

Arkansas Legislative Council
Performance Evaluation and Expenditure Review (PEER)
Subcommittee

Tuesday, August 23, 2022

9:00 a.m. Room A, MAC

Items Held from Previous Meeting

Items for Approval

1. Rainy Day Fund Transfer Request
Department of Commerce - Arkansas Rehabilitation Services
2. Restricted Reserve Fund Transfer Request
Department of Military - Arkansas National Guard

Item for Review

3. Cash Appropriation Request
Department of Parks, Heritage, and Tourism - Division of Heritage



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**Department of Finance
and Administration**

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July 8, 2022

Senator Jonathan Dismang, Co-Chair
Representative Michelle Gray, Co-Chair
Performance Evaluation & Expenditure Review Committee
Arkansas Legislative Council
State Capitol Building
Little Rock, AR 72201

RE: Rainy Day Fund Release Request(s)

Dear Co-Chairs:

I am forwarding for appropriate action as required by law, the attached Rainy Day Fund Release Request(s) that have received my approval as Chief Fiscal Officer of the State.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in blue ink that reads 'Larry W. Walther'.

Larry W. Walther
Cabinet Secretary

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Attachment(s)

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STATE OF ARKANSAS

ASA HUTCHINSON
GOVERNOR

June 8, 2022

Senator Terry Rice, Co-Chair
Representative Jeff Wardlaw, Co-Chair
Arkansas Legislative Council
315 State Capitol
Little Rock, AR 72201

Dear Co-Chairs:

I respectfully request approval of the Arkansas Legislative Council, as required by A.C.A. §19-5-1262 (c)(2), to transfer from the Rainy Day Fund to the following fund or fund accounts authorized by the General Assembly, the following amount:

Department of Commerce - Arkansas Rehabilitation Services

Miscellaneous Agencies Fund Account – \$750,000

This release will be used to support the World Services for the Blind in renovating their campus. The campus will be used as a group home for the blind.

I appreciate your consideration in this matter.

Sincerely,

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Asa Hutchinson

cc: Mike Preston, Secretary
Department of Commerce



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July 11, 2022

Senator Jonathan Dismang, Co-Chair
 Representative Michelle Gray, Co-Chair
 Performance Evaluation & Expenditure Review Committee
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RE: FY 23 Restricted Reserve Fund Transfer Recommendation

Dear Co-Chairs:

Pursuant to Ark. Code Ann. § 19-5-1263 and Act 226 of 2022, as Chief Fiscal Officer of the State, I am recommending the transfer of Restricted Reserve Funds from the Majority Vote Various Improvements and Projects Set-Aside of the Restricted Reserve Fund for Fiscal Year 2023 as follows:

- Department of Military – Arkansas National Guard Foundation \$5,000,000
 The mission of the National Guard Foundation is to provide charitable and education support to members of the Arkansas National Guard, their dependents and survivors, veterans, and other charitable organizations that support veteran communities in Arkansas.

Sincerely,

Larry W. Walther
 Larry W. Walther
 Cabinet Secretary

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ASA HUTCHINSON
GOVERNOR

ARKANSAS DEPARTMENT OF THE MILITARY
OFFICE OF THE ADJUTANT GENERAL
CAMP JOSEPH T. ROBINSON
NORTH LITTLE ROCK, ARKANSAS 72199-9600



KENDALL W. PENN
MAJOR GENERAL
THE ADJUTANT GENERAL

July 11, 2022

Secretary Larry W. Walther
Department of Finance and Administration
1509 West Seventh Street, Suite 401
Little Rock, AR 72203

RE: Restricted Reserve Funding Request – Department of the Military – Arkansas National Guard
Foundation, Act 189 of 2022

Dear Secretary Walther,

The Department of the Military is requesting \$5,000,000 from the Restricted Reserve Fund to support the Arkansas National Guard Foundation to assist members and families of members of the Arkansas National Guard and reserve components of the Armed Forces. The mission of the Arkansas National Guard Foundation is to provide charitable and educational support to members of the Arkansas National Guard, their dependents and survivors, veterans, and other charitable organizations that support veteran communities in Arkansas.

Please let me know if you need any additional information.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read 'Scott Stanger', with a long horizontal flourish extending to the right.

Scott Stanger
Department of the Military
Chief of Staff



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July 13, 2022

Senator Jonathan Dismang, Co-Chair
 Representative Michelle Gray, Co-Chair
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RE: FY23 Cash Appropriation Increase Request(s)

Dear Co-Chairs:

I am forwarding for appropriate action as required by law, the attached Cash Appropriation Increase Request(s) that have received my approval as Chief Fiscal Officer of the State.

Sincerely,


 Larry W. Walther
 Cabinet Secretary

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Asa Hutchinson
Governor
Stacy Hurst
Secretary

June 9, 2022

Secretary Larry W. Walther
Department of Finance and Administration
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BA: 0865
Fund Center: NEW
Fund: NEW
Commitment Item: 510:00:04
Functional Area: REC
Fund Balance: n/a
RS-EY

Re: Cash Fund Request

Dear Secretary Walther,

The Office of the Attorney General would like to donate \$250,000 to the Sultana Historical Preservation Society. The funds will be utilized for the Sultana Disaster Museum. They have requested that the Department of Parks, Heritage and Tourism handle the disbursement of the donation.

The department is requesting a new cash appropriation for the Division of Arkansas Heritage to disperse these funds.

Please contact me at 501-324-9155, or Cynthia Dunlap at 501-682-2039, cynthia.dunlap@arkansas.gov if you have any questions.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in blue ink, appearing to read "Stacy Hurst", is written over a circular stamp.

Stacy Hurst
Secretary
State Historic Preservation Officer

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cc: Cynthia Dunlap
Leslie Fiskien