

**REPORT OF THE
HIGHER EDUCATION SUBCOMMITTEE
OF THE
ARKANSAS LEGISLATIVE COUNCIL**

May 20, 2022

Senator Rice and Representative Wardlaw, Co-Chairs:

The Higher Education Subcommittee met on Thursday, May 19, 2022, at 9:00 a.m. in Room MAC A. The Subcommittee heard testimony from Arkansas State University regarding the following items:

1. Engineering Biomolecules in Plant Cells for Biomedical and Industrial Applications
2. Use of Waste Materials in Highway Construction – Challenges and Economical Opportunities
3. Collaborative Opportunities for Materials and Manufacturing Research

Respectfully submitted by Representative David Whitaker and Senator Jane English