

Stricken language would be deleted from and underlined language would be added to the law as it existed prior to this session of the General Assembly.

1 State of Arkansas  
2 87th General Assembly  
3 Regular Session, 2009  
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5 By: Representative Hall  
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# A Bill

HOUSE BILL 1795

## For An Act To Be Entitled

9 AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION FOR GRANTS FOR  
10 ANIMAL RESCUE OR SHELTERS FOR THE DEPARTMENT OF  
11 RURAL SERVICES FOR THE FISCAL YEAR ENDING JUNE  
12 30, 2010; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

## Subtitle

16 AN ACT FOR THE DEPARTMENT OF RURAL  
17 SERVICES - GRANTS FOR ANIMAL RESCUE OR  
18 SHELTERS APPROPRIATION FOR THE 2009-2010  
19 FISCAL YEAR.

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

24 SECTION 1. APPROPRIATION - ANIMAL RESCUE/SHELTERS. There is hereby  
25 appropriated, to the Department of Rural Services, to be payable from the  
26 Animal Rescue and Shelter Trust Fund, for providing grants to counties or  
27 municipalities for infrastructure, construction, renovation, personal  
28 services and maintenance and operations for animal rescues or animal shelters  
29 for the fiscal year ending June 30, 2010, the following:

ITEM	FISCAL YEAR
<u>NO.</u>	<u>2009-2010</u>
(01) ANIMAL RESCUE/SHELTERS	
GRANTS/AID	<u>\$ 100,000</u>

36 SECTION 2. COMPLIANCE WITH OTHER LAWS. Disbursement of funds authorized



1 by this act shall be limited to the appropriation for such agency and funds  
2 made available by law for the support of such appropriations; and the  
3 restrictions of the State Procurement Law, the General Accounting and  
4 Budgetary Procedures Law, the Revenue Stabilization Law, the Regular Salary  
5 Procedures and Restrictions Act, or their successors, and other fiscal  
6 control laws of this State, where applicable, and regulations promulgated by  
7 the Department of Finance and Administration, as authorized by law, shall be  
8 strictly complied with in disbursement of said funds.

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10 SECTION 3. LEGISLATIVE INTENT. It is the intent of the General Assembly  
11 that any funds disbursed under the authority of the appropriations contained  
12 in this act shall be in compliance with the stated reasons for which this act  
13 was adopted, as evidenced by the Agency Requests, Executive Recommendations  
14 and Legislative Recommendations contained in the budget manuals prepared by  
15 the Department of Finance and Administration, letters, or summarized oral  
16 testimony in the official minutes of the Arkansas Legislative Council or  
17 Joint Budget Committee which relate to its passage and adoption.

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19 SECTION 4. EMERGENCY CLAUSE. It is found and determined by the General  
20 Assembly, that the Constitution of the State of Arkansas prohibits the  
21 appropriation of funds for more than a one (1) year period; that the  
22 effectiveness of this Act on July 1, 2009 is essential to the operation of  
23 the agency for which the appropriations in this Act are provided, and that in  
24 the event of an extension of the Regular Session, the delay in the effective  
25 date of this Act beyond July 1, 2009 could work irreparable harm upon the  
26 proper administration and provision of essential governmental programs.  
27 Therefore, an emergency is hereby declared to exist and this Act being  
28 necessary for the immediate preservation of the public peace, health and  
29 safety shall be in full force and effect from and after July 1, 2009.