

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 86th General Assembly  
3 Regular Session, 2007  
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# A Bill

HOUSE BILL 1919

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

9 AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION TO THE STATE  
10 MILITARY DEPARTMENT FOR CAPITAL IMPROVEMENT  
11 PROJECTS; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.  
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## Subtitle

15 AN ACT FOR THE STATE MILITARY  
16 DEPARTMENT GENERAL IMPROVEMENT  
17 APPROPRIATION.  
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20 BE IT ENACTED BY THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF THE STATE OF ARKANSAS:  
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22 SECTION 1. APPROPRIATIONS - GENERAL IMPROVEMENT. There is hereby  
23 appropriated, to the State Military Department, to be payable from the  
24 General Improvement Fund or its successor fund or fund accounts, the  
25 following:

26 (A) For various maintenance, renovation, equipping, construction,  
27 acquisition, improvement, update and repair projects for State Armories, the  
28 sum of .....\$3,000,000.

29 (B) For renovations to comply with ADA requirements, the sum of  
30 .....\$750,000.  
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32 SECTION 2. APPROPRIATIONS - FEDERAL. There is hereby appropriated, to the  
33 State Military Department, to be payable from the federal funds as designated  
34 by the Chief Fiscal Officer of the State, the following:

35 (A) For construction of Phase I facilities for the Regional Training  
36 Institute Complex, the sum of .....\$6,305,874.



- 1 (B) For major repairs and renovations of State Armories, the sum of
- 2 .....\$10,000,000.
- 3 (C) For construction and renovation of Administration Building Addition,
- 4 the sum of .....\$683,812.
- 5 (D) For ADA compliance renovations, the sum of .....\$750,000.
- 6 (E) For construction of a Cabot Armory, the sum of .....\$5,947,959.
- 7 (F) For the West Memphis Armory, the sum of .....\$6,039,152.
- 8 (G) For parking lot construction and improvements at various armories
- 9 including paving, fencing and lighting, the sum of .....\$3,128,000.
- 10 (H) For updating spaces for the Army Modular Force including classrooms,
- 11 offices and storage rooms, the sum of .....\$2,224,000.
- 12 (I) For construction of the Camp Robinson Ammo Supply Point, the sum of
- 13 .....\$6,000,000.
- 14 (J) For construction of the Urban Assault Course, the sum of ..\$2,035,000.
- 15 (K) For construction of a Combined Support Maintenance Shop at Camp
- 16 Robinson, the sum of .....\$33,000,000.
- 17 (L) For construction of a Maintenance Shop at the Searcy Field, the sum of
- 18 .....\$2,322,550.
- 19 (M) For repair and replacement of the sewer collection system, the sum of
- 20 .....\$3,220,223.

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22 SECTION 3. DISBURSEMENT CONTROLS. (A) No contract may be awarded nor

23 obligations otherwise incurred in relation to the project or projects

24 described herein in excess of the State Treasury funds actually available

25 therefor as provided by law. Provided, however, that institutions and

26 agencies listed herein shall have the authority to accept and use grants and

27 donations including Federal funds, and to use its unobligated cash income or

28 funds, or both available to it, for the purpose of supplementing the State

29 Treasury funds for financing the entire costs of the project or projects

30 enumerated herein. Provided further, that the appropriations and funds

31 otherwise provided by the General Assembly for Maintenance and General

32 Operations of the agency or institutions receiving appropriation herein shall

33 not be used for any of the purposes as appropriated in this act.

34 (B) The restrictions of any applicable provisions of the State Purchasing

35 Law, the General Accounting and Budgetary Procedures Law, the Revenue

36 Stabilization Law and any other applicable fiscal control laws of this State

1 and regulations promulgated by the Department of Finance and Administration,  
2 as authorized by law, shall be strictly complied with in disbursement of any  
3 funds provided by this act unless specifically provided otherwise by law.

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5 SECTION 4. LEGISLATIVE INTENT. It is the intent of the General Assembly  
6 that any funds disbursed under the authority of the appropriations contained  
7 in this act shall be in compliance with the stated reasons for which this act  
8 was adopted, as evidenced by the Agency Requests, Executive Recommendations  
9 and Legislative Recommendations contained in the budget manuals prepared by  
10 the Department of Finance and Administration, letters, or summarized oral  
11 testimony in the official minutes of the Arkansas Legislative Council or  
12 Joint Budget Committee which relate to its passage and adoption.

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14 SECTION 5. EMERGENCY CLAUSE. It is found and determined by the General  
15 Assembly, that the Constitution of the State of Arkansas prohibits the  
16 appropriation of funds for more than a two (2) year period; that the  
17 effectiveness of this Act on July 1, 2007 is essential to the operation of  
18 the agency for which the appropriations in this Act are provided, and that in  
19 the event of an extension of the Regular Session, the delay in the effective  
20 date of this Act beyond July 1, 2007 could work irreparable harm upon the  
21 proper administration and provision of essential governmental programs.  
22 Therefore, an emergency is hereby declared to exist and this Act being  
23 necessary for the immediate preservation of the public peace, health and  
24 safety shall be in full force and effect from and after July 1, 2007.