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August 6, 2021

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: FY22 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,

A handwritten signature in cursive script that reads "Larry W. Walther".

Larry W. Walther  
Cabinet Secretary

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Attachment(s)

FY22 REQUEST FOR LEGISLATIVE REVIEW  
 MISCELLANEOUS FEDERAL PROGRAMS ACT  
 (A.C.A. 19-7-101 ET. SEQ.)

CHANGE IN EXISTING PROGRAM

<u>Agency</u>	<u>Purpose of Grant &amp; Funding Percentages</u>	<u>Federal Appropriation Amount Requested</u>	<u>No. of Positions Requested (if any)</u>	<u>DFA - Chief Fiscal Officer</u>		<u>DFA IGS State Technology Planning Agency Request in compliance with IT Plan Certification (if applicable)</u>
				<u>Approve</u>	<u>Disapprove</u>	
1. Department of Agriculture- Specialty Crop Block Grant Program	The purpose of the Specialty Crop Block Grant Program (SCBGP) is to enhance the competitiveness of specialty crops in the State of Arkansas. Specialty crops are defined as "fruits, vegetables, tree nuts, dried fruits, horticulture, and nursery crops (including floriculture)." The program is requesting a pool position and appropriation that will assist in accomplishing the goals of the program by being able to provide technical assistance and support, in person visits, and coordinate meetings. The position will also work closely with Arkansas Schools, early childhood programs, juvenile detention centers, residential childcare institutions, childcare learning facilities, and Farms to assist in procuring local farm and food products for school meals and snacks throughout the state.	\$67,645	1	X		N/A
		Funding Percentages				
			Federal	State	Other	Total
		FY22	100	0	0	100
		FY23	0	0	0	0
		FY24	0	0	0	0
		FY25	0	0	0	0
		FY26	0	0	0	0

Anticipated Duration of Federal Funds: September 29, 2022

**UTILIZATION REPORT  
FOR  
MISCELLANEOUS FEDERAL GRANT PROGRAM APPROPRIATION  
AND PERSONNEL AUTHORIZATION REQUEST  
A.C.A. §19-7-501 ET SEQ.**

Date: 06/15/2021 Grant ID 10.170 Legislative Review Date: \_\_\_\_\_

Agency: Arkansas Department of Agriculture Program Title: Specialty Crop Block Grant Program

Granting Organization: USDA Grant #: AM190100XXXXG015

Effective Date of Authorization: Beginning: 09/30/2019 Ending: 09/29/2022

Purpose of Grant / Reason for addition or change: (include attachments as necessary to provide thorough information):

The purpose of the Specialty Crop Block Grant Program (SCBGP) is to enhance the competitiveness of specialty crops in the State of Arkansas. Specialty crops are defined as "fruits, vegetables, tree nuts, dried fruits, horticulture, and nursery crops (including floriculture)." The program is requesting a pool position and appropriation that will assist in accomplishing the goals of the program by being able to provide technical assistance and support, in person visits, and coordinate meetings. The position will also work closely with Arkansas Schools, early childhood programs, juvenile detention centers, residential childcare institutions, childcare learning facilities, and Farms to assist in procuring local farm and food products for school meals and snacks throughout the state.

**Project-Grant Funding**

Business Area Code: 0400  
Funds Center Code: 37F  
Fund Code: FFA9901  
Functional Area Code: COMM

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

	New Federal Funds	State Matching Funds	Other Matching Funds	Project Total
Regular Salaries	50,222			50,222
Extra Help				
Operating Expenses				
Personal Services Matching	17,423			17,423
Conference & Travel Expense				
Professional Fees				
Capital Outlay				
Data Processing				
Grants and Aid (CI: 04)				
Other:				
<b>Total</b>	\$ 67,645	\$	\$	\$ 67,645

Add

Remove

**Funding Percentages**

**Type of Federal Grant**

	Federal	State	Other	Total
FY 21	%	%	%	%
FY 22	100 %	%	%	100 %
FY 23	%	%	%	%
FY 24	%	%	%	%
FY 25	%	%	%	%

WIA   
Non-WIA

Anticipated Duration of Federal Funds 09/29/2022

\_\_\_\_\_ Date

**DFA-Technology Planning Unit**  
Items requested for information technology must be in compliance with Technology Plans as submitted to DFA-Technology Planning Unit.

**Positions to be established: (list each position separately)**

\* unclassified positions only

Personnel Area	Position Number	Cost Center	Commitment Item	Position Title	Class Code	Grade	Line Item Maximum*
		498570	501:00:00	Grants Manager	G109C	GS09	

Add

Remove

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Approved by:

Wayne W. W. W. 7-1-2021  
Agency Director Date

Office of Budget Date  
KB 07/01/21

Kay Kuenhelt  
Office of Personnel Mgmt Date 7/7/21  
SO 7/1/21

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				<u>Approve</u>	<u>Disapprove</u>	
2. Department of Human Services - Aging, Adult, and Behavioral Health Services - APS System Training	The purpose of this grant is to incorporate custody and referral functions into the LEAPS database, for APS investigators and supervisors to receive proper training education to meet NAMRS standards and to hold a state-wide training conference to all APS staff to ensure better collaboration and consistency across county and regional borders, upgraded data collection and improved provision of services. These trainings will align Arkansas APS with NAMRS data collection and reporting requirements.	\$541,492	0	X		N/A

Funding Percentages

	Federal	State	Other	Total
FY22	75	25	0	100
FY23	75	25	0	100
FY24	0	0	0	0
FY25	0	0	0	0
FY26	0	0	0	0

Anticipated Duration of Federal Funds: August 31, 2021

**UTILIZATION REPORT  
FOR  
MISCELLANEOUS FEDERAL GRANT PROGRAM APPROPRIATION  
AND PERSONNEL AUTHORIZATION REQUEST  
A.C.A. §19-7-501 ET SEQ.**

Date: 6/22/2021 Grant ID: 90EJSG0032-03-04 Legislative Review Date: \_\_\_\_\_

Agency: Arkansas Department of Human Services, Division of Aging, Adult, and Behavioral Health Services Program Title: A project to enhance staff training, community education, public awareness, and data collection for the APS system in Arkansas

Granting Organization: AOA Elder Justice & Adult Protective Services APS Grant #: 90EJSG0032-03-04

Effective Date of Authorization: \_\_\_\_\_ Beginning: 7/1/2021 Ending: 6/30/2022

Purpose of Grant / Reason for addition or change: (include attachments as necessary to provide thorough information):  
 •to incorporate custody and referral functions into the LEAPS database.  
 •for APS investigators and supervisors to receive proper training education to meet NAMRS standards.  
 • hold a conference to provide state-wide training to all APS staff to ensure better collaboration and consistency across county ar regional boarders; upgraded data collection, and improved provision of services.  
 These trainings will align Arkansas APS with NAMRS data collection and reporting requirements.

**Project-Grant Funding**

Business Area Code: 0710  
 Funds Center Code: 898 / 896  
 Fund Code: PWE2000 / PWP2000  
 Functional Area Code: HHS

Continuation of Existing Program: \_\_\_\_\_  
 Change in Existing Program: X  
 New Program: \_\_\_\_\_

	New Federal Funds	State Matching Funds	Other Matching Funds	Project Total
Regular Salaries				-
Extra Help				-
Operating Expenses	116,057			116,057
Personal Services Matching				-
Conference & Travel Expenses	37,245			37,245
Professional Fees				-
Capital Outlay				-
Data Processing				-
Grants and Aid (CI: 04)	388,190			388,190
Other:				-
Other:				-
<b>Total</b>	\$ 541,492	\$ -	\$ -	\$ 541,492

**Funding Percentages**

	Federal	State	Other	Total
FY22	75%	25%		100%
FY23	75%	25%		100%
FY24				0%
FY25				0%
FY26				0%

**Type of Federal Grant**

WIA \_\_\_\_\_  
 Non-WIA X

Anticipated Duration of Federal Funds: 8/31/2021

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**DFA IGS State Technology Planning** Date \_\_\_\_\_  
 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	Comnt Item	Position Title	Class Code	Grade	Line Item Maximum *

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Approved by: [Signature] 6/22/21 Date  
 Office of Budget 8.6.21 Date  
 MT 7/12/21

Office of Personnel Mgmt \_\_\_\_\_ Date

[Signature] 6/29/2021

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				<u>Approve</u>	<u>Disapprove</u>	
3. Department of Education - Division of Higher Education - Apprenticeships: Closing the Skills Gap	This request is needed due to a grant from the Department of Labor to implement the Transforming Information Technology Apprenticeships Now (TITAN) project. This project will train and mentor eligible Arkansans in a suite of Registered Apprenticeship Programs in Information Technology and Related Industries occupations.	\$1,706,556	0	X		N/A

Funding Percentages

	Federal	State	Other	Total
FY22	100	0	0	100
FY23	100	0	0	100
FY24	100	0	0	100
FY25	0	0	0	0
FY26	0	0	0	0

Anticipated Duration of Federal Funds: February 29, 2024

**UTILIZATION REPORT  
FOR  
MISCELLANEOUS FEDERAL GRANT PROGRAM APPROPRIATION  
AND PERSONNEL AUTHORIZATION REQUEST  
A.C.A. §19-7-501 ET SEQ.**

Date: 7/12/2021 Grant ID: HG-34419-20-60-A-5 Legislative Review Date: \_\_\_\_\_

Agency: Arkansas Division of Higher Education Program Title: Apprenticeships: Closing the Skills Gap

Granting Organization: \_\_\_\_\_ Department of Labor Grant #: 17.268-H-1B

Effective Date of Authorization: \_\_\_\_\_ Beginning: 7/1/2021 Ending: 6/30/2022

Purpose of Grant / Reason for addition or change: (include attachments as necessary to provide thorough information):  
This request is needed due to a grant from the Department of Labor to implement the Transforming Information Technology Apprenticeships Now (TITAN) project. This project will train and mentor eligible Arkansans in a suite of Registered Apprenticeship Programs in Information Technology and Related Industries occupations.

**Project-Grant Funding**

Business Area Code: 0700  
Funds Center Code: 273  
Fund Code: FCP1400  
Functional Area Code: EDUC

Continuation of Existing Program: \_\_\_\_\_  
Change in Existing Program: X  
New Program: \_\_\_\_\_

	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)	1,706,556			1,706,556
Other:				-
Other:				-
<b>Total</b>	<b>\$ 1,706,556</b>	<b>\$ -</b>	<b>\$ -</b>	<b>\$ 1,706,556</b>

**Funding Percentages**

**Type of Federal Grant**

	Federal	State	Other	Total
FY22	100%			100%
FY23	100%			100%
FY24	100%			100%
FY25				0%
FY26				0%

WIA \_\_\_\_\_  
Non-WIA X

Anticipated Duration of Federal Funds: 02/29/2024

**DFA IGS State Technology Planning Date**  
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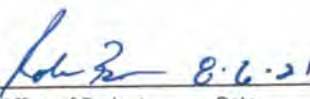
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Approved by:  7/21/2021  
Agency Director Date

 8.6.21  
Office of Budget Date

Office of Personnel Mgmt Date

CH 7/30/21

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NEW PROGRAM

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				<u>Approve</u>	<u>Disapprove</u>	
4. Department of Health - Cooperative Agreement for Emergency Response	The Arkansas Department of Health (ADH) has been awarded the Cooperative Agreement for Emergency Response: Public Health Crisis Response grant from the Centers for Disease Control and Prevention. The plan for these funds is to provide staffing (Physicians, Registered Nurses, etc.) to stand up infusion clinics for monoclonal therapies in counties across Arkansas that are experiencing a high positivity rate and have minimal access to care. These funds will also be potentially used to provide staffing for alternate care sites to help hospitals in need to decompress current COVID-19 patients so they can accept higher acute COVID-19 patients.	\$18,649,972	0	X		N/A
		<u>Funding Percentages</u>				
			<u>Federal</u>	<u>State</u>	<u>Other</u>	<u>Total</u>
		FY22	100	0	0	100
		FY23	100	0	0	100
		FY24	0	0	0	0
		FY25	0	0	0	0
		FY26	0	0	0	0

Anticipated Duration of Federal Funds: June 30, 2023



**UTILIZATION REPORT  
FOR  
MISCELLANEOUS FEDERAL GRANT PROGRAM APPROPRIATION  
AND PERSONNEL AUTHORIZATION REQUEST  
A.C.A. §19-7-501 ET SEQ.**

Date: 8/3/2021 Grant ID: 93.354 Legislative Review Date: 8/16/2021

Agency: Arkansas Department of Health Program Title: Cooperative Agreement for Emergenc

Granting Organization: Department of Health and Human Services/CDC Grant #: NU90TP922173-01-0

Effective Date of Authorization: Beginning: 7/1/2021 Ending: 6/30/2023

Purpose of Grant / Reason for addition or change: (include attachments as necessary to provide thorough information):  
The Arkansas Department of Health (ADH) has been awarded the Cooperative Agreement for Emergency Response: Public Health Crisis Response grant from the Centers for Disease Control and Prevention. The plans for these funds is to provide staffing (Physicians, Registered Nurses, etc.) to stand up infusion clinics for monoclonal therapies in counties across Arkansas that is experiencing a high positivity rate and has minimal access to care. These funds will also be potentially used to provide staffing for alternate care sites to help hospitals in need to decompress current COVID-19 patients so they can accept higher acute COVID-19 patients.

**Project-Grant Funding**

Business Area Code: 0645  
Funds Center Code: 34P  
Fund Code: PHD0000  
Functional Area Code: HHS

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				-
Operating Expenses				-
Personal Services Matching				-
Conference & Travel Expenses				-
Professional Fees				-
Capital Outlay				-
Data Processing				-
Grants and Aid (CI: 04)				-
Other: 5900051	18,649,972			18,649,972
Other: IDC 20.2%				-
<b>Total</b>	<b>\$ 18,649,972</b>	<b>\$ -</b>	<b>\$ -</b>	<b>\$ 18,649,972</b>

**Funding Percentages**

	Federal	State	Other	Total
FY21	0%	0%		0%
FY22	100%	0%		100%
FY23	100%	0%		100%
FY24	0%	0%		0%
FY25	0%	0%		0%

**Type of Federal Grant**

WIA \_\_\_\_\_  
Non-WIA X

Anticipated Duration of Federal Funds: 6/30/2023

<b>DFA IGS State Technology Planning</b>	<b>Date</b>
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Org Unit	Pers Area	Pers SubArea	Cost Center	Position Number	Comnt Item	Position Title	Class Code	Grade	Line Item Maximum *

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Approved by:

Jean R. Romero *mm*  
Agency Director Date: 8/4/21

[Signature] 8-6-21  
Office of Budget Date

Office of Personnel Mgmt Date

**DS**  
Revised 05/02/2018

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NEW PROGRAM

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				<u>Approve</u>	<u>Disapprove</u>	
5. Department of Energy & Environment - Low-Income Home Energy Assistance Program	U.S. Department of Health and Human Services awarded Arkansas Energy and Environment a funding of \$7,361,484. The \$7,361,484 appropriation will be allocated to the salaries, data processing and grant/aid budget line items which will provide a water assistance program to the Community Action Agencies to assist low income households in meeting their immediate home water assistance needs. This is the initial federal award of \$7,361,484 for this program and will accommodate award number 2103ARLWC6 for \$5,769,188 which is the American Rescue Plan Act of 2021.	\$7,361,484	0	X		N/A

Funding Percentages

	Federal	State	Other	Total
FY22	100	0	0	100
FY23	0	0	0	0
FY24	0	0	0	0
FY25	0	0	0	0
FY26	0	0	0	0

Anticipated Duration of Federal Funds: September 30, 2023

**UTILIZATION REPORT  
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AND PERSONNEL AUTHORIZATION REQUEST  
A.C.A. §19-7-501 ET SEQ.**

Date: 7/20/2021 Grant II 93.568 Legislative Review D: \_\_\_\_\_

Agency: ARKANSAS DIVISION OF ENVIRONMENTAL QUALITY Program Title: LOW-INCOME HOME ENERGY ASSISTANCE PROGRAM

Granting Organization: DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH AND HUMAN SERVICES Grant #: 2103ARLWC5

Effective Date of Authorization: \_\_\_\_\_ Beginning: 5/28/2021 Ending: 9/30/2023

**Purpose of Grant / Reason for addition or change: (include attachments as necessary to provide thorough information):**

U.S. Department of Health and Human Services awarded Arkansas Energy and Environment a funding of 7,361,484.00. The 7,361,484.00 appropriation will be allocated to the salaries, data processing and grant/aid budget line items which will provide a water assistance program to the Community Action Agencies to assist lowincome households in meeting their immediate home water assistance needs. This is the initial federal award of 7,361,484.00 for this program and will accommodate award number 2103ARLWC6 for \$5,769,188.00 which is the American Resue Plan Act of 2021.

**Project-Grant Funding**

Business Area Code: 0930  
Funds Center Code: NEW  
Fund Code: NEW  
Functional Area Code: COMM

Continuation of Existing Program: \_\_\_\_\_  
Change in Existing Program: \_\_\_\_\_  
New Program: X

	New Federal Funds	State Matching Funds	Other Matching Funds	Project Total
Regular Salaries	101,605			101,605
Extra Help				-
Operating Expenses				-
Personal Services Matching	37,076			37,076
Conference & Travel Expenses				-
Professional Fees				-
Capital Outlay				-
Data Processing				-
American Recovery and Reinvestment Act of 2009				-
Other: Grants/Aid (04)	6,257,261			6,257,261
Other:	965,542			965,542
<b>Total</b>	\$ 7,361,484	\$ -	\$ -	\$ 7,361,484

**Funding Percentages**

	Federal	State	Other	Total
FY20	100%			100%
FY21	100%			100%
FY22	100%			100%
FY23				0%
FY24				0%

**Type of Federal Grant**

WIA: \_\_\_\_\_  
Non-WIA: X  
ARRA: \_\_\_\_\_

Anticipated Duration of Federal Funds: 9-30-2023

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**DFA IGS State Technology Planning** Date \_\_\_\_\_  
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Approved by: \_\_\_\_\_  
Cabinet Secretary/Agency Director Date: 08.05.21

*John P. ...* 8-6-21  
Office of Budget Date: MT 8/5/21

Office of Personnel Mgmt Date: \_\_\_\_\_