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Senator Terry Rice, Co-Chair  
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Arkansas Legislative Council  
State Capitol Building  
Little Rock, AR 72201

RE: Supplemental Item

Dear Co-Chairs:

I respectfully request suspension of the rules by the committee for review of the enclosed request from the Department of Agriculture. The item was received after the deadline for submission to your Performance Evaluation and Expenditure Review Committee, but we are requesting inclusion in this month's review.

Sincerely,

James L. Hudson  
Secretary



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RE: FY 24 American Rescue Plan Act Request

Dear Co-Chairs:

Pursuant to Section 36 (02) of Act 796 of 2023, I am forwarding the attached American Rescue Plan Act request(s) that have received my approval as Chief Fiscal Officer of the State.

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| 1. Department of Agriculture - City of Wynne - Infrastructure Recovery | \$7,000,000 |
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Secretary

Attachment(s)

**AMERICAN RESCUE PLAN ACT OF 2021 PROGRAM APPROPRIATION  
AND PERSONNEL AUTHORIZATION REQUEST  
SECTION 36 OF ACT 796 OF 2023**

Agency: Arkansas Department of Agriculture Business Area Code: 9901

Program Title: American Rescue Plan Act 2021, Water Related Projects, Wastewater and Stormwater Projects, Irrigation Projects

Granting Organization: 117th Congress of the United States CFDA #: 12.027

Effective Date of Authorization: Beginning: 7/1/2023 Ending: 6/30/2024

Purpose of Grant / Reason for addition or change (include attachments as necessary to provide thorough information):  
Water, Wastewater, and Stormwater Projects  
The requested funding of \$7,000,000 is to be used for the City of Wynne's infrastructure recovery for damages from the March 31, 2023 tornado. In addition to this ARPA funding, the City of Wynne is expecting funding from other sources to include insurance claim monies, FEMA, and their own savings. In a case where the City of Wynne receives funding in excess of the total restoration cost from sources other than the state, the \$7,000,000 ARPA funding will be reclaimed by the Department.

**American Rescue Plan Act Program Funding**

Func. Area: COMM Fund Code: FRP9901 Direct Funding: \_\_\_\_\_  
Funds Center: AZ1 Internal Order/WBS Element: \_\_\_\_\_ State: X  
Continuation: \_\_\_\_\_

|  | Program Funding Amount |
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| Regular Salaries                       |                        |
| Extra Help                             |                        |
| Personal Services Matching             |                        |
| Operating Expenses                     |                        |
| Conference & Travel Expenses           |                        |
| Professional Fees                      |                        |
| Capital Outlay                         |                        |
| Data Processing                        |                        |
| Grants and Aid (CI: 04) (Sub FC: AZ1E) | 7,000,000              |
| Other:                                 |                        |
| Other:                                 |                        |
| Total                                  | \$ 7,000,000           |


Anticipated Duration of Federal Funds: 12/31/2026

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| <b>DFA IGS State Technology Planning</b>  | <b>Date</b> |
| Items requested for information technology must be in compliance with Technology Plans as submitted to DFA IGS State Technology Planning. |             |

**Positions to be established: (list each position separately)** \* unclassified positions only

| Org Unit | Pers Area | Pers SubArea | Cost Center | Position Number | Cmnt Item | Position Title | Class Code | Grade | Line Item Maximum * |
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**State funds will not be used to replace federal funds when such funds expire, unless appropriated by the General Assembly and authorized by the Governor.**

Approved by:  3-15-24 Robert Brech 3/15/2024  
Cabinet Secretary/Agency Director Date Office of Budget Date Office of Personnel Mgmt Date  
Dev Sec

jmoore 3/15/2024