#### 0930 – DEPARTMENT OF ENERGY AND ENVIRONMENT DIVISION OF ENVIRONMENTAL QUALITY FISCAL YEAR 2024 AS ENACTED BY ACT 570 OF 2023

The Arkansas Department of Environmental Quality is responsible for implementing the state's environmental laws and regulations as established by the legislature and the Arkansas Pollution Control and Ecology Commission.

# TOTAL APPROPRIATION

Appropriation		2021-2023	2022-2024	
Appropriation		Authorized	Legislative	
40 Appropriation S	40 Appropriation Sections including Shared Services			
Total		\$163,968,212	\$166,797,454	

## **FUNDING SOURCES**

		2021-2022	
Funding Sources		Actual	%
Fund Balance	4000005	\$56,402,781	29.70
General Revenue	4000010	\$4,045,277	2.13
Federal Revenue	4000020	\$50,674,834	26.69
Special Revenue	4000030	\$29,938,864	15.77
Cash Fund	4000045	\$747,088	0.39
Performance Fund	4000055	\$0	0.00
Fees	4000245	\$9,262,843	4.88
Interest	4000300	\$171,879	0.09
Investments	4000315	\$44,393,187	23.38
Inter-agency Fund Transfer	4000316	(\$394,330)	-0.21
Intra-agency Fund Transfer	4000317	\$274,999	0.14
M & R Sales	4000340	\$256 <i>,</i> 699	0.14
Miscellaneous Adjustments	4000345	\$10,744	0.01
Other	4000370	\$491,980	0.26
Unfunded Appropriation	4000715	\$0	0.00
Shared Services Transfer	4000760	(\$6,386,419)	-3.36
Total Funds	\$189,890,426	100.00	
Excess Appropriation/(Fund	ing)	(\$107,799,203)	
Grand Total		\$82,091,223	

#### **CHANGE LEVEL REQUESTS**

#### **ADEQ - State Operations (Appropriation 2TP)**

Commitment Item		2022-2023	2023	3-2024
		Authorized	Legislative	Change Level
5010000	Regular Salaries	\$1,747,299	\$2,326,305	\$579,006
5010003	Personal Services Matching	\$587 <i>,</i> 349	\$789 <i>,</i> 647	\$202,298
5020002	Operating Expenses	\$353,183	\$403,183	\$50,000
5060010	Professional Fees	\$4,100	\$79,100	\$75,000
Total		\$2,691,931	\$3,598,235	\$906,304

 Regular Salaries and Personal Services Matching increased due to a transfer of 10 positions from shared services

• **Operating Expenses** and **Professional Fees** increased from a reallocation from other appropriation sections

#### ADEQ - Federal Operations (Appropriation 2TQ)

Commitment Item		2022-2023	2023	3-2024
		Authorized	Legislative	Change Level
5010000	Regular Salaries	\$3,528,120	\$4,843,694	\$1,315,574
5010003	Personal Services Matching	\$1,223,445	\$1,754,748	\$531,303
5020002	Operating Expenses	\$1,083,180	\$1,183,180	\$100,000
5060010	Professional Fees	\$484,401	\$584,401	\$100,000
Total		\$6,319,146	\$8,366,023	\$2,046,877

• **Regular Salaries** and **Personal Services Matching** increased due to salary and match adjustments continuing into the new biennium

• Operating Expenses and Professional Fees increased from a reallocation from other appropriation sections

#### Waste Water Licensing (Appropriation 2TR)

	Commitment Item		202	3-2024
			Legislative	Change Level
5010000	Regular Salaries	\$62,742	\$90,742	\$28,000
5010003	Personal Services Matching	\$21,489	\$44,448	\$22,959
5020002	Operating Expenses	\$26,721	\$76,721	\$50,000
5060010	Professional Fees	\$50 <i>,</i> 000	\$100,000	\$50,000
Total		\$160,952	\$311,911	\$150,959

• **Regular Salaries** and **Personal Services Matching** increased due to salary and match adjustments continuing into the new biennium

• Operating Expenses and Professional Fees increased from a reallocation from other appropriation sections

## Hazardous Waste Permit Program (Appropriation 2TT)

Commitment Item		2022-2023	2023	3-2024
		Authorized	Legislative	Change Level
5010000	Regular Salaries	\$706,120	\$882 <i>,</i> 443	\$176,323
5010003	Personal Services Matching	\$236,422	\$326,196	\$89,774
5020002	Operating Expenses	\$141,544	\$191,544	\$50,000
5060010	Professional Fees	\$47,150	\$97,150	\$50,000
Total		\$1,131,236	\$1,497,333	\$366,097

• **Regular Salaries** and **Personal Services Matching** increased due to salary and match adjustments continuing into the new biennium and reallocations from other appropriation sections

• Operating Expenses and Professional Fees increased from a reallocation from other appropriation sections

#### Fee Administration (Appropriation 2TX)

	Commitment Item		2023	-2024
communent item		Authorized	Legislative	Change Level
5010000	Regular Salaries	\$6,954,724	\$8,092,617	\$1,137,893
5010003	Personal Services Matching	\$2,370,040	\$2,944,455	\$574,415
5020002	Operating Expenses	\$2,290,941	\$2,390,941	\$100,000
5060010	Professional Fees	\$500 <i>,</i> 000	\$600,000	\$100,000
Total		\$12,115,705	\$14,028,013	\$1,912,308

• **Regular Salaries** and **Personal Services Matching** increased due to transfer of positions from Shared Services and salary and match adjustments continuing into the new biennium

• **Operating Expenses** and **Professional Fees** increased from a reallocation from other appropriation sections

## Solid Waste Performance Bonds (Appropriation 2TY)

Commitment Item		2022-2023	2023-2024	
		Authorized	Legislative	Change Level
5900043	Solid Waste Performance Bonds Contract	\$3,000,000	\$2,000,000	(\$1,000,000)
Total		\$3,000,000	\$2,000,000	(\$1,000,000)

Solid Waste Performance Bonds Contracts decreased to reallocate appropriation to other sections Regular

## Asbestos Control Program (Appropriation 2UB)

Commitment Item		2022-2023	202	3-2024
		Authorized	Legislative	Change Level
5010003	Personal Services Matching	\$73 <i>,</i> 566	\$74,147	\$581

5020002	Operating Expenses	\$29,452	\$54,452	\$25,000
5060010	Professional Fees	\$2,100	\$27,100	\$25,000
Total		\$105,118	\$155,699	\$50,581

- Personal Services Matching increased due to salary and match adjustments continuing into the new biennium
- **Operating Expenses** and **Professional Fees** increased from a reallocation from other appropriation sections

## Solid Waste Mgmt/Recycling Prog (Appropriation 2UC)

	Commitment Item		2023	3-2024
communent item		Authorized	Legislative	Change Level
5010000	Regular Salaries	\$593 <i>,</i> 488	\$669 <i>,</i> 379	\$75 <i>,</i> 891
5010003	Personal Services Matching	\$201,855	\$246,689	\$44,834
5020002	Operating Expenses	\$97,179	\$172,179	\$75,000
5060010	Professional Fees	\$0	\$50,000	\$50,000
5900046	Electronic Waste Recycling Infrastructure	\$2,500,000	\$0	(\$2,500,000)
Total		\$3,392,522	\$1,138,247	(\$2,254,275)

• **Regular Salaries, Personal Services Matching, Operating Expenses, Professional Fees** increased due to a reallocation from the Electronic Waste Recycling Infrastructure line item salary and match adjustments continuing into the new biennium

• **Electronic Waste Recycling Infrastructure** decreased to reallocate to other line items in this appropriation section and to transfer spending authority to other appropriation sections.

## **Reg. Substance Storage Tank (Appropriation 2UD)**

Commitment Item		2022-2023	2023	3-2024
		Authorized	Legislative	Change Level
5010000	Regular Salaries	\$732,409	\$864,255	\$131,846
5010003	Personal Services Matching	\$262,597	\$322,799	\$60,202
5020002	Operating Expenses	\$71,128	\$121,128	\$50,000
5060010	Professional Fees	\$0	\$50,000	\$50,000
Total		\$1,066,134	\$1,358,182	\$292,048

• **Regular Salaries** and **Personal Services Matching** increased due to salary and match adjustments continuing into the new biennium

• Operating Expenses and Professional Fees increased from a reallocation from other appropriation sections

#### Landfill Post Closure Program (Appropriation 2UG)

Commitment Item		2022-2023	2023-2024	
		Authorized	Legislative	Change Level
5010000	Regular Salaries	\$213,630	\$228,880	\$15,250

5010003	Personal Services Matching	\$71,419	\$80,934	\$9,515
Total		\$285 <i>,</i> 049	\$309,814	\$24,765

• **Regular Salaries** and **Personal Services Matching** increased due to salary and match adjustments continuing into the new biennium

#### PCE Comm Admn Hearing Officer (Appropriation 344)

Commitment Item		2022-2023	2023-2024	
		Authorized	Legislative	Change Level
5010000	Regular Salaries	\$164,847	\$181,184	\$16,337
5010003	Personal Services Matching	\$47,777	\$54,527	\$6,750
Total		\$212,624	\$235,711	\$23,087

 Regular Salaries and Personal Services Matching increased due to salary and match adjustments continuing into the new biennium

#### State Energy Plan - Federal (Appropriation V91)

Commitment Item		2022-2023	2023-2024	
		Authorized	Legislative	Change Level
5010003	Personal Services Matching	\$75 <i>,</i> 447	\$80,475	\$5,028
Total		\$75 <i>,</i> 447	\$80,475	\$5 <i>,</i> 028

• Personal Services Matching increased due to salary and match adjustments continuing into the new biennium

# Federal Operations (Appropriation V92)

Commitment Item		2022-2023	2023-2024	
		Authorized	Legislative	Change Level
5010000	Regular Salaries	\$411,570	\$629,344	\$217,774
5010003	Personal Services Matching	\$148,351	\$236,040	\$87,689
Total		\$559,921	\$865,384	\$305,463

• **Regular Salaries** and **Personal Services Matching** increased due to salary and match adjustments continuing into the new biennium

## POSITIONS

Total Authorized Positions FY2024: 417 Total Authorized Positions FY2023: 430 Increase / (Decrease): (13) Extra Help Positions FY2022: 70

## SPECIAL LANGUAGE REVISIONS

**Equipment Purchase Restrictions.** Changes "shall" to "may" on restrictions of equipment purchases and adds a limit on the interest on the fund that can be used to make purchases.

**Fund Transfer Provision**. New language allows transfers to not be considered as part of any statutory limitation.

Non Hazardous Site Clean Up Restriction. Language to be codified.

Landfill Post Closure Trust Fund. Language to be codified

**Investments.** Language to be codified.