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Senator Scott Flippo, Co-Chair
Representative Jeffrey Wardlaw, Co-Chair
Performance Evaluation & Expenditure Review Committee
Arkansas Legislative Council
State Capitol Building
Little Rock, AR 72201

RE: FY27 Miscellaneous Federal Grant Request(s)

Dear Co-Chairs:

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

Sincerely,

James L. Hudson
Secretary

Attachment(s)

FY27 REQUEST FOR LEGISLATIVE REVIEW
MISCELLANEOUS FEDERAL PROGRAMS ACT
(A.C.A. 19-7-101 ET. SEQ.)

New Program

	Agency	Purpose of Grant & Funding Percentages	Federal Appropriation Amount Requested	No. of Positions Requested (if any)	DFA - Chief Fiscal Officer Approve Disapprove	DFA IGS State Technology Planning Agency Request in compliance with IT Plan Certification (if applicable)
1	Arkansas Department of Agricultural - 2026 SCBGP - Farm Bill Application	The Department is requesting $432,612 for the 2026 Specialty Crop Block Program. This program provides grants to support projects that improve the competitiveness of specialty crops, which include fruits, vegetables, tree nuts, dried fruits, horticulture, and nursery crops (including floriculture).	$432,612	0	X	N/A

Funding Percentages

	Federal	State	Other	Total
FY27	100			100
FY28	100			100
FY29	100			100
FY30	100			100
FY31				0

Anticipated Duration of Federal Funds: September 29, 2029

UTILIZATION REPORT
FOR
MISCELLANEOUS FEDERAL GRANT PROGRAM APPROPRIATION
AND PERSONNEL AUTHORIZATION REQUEST
A.C.A. §19-7-101 ET SEQ.

Date: 10/2/2026 Grant ID: 10.170 Legislative Review Date:

Agency: Arkansas Department of Agriculture Program Title: Arkansas Department of Agriculture 2026 SCBGP - Farm Bill Application

Granting Organization: USDA AMS Grant #: 26SCBPAR1136

Effective Date of Authorization: Beginning: 7/1/2026 Ending: 6/30/2027

Purpose of Grant / Reason for addition or change: (include attachments as necessary to provide thorough information):
The Department is requesting $432,612 for the 2026 Specialty Crop Block Program. This program provides grants to support projects that improve the competitiveness of specialty crops, which include fruits, vegetables, tree nuts, dried fruits, horticulture, and nursery crops (including floriculture).

Project-Grant Funding

Business Area Code: 0400
Funds Center Code:
Fund Code: FFA9901000
Functional Area Code: A37F000.0400

Continuation of Existing Program:
Change in Existing Program:
New Program: **X**

	New Federal Funds	State Matching Funds	Other Matching Funds	Project Total
Regular Salaries				-
Extra Help				-
Personal Services Matching				-
Operating Expenses				-
Conference & Travel Expenses				-
Professional Fees				-
Capital Outlay				-
Data Processing				-
Grants and Aid (CI: 04)	432,612			432,612
Other:				-
Other:				-
Total	$ 432,612	$ -	$ -	$ 432,612

Funding Percentages

	Federal	State	Other	Total
FY27	100%			100%
FY28	100%			100%
FY29	100%			100%
FY30	100%			100%
FY31				0%

Type of Federal Grant

WIOA
Non-WIOA X

Anticipated Duration of Federal Funds: 09/30/2026-09/29/2029

State Technology Planning **Date**
Items requested for information technology must be in compliance with Technology Plans as submitted.

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 *

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:

Agency Secretary/Director 10/12/2026 Date

Jessica Moore 11/6/2026
Office of Budget Date

Office of Personnel Mgmt Date

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FY27 REQUEST FOR LEGISLATIVE REVIEW
MISCELLANEOUS FEDERAL PROGRAMS ACT
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New Program

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2	Department of Public Safety - FY22 sexual Assault Kit Initiative	The purpose of the FFY 2022 National Sexual Assault Kit Initiative (SAKI) grant is to assist with the collection of lawfully owed DNA, particularly from sex offenders and persons with felony sex offense arrests and/or convictions who have yet to submit their DNA for entry into CODIS. Funds from the SAKI grant will be used to outsource sexual assault kit testing. Appropriation will be blocked down in other items to offset this request.	$177,815	0	X	N/A

Funding Percentages

	Federal	State	Other	Total
FY27	100			100
FY28				0
FY29				0
FY30				0
FY31				0

Anticipated Duration of Federal Funds: September 30, 2026

UTILIZATION REPORT
FOR
MISCELLANEOUS FEDERAL GRANT PROGRAM APPROPRIATION
AND PERSONNEL AUTHORIZATION REQUEST
A.C.A. §19-7-101 ET SEQ.

Date: 10/1/2026 Grant ID: SAKI 22 Legislative Review Date: _____

Agency: Department of Public Safety Program Title: FY 22 Sexual Assault Kit Initiative

Granting Organization: Bureau of Justice Assistance Grant: 15PBJA-22-GG-03847-SAKI

Effective Date of Authorization: Beginning: 7/1/2026 Ending: 6/30/2027

Purpose of Grant / Reason for addition or change: (include attachments as necessary to provide thorough information):
The purpose of the FFY 2022 National Sexual Assault Kit Initiative (SAKI) grant is to assist with the collection of lawfully owed DNA, particularly from sex offenders and persons with felony sex offense arrests and/or convictions who have yet to submit their DNA for entry into CODIS. Funds from the SAKI grant will be used to outsource sexual assault kit testing. Appropriation will be blocked down in other commitment items to offset this request.

Project-Grant Funding

Business Area Code: 9913
Funds Center Code: ACB4000.9913
Fund Code: FSF0000000
Functional Area Code: SFTY

Continuation of Existing Program: _____
Change in Existing Program: _____
New Program: x

	New Federal Funds	State Matching Funds	Other Matching Funds	Project Total
Regular Salaries				-
Extra Help				-
Personal Services Matching				-
Operating Expenses				-
Conference & Travel Expenses				-
Professional Fees	177,815			177,815
Capital Outlay				-
Data Processing				-
Grants and Aid (CI: 04)				-
Other:				-
Other:				-
Total	$ 177,815	$ -	$ -	$ 177,815

Funding Percentages

	Federal	State	Other	Total
FY27	100%			100%
FY28				0%
FY29				0%
FY30				0%
FY31				0%

Type of Federal Grant

WIOA _____
Non-WIOA X

Anticipated Duration of Federal Funds: 9/30/2026

State Technology Planning **Date**

Items requested for information technology must be in compliance with Technology Plans as submitted.

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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Approved by:

Col. Mark A. Hyatt #275 10/2/26
Agency Secretary/Director Date

Jessica Moore 11/06/26
Office of Budget Date

Office of Personnel Mgmt Date

dy 10/13/2026

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