

PROFESSIONAL SERVICE CONTRACTS

\$5-\$25k Report - October 2011

Agency #	Agency Name	Contract #	Vendor Name	Total Amount	Contract Start	Contract End	Method	Purpose of Contract	Contact	Phone	Submitted
9	Division of Legislative Audit	4501190283	CroweHorwath, LLP	\$ 24,876.00	11/1/2011	3/31/2012	RFQ	To perform financial audits of the Division of Legislative Audit for Fiscal Years 2010 and 2011.	Ronnie Ridgell	(501) 683-8600	9/20/2011
710	DHS/DDS	4600022555	Hayes and Wesel Independent Solutions dba H&W Independent Solutions	\$ 16,946.00	9/13/2011	6/30/2012	CB	To provide consultation and training to facility staff in a time and manner acceptable to DDS to develop and maintain self-monitoring tools and processes. Service coverage Statewide.	Brenda Tenner	(501) 661-2441	9/8/2011
710	DHS/DDS	4600022556	Hayes and Wesel Independent Solutions dba Independent Solutions	\$ 16,946.00	12/6/2011	6/30/2012	CB	To provide consultation and training to facility staff in a time and manner acceptable to DDS to develop and maintain self-monitoring tools and processes. Service coverage Statewide.	Brenda Tenner	(501) 661-2441	9/14/2011
400	AAD-Forestry Commission	4600022628	Easley, Cory	\$ 7,560.00	9/8/2011	6/30/2012	RFQ	Provide technical assistance in the area of writing forest stewardship management plans as required to meet the needs of landowners who enroll in the forest stewardship program.	Bill Chaney	(501) 296-1862	9/8/2011
400	AAD-Land Survey	4600022648	Reynolds, Randy, Dale	\$ 12,000.00	9/6/2011	6/30/2012	RFQ	To restore original General Land Office (GLO) corners as authorized by the Arkansas State Land Surveyors Office and to prepare required records and submit these records to the Office of the Arkansas Department of Agriculture, Land Survey Division for approval and recording.	Ben Kittler, Jr	(501) 683-1668	9/8/2011
710	Department of Human Services	710DD12088	My House, Inc.	\$ 8,146.00	10/1/2011	6/30/2012	EBL	To provide \$3,882.00 in State General revenue funding and \$4,264.00 in Federal Title XX funding for community based services for persons with developmental disabilities for FY 12.	Marcia Dobbins	(501) 354-2418	9/21/2011
115	Southern Arkansas University Tech	RA121150002	Premier Speakers Bureau	\$ 14,500.00	10/3/2011	3/12/2012	SS	Annual Distinguished Speakers Event	Keisha Robinson	(870) 574-4515	9/1/2011

MONTHLY REPORT OF FEDERAL GRANT APPLICATIONS BY STATE AGENCIES, BOARDS AND COMMISSIONS FOR THE MONTH OF SEPTEMBER 2011

ARKANSAS DEPARTMENT OF FINANCE & ADMINISTRATION - OFFICE OF INTERGOVERNMENTAL SERVICES  
STATE CLEARINGHOUSE 2011

Item #	Date of Application	State Agency	Project Description	Area of Impact	Federal Funding Agency	Funding Amounts	
(1)	08/22/2011	Arkansas Game and Fish Commission	Acres for Wildlife W-69-37 – To increase the availability of wildlife habitat on private lands through the provision of wildlife management information and services, including seed to plant 500 acres in native warm season grass	Statewide	U.S. Department of Interior, Fish and Wildlife Service	Federal Applicant	\$68,000.00 \$22,667.00
						State Other	
						Total	\$90,667.00
(2)	08/22/2011	Arkansas Game and Fish Commission	FY 2011 Section 6 Projects – To fulfill monitoring requirements of the recovery plans for the Indiana bat, Ozark big-eared bat, and Gray bat. Conduct surveys of summer and winter populations of endangered bats to determine population trends	Multiple Locations in AR	U.S. Department of Interior, Fish and Wildlife Service	Federal Applicant	\$157,216.00 \$52,406.00
						State Other	
						Total	\$209,622.00
(3)	08/22/2011	Arkansas Game and Fish Commission	Hunter Safety W-1-41 Section 4 Hunter Education	Statewide	U.S. Department of Interior, Fish and Wildlife Service	Federal Applicant	\$567,388.00 \$189,129.00
						State Other	\$67,000.00
						Total	\$823,517.00
(4)	08/22/2011	Arkansas Game and Fish Commission	Statewide WMA Maintenance, Operations and Habitat Management (W-64-43) – The Commission will maintain and operate buildings, structures and other infrastructure on 119 WMAs encompassing 2,863,294 acres to provide public hunting opportunities and other outdoor oriented recreation.	Statewide	U.S. Department of Interior, Fish and Wildlife Service	Federal Applicant	\$4,684,560.00 \$1,561,520.00
						State Other	\$450,000.00
						Total	\$6,696,080.00
(5)	08/22/2011	Arkansas Game and Fish Commission	Statewide Research and Monitoring – To effectively manage wildlife populations, the Commission developed and continues to implement research, monitoring and surveys on native and migratory species to collect the best available biological data on native and migratory species. The data obtained is used by the Commission to make adaptive regulations on bag limits, season dates and harvest methods. Over 390,000 licensed individuals spend nearly 8 million days hunting in Arkansas annually. Therefore, statewide research and monitoring is critical to conservation of wildlife species.	Statewide	U.S. Department of Interior, Fish and Wildlife Service	Federal Applicant	\$1,125,000.00 \$375,000.00
						State Other	
						Total	\$1,500,000.00

(6)	08/22/2011	Arkansas Game and Fish Commission	Deer Management Technical Assistance – To improve deep populations, the Commission will provide support to approximately 830 landowners and hunting clubs enrolled in the Deer Management Assistance Program (DMAP) with nearly 1,425,550 acres enrolled. The annual deer harvest reported by the DMAP cooperators in 2010 was 10,248 deer. An estimated 100 landowners and hunting clubs will be enrolled during the project period	Statewide	U.S. Department of Interior, Fish and Wildlife Service	Federal Applicant State Other Total	\$300,000.00 \$100,000.00 <hr/> \$400,000.00
(7)	08/22/2011	Arkansas Game and Fish Commission	Shooting Range Development – Access to the public skeet/trap shooting ranges in Arkansas is limited. The AR Game and Fish Commission's (Commission) shooting range system offers skeet/trap shooting at three locations. The ranges are located in Northeast, Central, and Southwest Arkansas. There are no public skeet/trap ranges in other regions of the state. The lack of a convenient shooting range could be a barrier to individuals who want to participate in the shooting sports. Having convenient access to a range is especially crucial for youth who want to participate or currently participate in the Arkansas Youth Shooting Sports Program. This program is the nation's largest youth trap program with currently 5,411 youth participating.	TO BE DETERMINED	U.S. Department of Interior, Fish and Wildlife Service	Federal Applicant State Other Total	\$80,000.00 \$26,667.00 <hr/> \$106,667.00
(8)	08/23/2011	Arkansas Natural Resources Commission	The purpose of the Cooperating Technical Partners Program is to provide through a cooperative agreement, funds to ensure the CTP partners can perform program management and mapping related activities	Statewide	U.S. Environmental Protection Agency	Federal Applicant State Other Total	\$50,000.00 <hr/> \$50,000.00
(9)	08/29/2011	Arkansas Department of Community Correction/ Residential Services	RSAT/SEACCC – Supplemental funds – Provide for additional curriculum and treatment materials for the RSAT Special Needs Program for females incarcerated in the SEACCC – Southeast AR Community Correction Center	Statewide	U.S. Department of Justice/RSAT	Federal Applicant State Other Total	\$2,000.00 \$667.00 <hr/> \$2,667.00

(10)	08/31/2011	Arkansas Department of Human Services/Office of Community Services	To provide funding to the state's 16 Community Action Agencies for the provision of services and activities designed to reduce poverty, revitalize low-income communities and empower families and individuals to become self-sufficient	Statewide	U.S. Department of Health and Human Services	Federal Applicant State Other Total	\$9,171,089.00 <hr/> \$9,171,089.00
(11)	09/06/2011	Arkansas Department of Environmental Quality/Hazardous Waste Division	FY 2012-2016 Five-Year Review Block Grant	Statewide	U.S. Environmental Protection Agency	Federal Applicant State Other Total	\$175,848.00 <hr/> \$175,848.00
(12)	09/07/2011	Arkansas Natural Resources Commission/ National Dam Safety	A key objective of National Dam Safety is to reduce the risks to life and property from dam failure in the United States through the establishment and maintenance of an effective National Dam Safety Program to bring together the expertise and resources of the Federal and non Federal Communities in achieving National Dam Safety Hazard Reduction	Statewide	U.S. Department of Homeland Security-FEMA	Federal Applicant State Other Total	\$130,847.00 <hr/> \$130,847.00
(13)	09/13/2011	Department of Arkansas Heritage/Arkansas Natural Heritage Commission	Surveys for harperella ( <i>Ptilimnium nodosum</i> ), running buffalo clover ( <i>Trifolium stoloniferum</i> ), decurrent false aster ( <i>Boltonia decurrens</i> ), geocarpon ( <i>Geocarpon minimum</i> ), and Ouachita twistflower ( <i>Streptanthus squamiformis</i> ). Surveys and research will be conducted by the Arkansas Natural Heritage Commission to determine the health and status of four federally threatened or endangered plant species and one plant species of conservation concern. In addition, sites formerly occupied by geocarpon will be selected for microhabitat manipulation and restoration resulting in suitable conditions for species reestablishment or repopulation. This information will be used for habitat and recovery management purposes. The ANHC has a Cooperative Agreement with the US Fish and Wildlife Services that establishes ANHC as the agency of the state of Arkansas with responsibility for the conservation of the threatened and endangered plant species in Arkansas. This authority is recognized within Arkansas through a Memorandum of Agreement between the Arkansas Game and Fish Commission and the ANHC. The work includes harperella, running buffalo clover, decurrent false aster, geocarpon, and Ouachita twistflower	Statewide	U.S. Department of Interior, Fish and Wildlife Service	Federal Applicant State Other Total	\$32,876.00 \$10,958.00 <hr/> \$43,834.00

(14)	09/14/2011	Arkansas Natural Resources Commission/ Wetlands Program	Regional Wetlands Program Development Grants – Rapid Checklist Assessment based on Hydrogeomorphic (HGM)	Statewide	U.S. Environmental Protection Agency	Federal Applicant State Other Total	\$132,000.00 \$44,000.00 \$176,000.00
(15)	09/14/2011	Arkansas Natural Resources Commission/Water Resources Development	Regional Wetlands Program Development Grants - Rapid Checklist Assessment based on Hydrogeomorphic (HGM)	Statewide	U.S. Environmental Protection Agency	Federal Applicant State Other Total	\$63,000.00 \$21,000.00 \$84,000.00
(16)	09/15/2011	Arkansas Department of Health/Applied Epidemiology Branch	Arkansas Lead Based Paint Program. Development and Maintenance of Lead-based Paint Program for the State of Arkansas by the Arkansas Department of Health. Mandated during the 2011 Arkansas Legislative Session and effective July 1, 2011, ADH will adopt and oversee the Arkansas Lead-Based Paint-Hazard Regulation, which sets forth certification, licensing, and training requirements for those persons and firms who perform lead-based paint abatement activities and training in the state of Arkansas. This proposed EPA grant will supplement ADH's Lead-Based Paint Program. A work plan is submitted by the Arkansas Department of Health (ADH) and describes the efforts to be undertaken by the ADH Applied Epidemiology Branch in the Lead-Based Paint Program. Federal assistance under Title IV of the Toxic Substances Control Act is being requested from the United States Environmental Protection Agency (EPA) to accomplish this work plan. Activities for the implementation of the work plan will begin as soon as the funds are awarded and tasks under the work plan will continue for one year. These activities are a continuation and augmentation of the ongoing lead-based paint activities program in the state	Statewide	U.S. U.S. Environmental Protection Agency	Federal Applicant State Other Total	\$214,234.00 \$214,234.00

(17)	09/16/2011	Arkansas Department of Environmental Quality/Surface Mining and Reclamation Division	Administrative and Enforcement-Regulatory Grants. The Surface Mining and Reclamation Division (SMRD) of the Arkansas Department of Environmental Quality is cognizant of the important contributions the coal mining industry has provided to the economy of west-central Arkansas. However, while recognizing this legacy, it is also the responsibility of the SMRD to ensure that the public safety and the environment are protected from the adverse impacts associated with coal mining practices. The SMRD is the state governmental entity charged with administering the Title V regulatory program. In order to sustain a viable Title V regulatory program, sound budgetary policy compels the SMRD to establish operating estimates for forthcoming Federal fiscal years, in this case, Federal fiscal year 2012	Pulaski, Pope, Logan, Franklin, Sebastian, Johnson, Perry, Yell, Crawford and Scott Counties in AR	U.S. Office of Surface Mining	Federal Applicant State Other Total	\$148,676.00 \$148,677.00 <hr/> \$317,353.00
(18)	9/20/2011	Arkansas Game and Fish Commission	New grant application for a Boating Infrastructure grant, Tier 1 for Russellville Marina. To install a new Break Water to protect existing transit docks. Second Phase of project. Phase 1 is complete	City of Russellville, Pope County, AR	U.S. Department of Interior, Fish and Wildlife Service	Federal Applicant State Other Total	\$100,000.00  \$33,333.00 <hr/> \$133,333.00