AGENDA

Uniform Personnel Classification and Compensation Plan Subcommittee of the

Arkansas Legislative Council

Tuesday, September 14, 2021 1:30 PM Room A, MAC Little Rock, Arkansas

Sen. David Wallace, Chair	Rep. David Hillman, Chair
Sen. Jim Hendren, Vice-Chair	Rep. Kenneth B. Ferguson, Vice-Chai
Sen. Cecile Bledsoe	Rep. Reginald Murdock
Sen. Linda Chesterfield	Rep. Mark Lowery
Sen. Jonathan Dismang	Rep. Deborah Ferguson
Sen. Ronald Caldwell	Rep. Lanny Fite
Sen. Keith Ingram	Rep. Nelda Speaks
Sen. Jimmy Hickey, Jr	Rep. Frances Cavenaugh
Sen. Missy Irvin, ex officio	Rep. Jeff Wardlaw, ex officio
Sen. Terry Rice, ex officio	Rep. Jim Dotson, ex officio

A. Call to Order

B. Request from Arkansas State University System to establish one (1) non-classified position from the Higher Education Central Pool authorized by Act 763 of 2019, ACA §21-5-1415. (Dr. Maria Markham, Director)

Requested	Recommendation	
Title: Associate General Counsel	Title: Associate General Counsel	
LIM-FY22: \$163,813	LIM-FY22: \$163,813	
Salary-FY22: \$100,000	Salary-FY22: \$100,000	
Institution Match Rate %-FY22: 28%	Institution Match Rate %-FY22: 28%	
Institution Match \$-FY22: \$28,000	Institution Match \$-FY22: \$28,000	
Total Compensation FY22: \$128,000	Total Compensation FY22: \$128,000	
Number of Positions: 1	Number of Positions: 1	

C. Request from National Park College to establish two (2) non-classified positions from the Higher Education Central Pool authorized by Act 763 of 2019, ACA §21-5-1415. (Dr. Maria Markham, Director)

Requested	Recommendation
Title: Project Program Manager	Title: Project/Program Manager
LIM-FY22: \$84,100	LIM-FY22: \$84,100
Salary-FY22: \$50,000-\$60,000	Salary-FY22: \$50,000-\$60,000
Institution Match Rate %-FY22: 32%	Institution Match Rate %-FY22: 32%
Institution Match \$-FY22: \$16,000	Institution Match \$-FY22: \$16,000-\$19,200
Total Compensation FY22: \$66,000	Total Compensation FY22: \$66,000-\$79,200
Number of Positions: 2	Number of Positions: 2

Note: All exhibits for this meeting are available by electronic means and are accessible on the General Assembly's website at www.arkleg.state.ar.us

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D. Request from Department of Health-Arkansas Minority Health Commission to establish one (1) position from the OPM Central Growth Pool established by Ark. Code Ann. §21-5-225. (Dr. Jose Romero, Secretary)

Classification Requested			
Class Code	Title	Grade	Pay Range
L038C	Registered Nurse	MP01	\$63,860-\$88,058

- E. Miscellaneous Federal Grants and American Rescue Plan Requests
 - 1. Request from Department of Health for establishment for two Miscellaneous Federal Grant positions to help with the Arkansas Stroke Registry program. This program has been awarded a Paul Coverdell National Acute Stroke Program grant. The funding is expected to total \$1,800,000 over three years. (Dr. Jose Romero, Secretary)

Position Title	Class Code	Grade	Salary Range
Section Chief III	L025C	GS10	\$56,039-\$81,256
Registered Nurse	L038C	MP01	\$63,830-\$88,058

2. Request from the Department of Inspector General for the establishment a Miscellaneous Federal Grant position in the Arkansas Fair Housing Commission. This request is to continue current funding for the subject position that is in the shared services administrative pool into the investigator pool of the department. (Elizabeth Thomas Smith, Secretary)

Position Title	Class Code	Grade	Salary Range
Attorney	G073C	GS10	\$56,039-\$81,256

3. Request from National Park College for the establishment of two Miscellaneous Federal Grant positions under the American Rescue Plan Act. This grant will provide emergency support to students and to support Institutions of Higher Education to serve students and ensure continuity during the COVID-19 pandemic. (Dr. Maria Markham, Director)

Position Title	Class Code	Grade	Salary Range
Registered Nurse	L0380	C120	\$38,079-\$69,283
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4. Request from the Arkansas School for the Blind for the establishment of a Miscellaneous Federal Grant position under the American Rescue Plan Act. This grant was previously approved and the position will be used as a Reading Specialist to help address learning loss. (Johnny Key, Secretary)

Position Title	Class Code	Grade	Salary Range
Educational	E025C	GS09	\$50,222-\$72,821
Specialist			

- F. Contract recommendations for the Employee Benefits Division made by the Board of Finance.
 - 1. HMO Partners Inc
 - 2. Colonial Life- Sourcewell

Reports

- G. Quarterly Employment Reports- Fourth Quarter FY2021
 - (1) State Agencies
 - (2) Institutions of Higher Education
- H. September 2021 Personnel Actions Report (Department of Education, Division of Higher Education, Dr. Maria Markham, Director)
- I. September 2021 Personnel Actions Report (Office of Personnel Management-Department of Transformation and Shared Services, Amy Fecher, Secretary)
- J. September New Provisional Report for (30) new positions are approved for (3) Four-Year Institutions of Higher Education. (6) new positions for (1) Two-Year Institutions for Higher Education. (Department of Education, Division of Higher Education, Dr. Maria Markham, Director)
- K. Other business
- L. Adjournment