

Stricken language would be deleted from and underlined language would be added to the law as it existed prior to this session of the General Assembly.

1 State of Arkansas  
2 83rd General Assembly  
3 Regular Session, 2001

As Engrossed: H2/2/01  
**A Bill**

HOUSE BILL 1263

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5 By: *Joint Budget Committee*  
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8 **For An Act To Be Entitled**

9 AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION FOR OPERATING EXPENSES  
10 OF CHALK BLUFF PARK FOR THE DEPARTMENT OF ARKANSAS  
11 HERITAGE - NATURAL HERITAGE COMMISSION FOR THE  
12 BIENNIAL PERIOD ENDING JUNE 30, 2003; AND FOR OTHER  
13 PURPOSES.  
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15 **Subtitle**

16 AN ACT FOR THE DEPARTMENT OF ARKANSAS  
17 HERITAGE - NATURAL HERITAGE COMMISSION  
18 - CHALK BLUFF PARK OPERATIONS APPROPRIATION  
19 FOR THE 2001-2003 BIENNIAL.  
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23 BE IT ENACTED BY THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF THE STATE OF ARKANSAS:  
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25 SECTION 1. APPROPRIATION - CHALK BLUFF PARK. There is hereby appropriated,  
26 to the Department of Arkansas Heritage - Natural Heritage Commission, to be  
27 payable from the Department of Arkansas Heritage Fund Account, for a grant for  
28 the operating expenses of Chalk Bluff Park by the Department of Arkansas  
29 Heritage - Natural Heritage Commission for the biennial period ending June 30,  
30 2003, the following:  
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ITEM NO.	FISCAL YEARS	
	2001-2002	2002-2003
(01) CHALK BLUFF PARK OPERATIONS	\$ <u>30,000</u>	\$ <u>30,000</u>

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36 SECTION 2. COMPLIANCE WITH OTHER LAWS. Disbursement of funds authorized by

1 this act shall be limited to the appropriation for such agency and funds made  
2 available by law for the support of such appropriations; and the restrictions  
3 of the State Purchasing Law, the General Accounting and Budgetary Procedures  
4 Law, the Revenue Stabilization Law, the Regular Salary Procedures and  
5 Restrictions Act, or their successors, and other fiscal control laws of this  
6 State, where applicable, and regulations promulgated by the Department of  
7 Finance and Administration, as authorized by law, shall be strictly complied  
8 with in disbursement of said funds.

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10 SECTION 3. LEGISLATIVE INTENT. It is the intent of the General Assembly  
11 that any funds disbursed under the authority of the appropriations contained  
12 in this act shall be in compliance with the stated reasons for which this act  
13 was adopted, as evidenced by the Agency Requests, Executive Recommendations  
14 and Legislative Recommendations contained in the budget manuals prepared by  
15 the Department of Finance and Administration, letters, or summarized oral  
16 testimony in the official minutes of the Arkansas Legislative Council or Joint  
17 Budget Committee which relate to its passage and adoption.

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19 SECTION 4. EMERGENCY CLAUSE. It is found and determined by the General  
20 Assembly, that the Constitution of the State of Arkansas prohibits the  
21 appropriation of funds for more than a two (2) year period; that the  
22 effectiveness of this Act on July 1, 2001 is essential to the operation of the  
23 agency for which the appropriations in this Act are provided, and that in the  
24 event of an extension of the Regular Session, the delay in the effective date  
25 of this Act beyond July 1, 2001 could work irreparable harm upon the proper  
26 administration and provision of essential governmental programs. Therefore, an  
27 emergency is hereby declared to exist and this Act being necessary for the  
28 immediate preservation of the public peace, health and safety shall be in full  
29 force and effect from and after July 1, 2001.

30 /s/ Joint Budget Committee  
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