase, replacement,
16 and renewal of equipment and library holdings, in a sum not to exceed
17\$1,157,352.

18 (G) Effective July 1, 2024, the balance of the appropriation provided
19 in Item (G) of Section 2 of Act 231 of 2023, for reroofing the Allied Health
20 Building on the Ozark Campus, in a sum not to exceed\$177,765.

21 (H) Effective July 1, 2024, the balance of the appropriation provided
22 in Item (H) of Section 2 of Act 231 of 2023, for costs of construction of the
23 ATCC Tech Center, in a sum not to exceed\$1,000,000.

24 (I) Effective July 1, 2024, the balance of the appropriation provided
25 in Item (I) of Section 2 of Act 231 of 2023, for costs of construction of the
26 Ozark Technology and Trade Center, in a sum not to exceed\$822,235.

27 (J) Effective July 1, 2024, the balance of the appropriation provided
28 in Item (J) of Section 2 of Act 231 of 2023, for critical maintenance for the
29 Ozark Campus, in a sum not to exceed\$20,000.

30 (K) Effective July 1, 2024, the balance of the appropriation provided
31 in Item (K) of Section 2 of Act 231 of 2023, for deferred maintenance for the
32 Ozark Campus, in a sum not to exceed\$210,000.

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34 SECTION 5. REAPPROPRIATION - HENDERSON STATE UNIVERSITY. There is
35 hereby appropriated, to the Henderson State University, to be payable from
36 the Development and Enhancement Fund, for the Henderson State University the

1 following:

2 (A) Effective July 1, 2024, the balance of the appropriation provided
3 in Item (A) of Section 3 of Act 231 of 2023, for construction, renovation,
4 maintenance, and equipment, in a sum not to exceed\$8,000,000.

5 (B) Effective July 1, 2024, the balance of the appropriation provided
6 in Item (B) of Section 3 of Act 231 of 2023, for critical maintenance, in a
7 sum not to exceed\$280,000.

8 (C) Effective July 1, 2024, the balance of the appropriation provided
9 in Item (C) of Section 3 of Act 231 of 2023, for deferred maintenance, in a
10 sum not to exceed\$1,940,000.

11 (D) Effective July 1, 2024, the balance of the appropriation provided
12 in Item (D) of Section 3 of Act 231 of 2023, for the purchase, replacement,
13 and renewal of equipment and library holdings, in a sum not to exceed
14\$516,704.
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16 SECTION 6. REAPPROPRIATION - HENDERSON STATE UNIVERSITY - CADDO CENTER
17 PHASE VII. There is hereby appropriated, to the Henderson State University,
18 to be payable from the Arkansas Natural and Cultural Resources Grant and
19 Trust Fund, for the Henderson State University the following:

20 (A) Effective July 1, 2024, the balance of the appropriation provided
21 in Section 25 of Act 479 of 2023, for the acquisition, management,
22 stewardship, or preservation of state owned lands, historic sites, buildings,
23 structures, or objects, in a sum not to exceed\$1,191,606.
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25 SECTION 7. REAPPROPRIATION - HENDERSON STATE UNIVERSITY - BARKMAN
26 HOUSE. There is hereby appropriated, to the Henderson State University, to
27 be payable from the Arkansas Natural and Cultural Resources Grant and Trust
28 Fund, for the Henderson State University the following:

29 (A) Effective July 1, 2024, the balance of the appropriation provided
30 in Section 25 of Act 479 of 2023, for the acquisition, management,
31 stewardship, or preservation of state owned lands, historic sites, buildings,
32 structures, or objects, in a sum not to exceed\$850,000.
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34 SECTION 8. REAPPROPRIATION - SOUTHERN ARKANSAS UNIVERSITY. There is
35 hereby appropriated, to the Southern Arkansas University, to be payable from
36 the Development and Enhancement Fund, for the Southern Arkansas University

1 the following:

2 (A) Effective July 1, 2024, the balance of the appropriation provided
3 in Item (A) of Section 4 of Act 231 of 2023, for costs of HVAC upgrades, in a
4 sum not to exceed\$4,000,000.

5 (B) Effective July 1, 2024, the balance of the appropriation provided
6 in Item (B) of Section 4 of Act 231 of 2023, for technology upgrades, in a
7 sum not to exceed\$4,000,000.

8 (C) Effective July 1, 2024, the balance of the appropriation provided
9 in Item (C) of Section 4 of Act 231 of 2023, for critical maintenance, in a
10 sum not to exceed\$530,000.

11 (D) Effective July 1, 2024, the balance of the appropriation provided
12 in Item (D) of Section 4 of Act 231 of 2023, for deferred maintenance, in a
13 sum not to exceed\$1,950,000.

14 (E) Effective July 1, 2024, the balance of the appropriation provided
15 in Item (E) of Section 4 of Act 231 of 2023, for the purchase, replacement,
16 and renewal of equipment and library holdings, in a sum not to exceed
17\$732,352.
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19 SECTION 9. REAPPROPRIATION - SOUTHERN ARKANSAS UNIVERSITY - TALLEY
20 HALL. There is hereby appropriated, to the Southern Arkansas University, to
21 be payable from the Arkansas Natural and Cultural Resources Grant and Trust
22 Fund, for the Southern Arkansas University the following:

23 (A) Effective July 1, 2024, the balance of the appropriation provided
24 in Section 25 of Act 479 of 2023, for the acquisition, management,
25 stewardship, or preservation of state owned lands, historic sites, buildings,
26 structures, or objects, in a sum not to exceed\$1,608,000.
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28 SECTION 10. REAPPROPRIATION - SOUTHERN ARKANSAS UNIVERSITY - MT.
29 PROSPECT CHURCH. There is hereby appropriated, to the Southern Arkansas
30 University, to be payable from the Arkansas Natural and Cultural Resources
31 Grant and Trust Fund, for the Southern Arkansas University the following:

32 (A) Effective July 1, 2024, the balance of the appropriation provided
33 in Section 25 of Act 479 of 2023, for the acquisition, management,
34 stewardship, or preservation of state owned lands, historic sites, buildings,
35 structures, or objects, in a sum not to exceed\$405,000.
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1 SECTION 11. REAPPROPRIATION - UNIVERSITY OF ARKANSAS FOR MEDICAL
2 SCIENCES. There is hereby appropriated, to the University of Arkansas for
3 Medical Sciences, to be payable from the Development and Enhancement Fund,
4 for the University of Arkansas for Medical Sciences the following:

5 (A) Effective July 1, 2024, the balance of the appropriation provided
6 in Item (A) of Section 5 of Act 231 of 2023, for renovation of the Barton
7 Building, in a sum not to exceed\$2,000,000.

8 (B) Effective July 1, 2024, the balance of the appropriation provided
9 in Item (B) of Section 5 of Act 231 of 2023, for renovation of the Monroe
10 Building, in a sum not to exceed\$2,000,000.

11 (C) Effective July 1, 2024, the balance of the appropriation provided
12 in Item (C) of Section 5 of Act 231 of 2023, for renovation of the EDII 6th
13 Floor for the College of Pharmacy, in a sum not to exceed\$2,000,000.

14 (D) Effective July 1, 2024, the balance of the appropriation provided
15 in Item (D) of Section 5 of Act 231 of 2023, for renovation of the Central
16 Building - Floors 2-8, in a sum not to exceed\$2,000,000.

17 (E) Effective July 1, 2024, the balance of the appropriation provided
18 in Item (E) of Section 5 of Act 231 of 2023, for Central Building Clinical
19 Lab AHU replacement, in a sum not to exceed\$600,000.

20 (F) Effective July 1, 2024, the balance of the appropriation provided
21 in Item (F) of Section 5 of Act 231 of 2023, for Central Building Penthouse
22 electrical infrastructure, in a sum not to exceed\$450,000.

23 (G) Effective July 1, 2024, the balance of the appropriation provided
24 in Item (G) of Section 5 of Act 231 of 2023, for UAMS West Central Energy
25 Plant Addition and Interconnect, in a sum not to exceed\$950,000.

26 (H) Effective July 1, 2024, the balance of the appropriation provided
27 in Item (H) of Section 5 of Act 231 of 2023, for critical maintenance, in a
28 sum not to exceed\$7,220,000.

29 (I) Effective July 1, 2024, the balance of the appropriation provided
30 in Item (I) of Section 5 of Act 231 of 2023, for deferred maintenance, in a
31 sum not to exceed\$11,630,000.

32 (J) Effective July 1, 2024, the balance of the appropriation provided
33 in Item (J) of Section 5 of Act 231 of 2023, for the purchase, replacement,
34 and renewal of equipment and library holdings, in a sum not to exceed
35\$1,802,814.
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1 SECTION 12. REAPPROPRIATION - UNIVERSITY OF ARKANSAS. There is hereby
2 appropriated, to the University of Arkansas, to be payable from the
3 Development and Enhancement Fund, for the University of Arkansas the
4 following:

5 (A) Effective July 1, 2024, the balance of the appropriation provided
6 in Item (A) of Section 6 of Act 231 of 2023, for restoration of the
7 Agriculture Building, in a sum not to exceed\$2,000,000.

8 (B) Effective July 1, 2024, the balance of the appropriation provided
9 in Item (B) of Section 6 of Act 231 of 2023, for restoration of the Leflar
10 Law Center North Wing, in a sum not to exceed\$2,000,000.

11 (C) Effective July 1, 2024, the balance of the appropriation provided
12 in Item (C) of Section 6 of Act 231 of 2023, for restoration of Memorial
13 Hall, in a sum not to exceed\$2,000,000.

14 (D) Effective July 1, 2024, the balance of the appropriation provided
15 in Item (D) of Section 6 of Act 231 of 2023, for restoration and renovation
16 of the Fine Arts Center and University Theatre, in a sum not to exceed
17\$2,000,000.

18 (E) Effective July 1, 2024, the balance of the appropriation provided
19 in Item (E) of Section 6 of Act 231 of 2023, for restoration and renovation
20 of the John A. White, Jr. Engineering Hall, in a sum not to exceed
21\$2,000,000.

22 (F) Effective July 1, 2024, the balance of the appropriation provided
23 in Item (F) of Section 6 of Act 231 of 2023, for critical maintenance for the
24 U of A - Fayetteville, in a sum not to exceed\$5,730,000.

25 (G) Effective July 1, 2024, the balance of the appropriation provided
26 in Item (G) of Section 6 of Act 231 of 2023, for deferred maintenance for the
27 U of A - Fayetteville, in a sum not to exceed\$9,910,000.

28 (H) Effective July 1, 2024, the balance of the appropriation provided
29 in Item (H) of Section 6 of Act 231 of 2023, for the purchase, replacement,
30 and renewal of equipment and library holdings for the U of A - Fayetteville,
31 in a sum not to exceed\$4,814,389.

32 (I) Effective July 1, 2024, the balance of the appropriation provided
33 in Item (I) of Section 6 of Act 231 of 2023, for costs of construction for
34 System Office expansion, in a sum not to exceed\$1,974,150.

35 (J) Effective July 1, 2024, the balance of the appropriation provided
36 in Item (J) of Section 6 of Act 231 of 2023, for construction, renovation,

1 maintenance, equipment, personal services and operating expenses of the
2 various institutions and entities of the University of Arkansas System, in a
3 sum not to exceed\$25,000,000.

4 (K) Effective July 1, 2024, the balance of the appropriation provided
5 in Item (K) of Section 6 of Act 231 of 2023, for critical maintenance for the
6 U of A - System, in a sum not to exceed\$10,000.

7 (L) Effective July 1, 2024, the balance of the appropriation provided
8 in Item (L) of Section 6 of Act 231 of 2023, for deferred maintenance for the
9 U of A - System, in a sum not to exceed\$50,000.

10 (M) Effective July 1, 2024, the balance of the appropriation provided
11 in Item (M) of Section 6 of Act 231 of 2023, for costs of constructing the
12 Department of Food Science Building replacement, in a sum not to exceed
13\$3,500,000.

14 (N) Effective July 1, 2024, the balance of the appropriation provided
15 in Item (N) of Section 6 of Act 231 of 2023, for costs of construction of the
16 Lonoke Extension Center expansion, in a sum not to exceed\$1,500,000.

17 (O) Effective July 1, 2024, the balance of the appropriation provided
18 in Item (O) of Section 6 of Act 231 of 2023, for critical maintenance for the
19 U of A - Division of Agriculture, in a sum not to exceed\$70,000.

20 (P) Effective July 1, 2024, the balance of the appropriation provided
21 in Item (P) of Section 6 of Act 231 of 2023, for deferred maintenance for the
22 U of A - Division of Agriculture, in a sum not to exceed\$1,680,000.

23 (Q) Effective July 1, 2024, the balance of the appropriation provided
24 in Item (Q) of Section 6 of Act 231 of 2023, for remote sensing and
25 archeological object analysis, in a sum not to exceed\$252,500.

26 (R) Effective July 1, 2024, the balance of the appropriation provided
27 in Item (R) of Section 6 of Act 231 of 2023, for archeological data/object
28 security and accessibility, in a sum not to exceed\$123,750.

29 (S) Effective July 1, 2024, the balance of the appropriation provided
30 in Item (S) of Section 6 of Act 231 of 2023, for deferred maintenance of the
31 U of A - Arkansas Archeological Survey, in a sum not to exceed\$80,000.

32 (T) Effective July 1, 2024, the balance of the appropriation provided
33 in Item (T) of Section 6 of Act 231 of 2023, for replacement of AREON core
34 network equipment, in a sum not to exceed\$150,000.

35 (U) Effective July 1, 2024, the balance of the appropriation provided
36 in Item (U) of Section 6 of Act 231 of 2023, for renovation of the Arkansas

1 School for Mathematics, Sciences, and the Arts (ASMSA) maintenance shop, in a
2 sum not to exceed\$900,000.

3 (V) Effective July 1, 2024, the balance of the appropriation provided
4 in Item (V) of Section 6 of Act 231 of 2023, for ASMSA campus ADA
5 accessibility improvements, in a sum not to exceed\$250,000.

6 (W) Effective July 1, 2024, the balance of the appropriation provided
7 in Item (W) of Section 6 of Act 231 of 2023, for STEM Research Lab upgrades,
8 in a sum not to exceed\$350,000.

9 (X) Effective July 1, 2024, the balance of the appropriation provided
10 in Item (W) of Section 10 of Act 221 of 2023, for personal services and
11 general operating expenses of the Partners for Inclusive Communities - Sickle
12 Cell Anemia Task Force, in a sum not to exceed\$60,000.

13 (Y) Effective July 1, 2024, the balance of the appropriation provided
14 in Item (X) of Section 10 of Act 221 of 2023, for construction, renovation,
15 maintenance, equipment, personal services and operating expenses of the
16 various institutions and entities of the University of Arkansas System, in a
17 sum not to exceed\$552,005.

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19 SECTION 13. REAPPROPRIATION - UNIVERSITY OF ARKANSAS - DIVISION OF
20 AGRICULTURE. There is hereby appropriated, to the University of Arkansas, to
21 be payable from the cash fund deposited in the State Treasury as determined
22 by the Chief Fiscal Officer of the State, for the University of Arkansas -
23 Division of Agriculture the following:

24 (A) Effective July 1, 2024, the balance of the appropriation provided
25 in Item (A) of Section 1 of Act 878 of 2023, for upgrades and renovations to
26 the Agricultural Research and Extension Centers and Stations of the Division
27 of Agriculture, in a sum not to exceed\$5,000,000.

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29 SECTION 14. REAPPROPRIATION - UNIVERSITY OF ARKANSAS - DOCUMENTING AND
30 DISSEMINATING THE PAST AT HISTORIC WASHINGTON STATE PARK. There is hereby
31 appropriated, to the University of Arkansas, to be payable from the Arkansas
32 Natural and Cultural Resources Grant and Trust Fund, for the University of
33 Arkansas the following:

34 (A) Effective July 1, 2024, the balance of the appropriation provided
35 in Section 25 of Act 479 of 2023, for the acquisition, management,
36 stewardship, or preservation of state owned lands, historic sites, buildings,

1 structures, or objects, in a sum not to exceed\$103,011.

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3 SECTION 15. REAPPROPRIATION - UNIVERSITY OF ARKANSAS - VALLEY
4 (HOLLYWOOD/TAYLOR HOUSE) PLANTATION PROJECT. There is hereby appropriated,
5 to the University of Arkansas, to be payable from the Arkansas Natural and
6 Cultural Resources Grant and Trust Fund, for the University of Arkansas the
7 following:

8 (A) Effective July 1, 2024, the balance of the appropriation provided
9 in Section 25 of Act 479 of 2023, for the acquisition, management,
10 stewardship, or preservation of state owned lands, historic sites, buildings,
11 structures, or objects, in a sum not to exceed\$57,208.

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13 SECTION 16. REAPPROPRIATION - UNIVERSITY OF ARKANSAS - CONTINUING THE
14 LEGACY OF THE CCC AT PETIT JEAN STATE PARK. There is hereby appropriated, to
15 the University of Arkansas, to be payable from the Arkansas Natural and
16 Cultural Resources Grant and Trust Fund, for the University of Arkansas the
17 following:

18 (A) Effective July 1, 2024, the balance of the appropriation provided
19 in Section 25 of Act 479 of 2023, for the acquisition, management,
20 stewardship, or preservation of state owned lands, historic sites, buildings,
21 structures, or objects, in a sum not to exceed\$120,008.

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23 SECTION 17. REAPPROPRIATION - UNIVERSITY OF ARKANSAS - GARVAN WOODLAND
24 GARDENS DESIGN, CONSTRUCTION, AND STEWARDSHIP PROPOSAL. There is hereby
25 appropriated, to the University of Arkansas, to be payable from the Arkansas
26 Natural and Cultural Resources Grant and Trust Fund, for the University of
27 Arkansas the following:

28 (A) Effective July 1, 2024, the balance of the appropriation provided
29 in Section 25 of Act 479 of 2023, for the acquisition, management,
30 stewardship, or preservation of state owned lands, historic sites, buildings,
31 structures, or objects, in a sum not to exceed\$1,215,000.

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33 SECTION 18. REAPPROPRIATION - UNIVERSITY OF ARKANSAS AT FORT SMITH.
34 There is hereby appropriated, to the University of Arkansas at Fort Smith, to
35 be payable from the Development and Enhancement Fund, for the University of
36 Arkansas at Fort Smith the following:

1 (A) Effective July 1, 2024, the balance of the appropriation provided
2 in Item (A) of Section 7 of Act 231 of 2023, for costs of construction and
3 renovation for the UAFS Center for Workforce Development, in a sum not to
4 exceed\$6,522,500.

5 (B) Effective July 1, 2024, the balance of the appropriation provided
6 in Item (B) of Section 7 of Act 231 of 2023, for critical maintenance, in a
7 sum not to exceed\$570,000.

8 (C) Effective July 1, 2024, the balance of the appropriation provided
9 in Item (C) of Section 7 of Act 231 of 2023, for deferred maintenance, in a
10 sum not to exceed\$1,670,000.

11 (D) Effective July 1, 2024, the balance of the appropriation provided
12 in Item (D) of Section 7 of Act 231 of 2023, for the purchase, replacement,
13 and renewal of equipment and library holdings, in a sum not to exceed
14\$622,683.

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16 SECTION 19. REAPPROPRIATION - UNIVERSITY OF ARKANSAS AT LITTLE ROCK.

17 There is hereby appropriated, to the University of Arkansas at Little Rock,
18 to be payable from the Development and Enhancement Fund, for the University
19 of Arkansas at Little Rock the following:

20 (A) Effective July 1, 2024, the balance of the appropriation provided
21 in Item (A) of Section 8 of Act 231 of 2023, for improvements to technology
22 infrastructure, in a sum not to exceed\$3,500,000.

23 (B) Effective July 1, 2024, the balance of the appropriation provided
24 in Item (B) of Section 8 of Act 231 of 2023, for building infrastructure and
25 critical maintenance, in a sum not to exceed\$3,000,000.

26 (C) Effective July 1, 2024, the balance of the appropriation provided
27 in Item (C) of Section 8 of Act 231 of 2023, for classroom technology
28 improvements, in a sum not to exceed\$3,000,000.

29 (D) Effective July 1, 2024, the balance of the appropriation provided
30 in Item (D) of Section 8 of Act 231 of 2023, for critical maintenance, in a
31 sum not to exceed\$6,590,000.

32 (E) Effective July 1, 2024, the balance of the appropriation provided
33 in Item (E) of Section 8 of Act 231 of 2023, for deferred maintenance, in a
34 sum not to exceed\$5,680,000.

35 (F) Effective July 1, 2024, the balance of the appropriation provided
36 in Item (F) of Section 8 of Act 231 of 2023, for the purchase, replacement,

1 and renewal of equipment and library holdings, in a sum not to exceed
2\$1,542,601.

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4 SECTION 20. REAPPROPRIATION - UNIVERSITY OF ARKANSAS AT LITTLE ROCK -
5 SUSTAINABLE BUILDING DESIGN. There is hereby appropriated, to the University
6 of Arkansas at Little Rock, to be payable from the Sustainable Building
7 Design Revolving Loan Fund, for the University of Arkansas at Little Rock the
8 following:

9 (A) Effective July 1, 2024, the balance of the appropriation provided
10 in Item (A) of Section 16 of Act 221 of 2023, for construction, renovation,
11 maintenance and operating expenses, in a sum not to exceed\$366,208.

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13 SECTION 21. REAPPROPRIATION - UNIVERSITY OF ARKANSAS AT MONTICELLO.
14 There is hereby appropriated, to the University of Arkansas at Monticello, to
15 be payable from the Development and Enhancement Fund, for the University of
16 Arkansas at Monticello the following:

17 (A) Effective July 1, 2024, the balance of the appropriation provided
18 in Item (A) of Section 9 of Act 231 of 2023, for renovation of the Math and
19 Science Center, in a sum not to exceed\$3,250,000.

20 (B) Effective July 1, 2024, the balance of the appropriation provided
21 in Item (B) of Section 9 of Act 231 of 2023, for HVAC upgrades for MCB and
22 Science Center, in a sum not to exceed\$2,500,000.

23 (C) Effective July 1, 2024, the balance of the appropriation provided
24 in Item (C) of Section 9 of Act 231 of 2023, for renovation of the Fine Arts
25 Center, in a sum not to exceed\$1,000,000.

26 (D) Effective July 1, 2024, the balance of the appropriation provided
27 in Item (D) of Section 9 of Act 231 of 2023, for renovation of the Music
28 Building, in a sum not to exceed\$750,000.

29 (E) Effective July 1, 2024, the balance of the appropriation provided
30 in Item (E) of Section 9 of Act 231 of 2023, for deferred maintenance, in a
31 sum not to exceed\$2,430,000.

32 (F) Effective July 1, 2024, the balance of the appropriation provided
33 in Item (F) of Section 9 of Act 231 of 2023, for the purchase, replacement,
34 and renewal of equipment and library holdings, in a sum not to exceed
35\$408,269.

36 (G) Effective July 1, 2024, the balance of the appropriation provided

1 in Item (G) of Section 9 of Act 231 of 2023, for costs of construction of the
2 Workforce/Collegiate Center on the Crossett campus, in a sum not to exceed
3\$2,000,000.

4 (H) Effective July 1, 2024, the balance of the appropriation provided
5 in Item (H) of Section 9 of Act 231 of 2023, for deferred maintenance for the
6 Crossett campus, in a sum not to exceed\$120,000.

7 (I) Effective July 1, 2024, the balance of the appropriation provided
8 in Item (I) of Section 9 of Act 231 of 2023, for costs of construction of a
9 General Education Building on the McGehee campus, in a sum not to exceed
10\$2,000,000.

11 (J) Effective July 1, 2024, the balance of the appropriation provided
12 in Item (J) of Section 9 of Act 231 of 2023, for deferred maintenance for the
13 McGehee campus, in a sum not to exceed\$150,000.

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15 SECTION 22. REAPPROPRIATION - UNIVERSITY OF ARKANSAS AT MONTICELLO -
16 1937 FACULTY HOUSE INTERIOR RESTORATION. There is hereby appropriated, to
17 the University of Arkansas at Monticello, to be payable from the Arkansas
18 Natural and Cultural Resources Grant and Trust Fund, for the University of
19 Arkansas at Monticello the following:

20 (A) Effective July 1, 2024, the balance of the appropriation provided
21 in Section 25 of Act 479 of 2023, for the acquisition, management,
22 stewardship, or preservation of state owned lands, historic sites, buildings,
23 structures, or objects, in a sum not to exceed\$227,512.

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25 SECTION 23. REAPPROPRIATION - UNIVERSITY OF ARKANSAS AT MONTICELLO -
26 TROTTER HOUSE INTERIOR RESTORATION. There is hereby appropriated, to the
27 University of Arkansas at Monticello, to be payable from the Arkansas Natural
28 and Cultural Resources Grant and Trust Fund, for the University of Arkansas
29 at Monticello the following:

30 (A) Effective July 1, 2024, the balance of the appropriation provided
31 in Section 25 of Act 479 of 2023, for the acquisition, management,
32 stewardship, or preservation of state owned lands, historic sites, buildings,
33 structures, or objects, in a sum not to exceed\$353,227.

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35 SECTION 24. REAPPROPRIATION - UNIVERSITY OF ARKANSAS AT PINE BLUFF.
36 There is hereby appropriated, to the University of Arkansas at Pine Bluff, to

1 be payable from the Development and Enhancement Fund, for the University of
2 Arkansas at Pine Bluff the following:

3 (A) Effective July 1, 2024, the balance of the appropriation provided
4 in Item (A) of Section 10 of Act 231 of 2023, for renovation for fire
5 protection, in a sum not to exceed\$2,000,000.

6 (B) Effective July 1, 2024, the balance of the appropriation provided
7 in Item (B) of Section 10 of Act 231 of 2023, for renovation of dormitory, in
8 a sum not to exceed\$2,000,000.

9 (C) Effective July 1, 2024, the balance of the appropriation provided
10 in Item (C) of Section 10 of Act 231 of 2023, for renovation of the police
11 station, in a sum not to exceed\$1,000,000.

12 (D) Effective July 1, 2024, the balance of the appropriation provided
13 in Item (D) of Section 10 of Act 231 of 2023, for campus security fencing, in
14 a sum not to exceed\$500,000.

15 (E) Effective July 1, 2024, the balance of the appropriation provided
16 in Item (E) of Section 10 of Act 231 of 2023, for renovation of restrooms, in
17 a sum not to exceed\$500,000.

18 (F) Effective July 1, 2024, the balance of the appropriation provided
19 in Item (F) of Section 10 of Act 231 of 2023, for domestic water upgrades, in
20 a sum not to exceed\$500,000.

21 (G) Effective July 1, 2024, the balance of the appropriation provided
22 in Item (G) of Section 10 of Act 231 of 2023, for elevator upgrades and
23 modernization, in a sum not to exceed\$500,000.

24 (H) Effective July 1, 2024, the balance of the appropriation provided
25 in Item (H) of Section 10 of Act 231 of 2023, for critical maintenance, in a
26 sum not to exceed\$490,000.

27 (I) Effective July 1, 2024, the balance of the appropriation provided
28 in Item (I) of Section 10 of Act 231 of 2023, for deferred maintenance, in a
29 sum not to exceed\$1,630,000.

30 (J) Effective July 1, 2024, the balance of the appropriation provided
31 in Item (J) of Section 10 of Act 231 of 2023, for the purchase, replacement,
32 and renewal of equipment and library holdings, in a sum not to exceed
33\$373,244.

34 (K) Effective July 1, 2024, the balance of the appropriation provided
35 in Item (G) of Section 22 of Act 221 of 2023, for matching funds for the 1890
36 Research and Extension Programs, in a sum not to exceed\$144,000.

1 (L) Effective July 1, 2024, the balance of the appropriation provided
2 in Item (H) of Section 22 of Act 221 of 2023, for matching funds for the 1890
3 Research and Extension Programs, in a sum not to exceed\$700,000.
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5 SECTION 25. REAPPROPRIATION - UNIVERSITY OF ARKANSAS AT PINE BLUFF -
6 BELL TOWER RESTORATION AND REPAIRS. There is hereby appropriated, to the
7 University of Arkansas at Pine Bluff, to be payable from the Arkansas Natural
8 and Cultural Resources Grant and Trust Fund, for the University of Arkansas
9 at Pine Bluff the following:

10 (A) Effective July 1, 2024, the balance of the appropriation provided
11 in Section 25 of Act 479 of 2023, for the acquisition, management,
12 stewardship, or preservation of state owned lands, historic sites, buildings,
13 structures, or objects, in a sum not to exceed\$190,000.
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15 SECTION 26. REAPPROPRIATION - UNIVERSITY OF CENTRAL ARKANSAS. There is
16 hereby appropriated, to the University of Central Arkansas, to be payable
17 from the Development and Enhancement Fund, for the University of Central
18 Arkansas the following:

19 (A) Effective July 1, 2024, the balance of the appropriation provided
20 in Item (A) of Section 11 of Act 231 of 2023, for renovation/replacement of
21 the Lewis Science Center, in a sum not to exceed\$3,000,000.

22 (B) Effective July 1, 2024, the balance of the appropriation provided
23 in Item (B) of Section 11 of Act 231 of 2023, for renovation of Mashburn
24 Hall, in a sum not to exceed\$3,000,000.

25 (C) Effective July 1, 2024, the balance of the appropriation provided
26 in Item (C) of Section 11 of Act 231 of 2023, for renovation of Old Main, in
27 a sum not to exceed\$3,000,000.

28 (D) Effective July 1, 2024, the balance of the appropriation provided
29 in Item (D) of Section 11 of Act 231 of 2023, for critical maintenance, in a
30 sum not to exceed\$1,080,000.

31 (E) Effective July 1, 2024, the balance of the appropriation provided
32 in Item (E) of Section 11 of Act 231 of 2023, for deferred maintenance, in a
33 sum not to exceed\$3,890,000.

34 (F) Effective July 1, 2024, the balance of the appropriation provided
35 in Item (F) of Section 11 of Act 231 of 2023, for the purchase, replacement,
36 and renewal of equipment and library holdings, in a sum not to exceed

1\$1,977,174.

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3 SECTION 27. DISBURSEMENT CONTROLS. (A) No contract may be awarded nor
4 obligations otherwise incurred in relation to the project or projects
5 described herein in excess of the State Treasury funds actually available
6 therefor as provided by law. Provided, however, that institutions and
7 agencies listed herein shall have the authority to accept and use grants and
8 donations including Federal funds, and to use its unobligated cash income or
9 funds, or both available to it, for the purpose of supplementing the State
10 Treasury funds for financing the entire costs of the project or projects
11 enumerated herein. Provided further, that the appropriations and funds
12 otherwise provided by the General Assembly for Maintenance and General
13 Operations of the agency or institutions receiving appropriation herein shall
14 not be used for any of the purposes as appropriated in this act.

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

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

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32 SECTION 29. EMERGENCY CLAUSE. It is found and determined by the
33 General Assembly, that the Constitution of the State of Arkansas prohibits
34 the appropriation of funds for more than a one (1) year period; that the
35 effectiveness of this Act on July 1, 2024 is essential to the operation of
36 the agency for which the appropriations in this Act are provided, and that in

1 the event of an extension of the legislative session, the delay in the
2 effective date of this Act beyond July 1, 2024 could work irreparable harm
3 upon the proper administration and provision of essential governmental
4 programs. Therefore, an emergency is hereby declared to exist and this Act
5 being necessary for the immediate preservation of the public peace, health
6 and safety shall be in full force and effect from and after July 1, 2024.

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