

**Hall of the House of Representatives**  
86th General Assembly - Regular Session, 2007  
**Amendment Form**

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**Subtitle of House Bill No. 2206**

"AN ACT FOR THE DEPARTMENT OF FINANCE AND ADMINISTRATION -  
DISBURSING OFFICER - OUACHITA, NEVADA AND COLUMBIA COUNTIES PROJECTS  
GENERAL IMPROVEMENT APPROPRIATION."

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**Amendment No. 1 to House Bill No. 2206.**

Amend House Bill No. 2206 as originally introduced:

Page 1, delete lines 10 and 11 in their entirety and substitute "OF RURAL SERVICES FOR STATE ASSISTANCE AND GRANTS TO FIRE DEPARTMENTS, PARKS, VARIOUS CITY PROJECTS, AND LIBRARIES;"

And

Page 1, line 12, delete "COUNTIES PROJECTS;"

And

Page 1, line 16, delete "FINANCE" and substitute "RURAL SERVICES - "

And

Page 1, delete lines 17 and 18 in their entirety and substitute "STATE ASSISTANCE AND GRANTS - "

And

Page 1, line 19, delete "PROJECTS"

And

Page 1, line 26, delete "Finance and" and substitute "Rural Services,"

And

Page 1, line 27, delete "Administration - Disbursing Officer,"



And

Page 1, delete lines 29 and 30 in their entirety and substitute the following:

- " (A) For grants to fire departments, the sum of .....\$50,000.
- (B) For state assistance for parks, the sum of .....\$100,000.
- (C) For state assistance for various city projects, the sum of .....\$100,000.
- (D) For state assistance to public libraries, the sum of .....\$50,000."

And

Add a new section immediately following SECTION 1 to read as follows:

" SECTION 2. SPECIAL LANGUAGE. NOT TO BE INCORPORATED INTO THE ARKANSAS CODE NOR PUBLISHED SEPARATELY AS SPECIAL, LOCAL AND TEMPORARY LAW. GRANTS. The grants authorized in Section 1 of this act shall not be restricted by local population limitations, dollar amount limitations, or dollar matching requirements that may be applicable to other grant programs currently administered by the Department of Rural Services. The Department of Rural Services may adopt rules and regulations to carry out the intent of the General Assembly regarding the grant appropriations authorized in Section 1 of this Act.

The provisions of this section shall be in effect only from July 1, 2007 through June 30, 2009."

And

Appropriately renumber subsequent sections of the bill.

The Amendment was read \_\_\_\_\_  
 By: Representative Hardy  
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 Chief Clerk