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# A Bill

HOUSE BILL 1105

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

8 AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION FOR PERSONAL SERVICES  
9 AND OPERATING EXPENSES FOR THE ARKANSAS STATE HIGHWAY  
10 AND TRANSPORTATION DEPARTMENT FOR THE FISCAL YEAR  
11 ENDING JUNE 30, 2016; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.  
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## Subtitle

14 AN ACT FOR THE ARKANSAS STATE HIGHWAY AND  
15 TRANSPORTATION DEPARTMENT APPROPRIATION  
16 FOR THE 2015-2016 FISCAL YEAR.  
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20 BE IT ENACTED BY THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF THE STATE OF ARKANSAS:  
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22 SECTION 1. REGULAR SALARIES. There is hereby established for the  
23 Arkansas State Highway and Transportation Department for the 2015-2016 fiscal  
24 year, the following maximum number of regular employees and the maximum  
25 annual salary for such employees; and no greater salary than that established  
26 herein shall be paid to any employee from appropriations hereinafter made for  
27 said department. The annual salaries to be paid to each employee authorized  
28 herein shall be determined by the Arkansas Highway Commission within the  
29 limitations as set out in this Section and the funds and the appropriations  
30 made available for such purposes. All positions established herein shall be  
31 exempt from the provisions of the Uniform Personnel Classification and  
32 Compensation Act (Arkansas Code §§21-5-201 et seq.), or its successor, but  
33 shall not be exempt from the provisions of the Regular Salaries Procedures  
34 and Restrictions Act. Provided further that the salaries for the pay period  
35 beginning June 2015 and ending July 2015 can be paid from the salaries and  
36 overtime authorized for the fiscal year ending June 30, 2016.



Item		Maximum No. of Employees	Maximum Annual Salary Rate Fiscal Year 2015-2016
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6	(1) Director of Highway & Transportation	1	\$183,935
7	(2) Deputy Director & Chief Oper Officer	1	\$158,332
8	(3) Deputy Director & Chief Engineer	1	\$158,332
9	(4) Assistant Chief Engineer-Design	1	\$141,894
10	(5) Assistant Chief Engineer-Operations	1	\$141,894
11	(6) Assistant Chief Engineer-Planning	1	\$141,894
12	(7) Assistant Chief - Administration	1	\$141,894
13	(8) Chief Legal Counsel	1	\$133,835
14	(9) Chief Fiscal Officer	1	\$132,894
15	(10) Construction Engineer	1	\$124,510
16	(11) State Maintenance Engineer	1	\$124,510
17	(12) District Engineer	10	\$120,810
18	(13) Division Head	14	\$120,810
19	SALARY LEVEL XX		\$113,927
20	(14) Administrative Officer V	2	
21	(15) ASHERS Executive Secretary	1	
22	(16) Assistant Construction Engineer	1	
23	(17) Assistant Division Head	10	
24	(18) Assistant State Maintenance Engineer	1	
25	(19) Chief Auditor	1	
26	(20) Engineer VI	1	
27	(21) Consultant Contracts Administrator	1	
28	(22) Deputy Chief Counsel	1	
29	(23) District Construction Engineer	10	
30	(24) District Maintenance Engineer	10	
31	(25) Heavy Bridge Maintenance Engineer	1	
32	SALARY LEVEL XIX		\$111,416
33	(26) Administrative Officer IV	1	
34	(27) Engineer V	1	
35	(28) Resident Engineer	33	
36	(29) Section Head - Facilities Management	1	

1	(30)	Staff Bridge Design Engineer	5	
2	(31)	Staff Construction Engineer	4	
3	(32)	Staff Design Engineer	9	
4	(33)	Staff Geotechnical Engineer	1	
5	(34)	Staff GIS and Mapping Administrator	1	
6	(35)	Staff Heavy Bridge Maintenance Eng	1	
7	(36)	Staff Hydraulic Engineer	1	
8	(37)	Staff Land Surveyor	1	
9	(38)	Staff Maintenance Engineer	4	
10	(39)	Staff Materials Engineer	1	
11	(40)	Staff Asset Management Engineer	1	
12	(41)	Staff Planning Engineer	1	
13	(42)	Staff Programs and Contracts Eng	1	
14	(43)	Staff Traffic Information Sys Eng	1	
15	(44)	Staff Program Administration Eng	1	
16	(45)	Staff Project Development Engineer	1	
17	(46)	Staff Research Engineer	1	
18	(47)	Staff Structures Engineer	1	
19	(48)	Staff Surveys Engineer	3	
20	(49)	Staff Traffic Engineer	2	
21	(50)	Staff Traffic Safety Engineer	1	
22	(51)	Engineering Systems Administrator	1	
23		SALARY LEVEL XVIII		\$107,856
24	(52)	Automated Surveys System Engineer	1	
25	(53)	Automation Engineer V	1	
26	(54)	Bituminous Engineer	1	
27	(55)	Concrete and Steel Fabrication Eng	1	
28	(56)	Consultant Coordinator	2	
29	(57)	Data Processing Manager	2	
30	(58)	Application Development Manager	1	
31	(59)	Network Manager	1	
32	(60)	Fiscal Services Coordinator	1	
33	(61)	Hydraulic Engineer	1	
34	(62)	Materials Area Engineer	2	
35	(63)	Personnel Officer	1	
36	(64)	Public Information Officer	1	

1	(65)	Public Transportation Administrator	1	
2	(66)	Quality Assurance Engineer	1	
3	(67)	Section Head - Acquisition	1	
4	(68)	Section Head - Appraisals	1	
5	(69)	Section Head - Assessments	1	
6	(70)	Section Head - Beautification	1	
7	(71)	Section Head - Chemistry Laboratory	1	
8	(72)	Section Head - Communications	1	
9	(73)	Section Head - Const. Pmts. & Audits	1	
10	(74)	Section Head - Cultural Resources	1	
11	(75)	Section Head - E.E.O.	1	
12	(76)	Section Head - Federal Aid Billing	1	
13	(77)	Section Head - Geographic Info Sys	1	
14	(78)	Section Head - Geotechnical	1	
15	(79)	MPO Coordinator	1	
16	(80)	Section Head - Photogrammetry	1	
17	(81)	Section Head - Policy & Legislative	1	
18	(82)	Section Head - Project Estimates	1	
19	(83)	Section Head - Public Involvement	1	
20	(84)	Section Head - Receipts and Expend.	1	
21	(85)	Section Head - Relocation	1	
22	(86)	Section Head - Reports and Costs	1	
23	(87)	Section Head - Right-of-Way Admin.	1	
24	(88)	Section Head - Right-of-Way Engineer	1	
25	(89)	Section Head - Special Studies	1	
26	(90)	Section Head - Utilities	1	
27	(91)	Senior Bridge Design Engineer	10	
28	(92)	Senior Design Engineer	9	
29	(93)	Senior Transportation Planning Eng	2	
30	(94)	Senior Programs & Contracts Engineer	1	
31	(95)	Senior Structures Engineer	2	
32	(96)	Staff Attorney	8	
33		SALARY LEVEL XVII		\$102,043
34	(97)	Administrative Officer III	5	
35	(98)	Audit Manager - Internal Audit	1	
36	(99)	Arkansas Highway Police Major	1	

1	(100)	Audit Manager - Motor Fuel	1	
2	(101)	Assistant Resident Engineer	31	
3	(102)	Automation Engineer IV	1	
4	(103)	Bridge Management Engineer	1	
5	(104)	Systems Engineer	2	
6	(105)	Engineer IV	6	
7	(106)	Computer Technical Coordinator	2	
8	(107)	Technical Architect	1	
9	(108)	Network Engineer	1	
10	(109)	District Materials Supervisor	10	
11	(110)	Fleet Manager	1	
12	(111)	Laboratory Facility Manager	1	
13	(112)	Land Surveyor II	1	
14	(113)	Senior Asset Management Analyst	1	
15	(114)	Programs and Contracts Engineer II	1	
16	(115)	Reviewing Appraiser	3	
17	(116)	Section Head - NPDES	1	
18	(117)	Section Head - Reprographics	1	
19	(118)	Section Head - Training and Safety	1	
20	(119)	Senior Environmental Scientist	3	
21	(120)	Senior Traffic Engineer	2	
22	(121)	Senior Transportation Planner	1	
23	(122)	Technology Transfer Program Manager	1	
24	(123)	Transportation Planning Engineer	1	
25		SALARY LEVEL XVI		\$96,340
26	(124)	Legislative Analyst I	1	
27	(125)	Advanced Bridge Design Engineer	6	
28	(126)	Advanced Construction Field Engineer	24	
29	(127)	Advanced Design Engineer	12	
30	(128)	Advanced Research Study Engineer	1	
31	(129)	Advanced Structures Engineer	2	
32	(130)	Assistant Maintenance Superintendent	10	
33	(131)	Assistant Public Information Officer	1	
34	(132)	Environmental Scientist III	2	
35	(133)	Federal Programs Coordinator	1	
36	(134)	Public Trans. Safety & Security Off.	1	

1	(135)	Geodetic Surveys Coordinator	1	
2	(136)	Heavy Bridge Maintenance Superintend	1	
3	(137)	Geospatial Applications Coordinator	1	
4	(138)	Lead Section Analyst	2	
5	(139)	Application Developer VI	2	
6	(140)	Network Administrator	1	
7	(141)	Program Administration Engineer	1	
8	(142)	Project Development Engineer	1	
9	(143)	Senior Hydraulic Design Engineer	1	
10	(144)	Staff Administrative Assistant	1	
11	(145)	Traffic Services Specialist	1	
12		SALARY LEVEL XV		\$90,782
13	(146)	Administrative Officer II	6	
14	(147)	Advanced Hydraulic Design Engineer	2	
15	(148)	Advanced Programs and Contracts Spec	2	
16	(149)	Advanced Traffic Engineer	2	
17	(150)	Network Support Engineer	1	
18	(151)	Arkansas Highway Police Captain	6	
19	(152)	Attorney	4	
20	(153)	Application Developer V	4	
21	(154)	Cartographer Supervisor	1	
22	(155)	Research Study Engineer	1	
23	(156)	Construction Project Coordinator	31	
24	(157)	District Bridge Inspector	23	
25	(158)	Engineer III	8	
26	(159)	Environmental Scientist II	6	
27	(160)	Facilities Management Specialist	1	
28	(161)	Geologist III	1	
29	(162)	Land Surveyor I	1	
30	(163)	Multimedia Hwy Info Sys. Coordinator	1	
31	(164)	Pavement Profiler Job Superintendent	1	
32	(165)	Photogrammetric Specialist	1	
33	(166)	Programs and Contracts Engineer I	2	
34	(167)	Railroad Crossing Coordinator	1	
35	(168)	Realty Appraiser IV	2	
36	(169)	Right of Way Acquisition Agent III	1	

1	(170)	Staff Utility Coordinator	1	
2	(171)	Senior Designer	11	
3	(172)	Senior Traffic Investigator	3	
4	(173)	Signing Superintendent	1	
5	(174)	Software Analyst III	1	
6	(175)	Statewide Bridge Inspector	1	
7	(176)	Striping Superintendent	1	
8	(177)	Structural Detailing Specialist	3	
9	(178)	Bridge Management Analyst	1	
10	(179)	Survey Specialist	4	
11	(180)	Surveys Technical Coordinator	1	
12	(181)	Transportation Engineer	2	
13	(182)	Transportation Programming Spec.	1	
14		SALARY LEVEL XIV		\$85,235
15	(183)	Administrative Assistant III	10	
16	(184)	Federal Aid Billing Coordinator	1	
17	(185)	Agronomist	1	
18	(186)	Aircraft Pilot	1	
19	(187)	Database Analyst	1	
20	(188)	Application Developer IV	2	
21	(189)	Area Maintenance Supervisor	85	
22	(190)	Arkansas Hwy Police First Lieutenant	10	
23	(191)	Beautification Coordinator III	1	
24	(192)	Bridge Job Superintendent	10	
25	(193)	Budget and Expenditure Controller	1	
26	(194)	Cartographer IV	1	
27	(195)	Chemist III	2	
28	(196)	Construction Field Engineer II	21	
29	(197)	Communications Maintenance Coord	1	
30	(198)	Environmental Scientist I	6	
31	(199)	Equipment Maintenance Supervisor	10	
32	(200)	Equipment Specialist	3	
33	(201)	External EEO Coordinator	1	
34	(202)	GIS Analyst II	1	
35	(203)	Heavy Bridge Maintenance Supervisor	3	
36	(204)	Insurance Administrator	1	

1	(205)	Internal EEO Coordinator	1	
2	(206)	Maintenance Job Superintendent	11	
3	(207)	Personnel Staff Coordinator	1	
4	(208)	Photogrammetry Technician IV	2	
5	(209)	Programs & Contracts Specialist II	1	
6	(210)	Property Manager	2	
7	(211)	Realty Appraiser III	5	
8	(212)	Relocation Coordinator II	5	
9	(213)	Research Information Coordinator	1	
10	(214)	Retirement Officer	1	
11	(215)	Right-of-Way Coordinator	1	
12	(216)	Right-of-Way Engineering Specialist	2	
13	(217)	Right of Way Acquisition Agent II	5	
14	(218)	Safety Information Coordinator	1	
15	(219)	Sealing Job Superintendent	10	
16	(220)	Senior Accountant	6	
17	(221)	Senior External Auditor	6	
18	(222)	Senior Internal Auditor	7	
19	(223)	Senior Systems Auditor	1	
20	(224)	Senior Utilities Coordinator	2	
21	(225)	Sign Shop Supervisor	1	
22	(226)	Surveys Crew Chief	12	
23	(227)	Title VI Coordinator	1	
24	(228)	Traffic Investigator	1	
25	(229)	Assistant Signing Superintendent	1	
26	(230)	Assistant Striping Superintendent	1	
27	(231)	Transportation Study Coordinator	1	
28	(232)	Financial Analyst	1	
29	(233)	Network Technician III	2	
30	(234)	Utility Auditor	2	
31		SALARY LEVEL XIII		\$79,818
32	(235)	Administrative Assistant II	3	
33	(236)	Purchasing Manager	1	
34	(237)	Internal Communication Coordinator	1	
35	(238)	Special Project Coordinator	1	
36	(239)	Administrative Officer I	4	



1	(240)	Application Developer III	5	
2	(241)	AR Hwy Police Second Lieutenant	8	
3	(242)	Bridge Design Engineer	6	
4	(243)	Cartographer III	3	
5	(244)	Chemist II	2	
6	(245)	Closing Agent	2	
7	(246)	Construction Field Engineer I	18	
8	(247)	Design Engineer	15	
9	(248)	District Office Manager	10	
10	(249)	Engineer II	11	
11	(250)	Geologist II	1	
12	(251)	Geotechnical Specialist	1	
13	(252)	Hydraulic Design Engineer	2	
14	(253)	Information System Analyst	1	
15	(254)	Investigator	2	
16	(255)	Laboratory Coordinator	4	
17	(256)	Legal Office Manager	1	
18	(257)	External Communications Coordinator	1	
19	(258)	Programs & Contracts Specialist I	2	
20	(259)	Right-of-Way Plans Designer III	2	
21	(260)	Roadway Designer	3	
22	(261)	Safety Inspection Officer	5	
23	(262)	Senior Abstractor	2	
24	(263)	Senior Inspector	64	
25	(264)	Estimates Analyst	4	
26	(265)	Facility Management Project Coord	2	
27	(266)	Senior Survey Office Technician	1	
28	(267)	Shop Supervisor	11	
29	(268)	Software Analyst II	2	
30	(269)	Training Specialist	2	
31	(270)	Transportation Planner	3	
32	(271)	Public Trans. Asset Specialist I	1	
33	(272)	Transportation Specialist	3	
34	(273)	Utility Coordinator II	6	
35		SALARY LEVEL XII		\$74,624
36	(274)	Abstractor	4	

1	(275)	Accountant	2	
2	(276)	Administrative Assistant I	15	
3	(277)	Application Developer II	3	
4	(278)	Auditor	2	
5	(279)	Beautification Coordinator II	2	
6	(280)	Buyer	3	
7	(281)	Cartographer II	2	
8	(282)	Commission Secretary	1	
9	(283)	Website Coordinator	1	
10	(284)	District Permit Officer	10	
11	(285)	Division Office Manager	2	
12	(286)	EEO Specialist	1	
13	(287)	Engineering Research Technician II	2	
14	(288)	Environmental Analyst III	10	
15	(289)	Estimates Supervisor	4	
16	(290)	Geotechnical Drill Party Chief	3	
17	(291)	Hwy Performance & Needs Analyst II	1	
18	(292)	Hydraulics Documentation Specialist	1	
19	(293)	Mail and Supply Supervisor	1	
20	(294)	Maintenance Inventory Coordinator	1	
21	(295)	Motor Carrier Safety Inspector	2	
22	(296)	Network Technician II	1	
23	(297)	Photogrammetry Laboratory Supervisor	1	
24	(298)	Photogrammetry Technician III	2	
25	(299)	Public Transportation Asset Spec I	1	
26	(300)	Relocation Coordinator I	1	
27	(301)	Realty Appraiser II	4	
28	(302)	Right -of-Way Acquisition Agent I	1	
29	(303)	Senior Construction Materials Insp.	31	
30	(304)	Structural Detailer	3	
31	(305)	Subcontract Administrator	1	
32	(306)	Surveys Research Technician II	1	
33	(307)	Surveys Technician III	3	
34	(308)	Transportation Information Analyst	2	
35		SALARY LEVEL XI		\$69,577
36	(309)	Assistant Bridge Inspector	24	

1	(310)	Application Developer I	4
2	(311)	Arkansas Highway Police Sergeant	38
3	(312)	Assistant Sign Shop Supervisor	1
4	(313)	Communication Maintenance Specialist	9
5	(314)	Crew Leader	140
6	(315)	Data Collection Supervisor	3
7	(316)	Electrician	1
8	(317)	Engineer I	25
9	(318)	Environmental Analyst II	2
10	(319)	Ferry Boat Supervisor	1
11	(320)	Geologist I	1
12	(321)	Hwy Performance and Needs Analyst I	1
13	(322)	Information System Technician II	1
14	(323)	Inspector	69
15	(324)	Materials Technician IV	6
16	(325)	Pavement Management Specialist	2
17	(326)	Photogrammetry Technician II	1
18	(327)	Multimedia Specialist	1
19	(328)	Planning Contract Specialist	1
20	(329)	Program and Contracts Technician II	1
21	(330)	Graphic Design Specialist	1
22	(331)	Quality Assurance Supervisor	1
23	(332)	Records Supervisor	1
24	(333)	Right-of-Way Plans Designer II	4
25	(334)	Senior Design Technician	2
26	(335)	Sign Crew Supervisor	10
27	(336)	Sign Crew Leader	7
28	(337)	Software Analyst I	2
29	(338)	Storeroom Supervisor	11
30	(339)	Striping Crew Leader	6
31	(340)	Surveys Office Technician	1
32	(341)	Surveys Research Technician I	1
33	(342)	Surveys Technician II	12
34	(343)	System Support Technician III	1
35	(344)	Hardware Technician III	2
36	(345)	Telecommunication Supervisor II	1

1	(346)	Testing Equipment Specialist	2	
2	(347)	Traffic Crash Analyst	1	
3	(348)	Traffic Designer	3	
4	(349)	Bridge Management Specialist	1	
5	(350)	Transportation Management Analyst II	1	
6		SALARY LEVEL X		\$64,668
7	(351)	Administrative Aide V	5	
8	(352)	Presentation & Writing Specialist	1	
9	(353)	Advanced Research Assistant	1	
10	(354)	Aerial Photographer	1	
11	(355)	Arkansas Highway Police Corporal	72	
12	(356)	Beautification Coordinator I	4	
13	(357)	Cartographer I	2	
14	(358)	Chemist I	1	
15	(359)	Engineer	22	
16	(360)	Construction Aide III	30	
17	(361)	Construction Materials Inspector	20	
18	(362)	DBE Program Specialist	1	
19	(363)	Electronics Technician	1	
20	(364)	Environmental Analyst I	12	
21	(365)	GIS Analyst	1	
22	(366)	Legal Assistant	3	
23	(367)	Office Administrative Assistant V	30	
24	(368)	Pavement Profiling Technician	1	
25	(369)	Programmer III	2	
26	(370)	Network Technician I	2	
27	(371)	Publications Specialist	1	
28	(372)	Quality Assurance Specialist II	1	
29	(373)	Realty Appraiser I	3	
30	(374)	Resident Office Technician	33	
31	(375)	Section Office Coordinator	1	
32	(376)	Survey Technician I	2	
33	(377)	System Support Technician II	1	
34	(378)	Hardware Technician II	2	
35	(379)	Training Coordinator	1	
36	(380)	Transportation Management Analyst II	4	

1	(381)	Utility Coordinator I	2	
2		SALARY LEVEL IX		\$59,168
3	(382)	Administrative Aide IV	9	
4	(383)	Advanced Estimates Technician	3	
5	(384)	AR Hwy Police Patrol Off First Class	73	
6	(385)	Attendance Administrator	1	
7	(386)	Bridge Repairer II	48	
8	(387)	Construction Aide II	49	
9	(388)	Crane Operator - Finish	11	
10	(389)	Data Collection Technician	16	
11	(390)	Design Technician II	2	
12	(391)	District Bookkeeper	10	
13	(392)	District Laboratory Technician	8	
14	(393)	Dozer Operator - Finish	20	
15	(394)	Elec, Plumbing & Mech. Repairer	15	
16	(395)	Electrician's Aide	1	
17	(396)	Environmental Technician	2	
18	(397)	Talent Acquisition System Admin	1	
19	(398)	Ferry Boat Pilot	3	
20	(399)	Finish Carpenter	9	
21	(400)	Geotechnical Drill Operator	3	
22	(401)	Hydraulic Excavator Oper. - Finish	20	
23	(402)	Leave Administrator	1	
24	(403)	Motor Patrol Operator - Finish	105	
25	(404)	Office Administrative Assistant IV	3	
26	(405)	PAHR Administrator	1	
27	(406)	Pavement Profiler Operator	3	
28	(407)	Payroll Specialist	2	
29	(408)	Programming Analyst	2	
30	(409)	Reprographics Technician	4	
31	(410)	Senior Body Repairer and Painter	11	
32	(411)	Senior Mechanic	88	
33	(412)	Surveys Aide III	14	
34	(413)	System Support Technician I	2	
35	(414)	Hardware Technician I	5	
36	(415)	Welder	21	

1		SALARY LEVEL VIII		\$55,369
2	(416)	Account Analyst	3	
3	(417)	Administrative Aide III	6	
4	(418)	AR Highway Police Patrol Officer	30	
5	(419)	Computer Technician III	3	
6	(420)	Design Technician I	2	
7	(421)	Division Bookkeeper	2	
8	(422)	Environmental Field Technician II	1	
9	(423)	Insurance Account Coordinator	2	
10	(424)	Landscape Technician	1	
11	(425)	Legal Tech Support	2	
12	(426)	Maintenance Aide III	165	
13	(427)	Maintenance Management Analyst	1	
14	(428)	Materials Technician III	6	
15	(429)	Motor Carrier Safety Auditor	5	
16	(430)	Paver Operator	10	
17	(431)	Program and Contracts Technician I	1	
18	(432)	Public Transportation Technician	1	
19	(433)	Quality Assurance Specialist I	1	
20	(434)	Research Assistant	2	
21	(435)	Right of Way Plans Designer I	4	
22	(436)	Senior Reprographics Operator	2	
23	(437)	Sign Layout Supervisor	1	
24	(438)	Storeroom Assistant II	12	
25	(439)	Striping Machine Driver	6	
26	(440)	Striping Zoner II	1	
27	(441)	Traffic Signal Maintenance Tech.	1	
28	(442)	Transportation Management Analyst I	3	
29		SALARY LEVEL VII		\$51,001
30	(443)	Accounting Assistant	1	
31	(444)	Administrative Aide II	6	
32	(445)	Area Headquarters Attendant	85	
33	(446)	Asphalt Tank Truck Driver	10	
34	(447)	Body Repairer and Painter	3	
35	(448)	Bridge Repairer I	48	
36	(449)	Carpenter	3	

1	(450)	Computer Technician II	2	
2	(451)	Construction Aide I	56	
3	(452)	Construction Office Specialist	1	
4	(453)	Distributor Operator	30	
5	(454)	Estimates Technician	5	
6	(455)	Field Clerk II	25	
7	(456)	District Clerk	22	
8	(457)	Geotechnical Aide II	4	
9	(458)	Legal Aide	2	
10	(459)	Lowboy or Float Truck Driver	21	
11	(460)	Mechanic	20	
12	(461)	Motor Carrier Safety Specialist II	1	
13	(462)	Office Administrative Assistant III	24	
14	(463)	Paint Transport Truck Driver	6	
15	(464)	Permit Technician	15	
16	(465)	Pilot - Deck Hand	2	
17	(466)	Purchasing Clerk	2	
18	(467)	Station Attendant II	11	
19	(468)	Surveys Aide II	10	
20	(469)	Telecommunication Operator	12	
21		SALARY LEVEL VI		\$46,799
22	(470)	Accident Coding Clerk	2	
23	(471)	Administrative Aide I	12	
24	(472)	Data Entry Operator	5	
25	(473)	Maintenance Aide II	765	
26	(474)	Materials Technician II	7	
27	(475)	Motor Carrier Safety Specialist I	3	
28	(476)	Office Administrative Assistant II	13	
29	(477)	Reprographics Operator	4	
30	(478)	Rest Area Attendant	60	
31	(479)	Sign Erector	20	
32	(480)	Sign Layout Specialist	1	
33	(481)	Sign Maker II	5	
34	(482)	Striping Zoner I	1	
35	(483)	Surveys Aide I	6	
36	(484)	Traffic Services Aide	3	

1	(485)	Voucher Typist	2	
2		SALARY LEVEL V		\$42,894
3	(486)	Boiler Operator	1	
4	(487)	Central Office Receptionist	1	
5	(488)	Construction Helper	50	
6	(489)	Deck Hand	2	
7	(490)	District Caretaker	10	
8	(491)	Field Clerk I	17	
9	(492)	Geotechnical Aide I	2	
10	(493)	Guard	32	
11	(494)	Materials Technician I	3	
12	(495)	Office Administrative Assistant I	26	
13	(496)	Parts Runner	11	
14	(497)	Sign Maker I	5	
15	(498)	Maintenance Aide I	465	
16	(499)	Skill Trades Trainee	10	
17	(500)	Station Attendant	13	
18	(501)	Storeroom Assistant I	22	
19	(502)	Striping Helper	12	
20	(503)	Surveys Helper	7	
21		SALARY LEVEL IV		\$39,209
22	(504)	General Laborer	20	
23	(505)	Janitor	10	
24	(506)	Mail Courier	3	
25		SALARY LEVEL III		\$35,746
26	(507)	Intern	60	
27		SALARY LEVEL II		\$32,496
28	(508)	File Clerk	1	
29		SALARY LEVEL I		\$30,010
30	(509)	Seasonal Employees	<u>175</u>	
31		MAX. NO. OF EMPLOYEES	4,932	

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33 SECTION 2. APPROPRIATION - OPERATIONS. There is hereby appropriated,  
 34 to the Arkansas State Highway and Transportation Department, to be payable  
 35 from the State Highway and Transportation Department Fund, for the  
 36 administration and operation of the Arkansas State Highway and Transportation



1 Department; for construction, reconstruction, maintenance, betterments,  
 2 replacement and operation of roads, bridges, ferries and all other facilities  
 3 of the Arkansas State Highway and Transportation Department for the fiscal  
 4 year ending June 30, 2016, the following:

6	ITEM	FISCAL YEAR
7	<u>NO.</u>	<u>2015-2016</u>
8	(01) REGULAR SALARIES	\$188,000,000
9	(02) PERSONAL SERVICES MATCHING	64,000,000
10	(03) OVERTIME	9,000,000
11	(04) MAINT. & GEN. OPERATION	
12	(A) OPER. EXPENSE	245,500,000
13	(B) CONF. & TRAVEL	250,000
14	(C) PROF. FEES	60,000,000
15	(D) CAP. OUTLAY	1,321,860,000
16	(E) DATA PROC.	0
17	(05) DEBT SERVICE	<u>95,000,000</u>
18	TOTAL AMOUNT APPROPRIATED	<u>\$1,983,610,000</u>

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 20 SECTION 3. APPROPRIATION - STATE AID ROADS. There is hereby  
 21 appropriated, to the Arkansas State Highway and Transportation Department, to  
 22 be payable from the State Aid Road Fund, for construction, reconstruction,  
 23 and improvement of roads on the State Aid Road System as authorized by  
 24 Arkansas Code Title 27, Chapter 72, for transfer of engineering and other  
 25 expenses to the State Highway and Transportation Department Fund, and for  
 26 refunds to counties, of the Arkansas State Highway and Transportation  
 27 Department for the fiscal year ending June 30, 2016, the following:

29	ITEM	FISCAL YEAR
30	<u>NO.</u>	<u>2015-2016</u>
31	(01) CONSTRUCTION, RECONSTRUCTION, AND	
32	IMPROVEMENT OF ROADS ON THE	
33	STATE AID ROAD SYSTEM AS	
34	AUTHORIZED BY ARKANSAS CODE	
35	TITLE 27, CHAPTER 72, FOR	
36	TRANSFER OF ENGINEERING AND	

1 OTHER EXPENSES TO THE STATE  
 2 HIGHWAY AND TRANSPORTATION  
 3 DEPARTMENT FUND, AND FOR  
 4 REFUNDS TO COUNTIES \$34,000,000  
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6 SECTION 4. APPROPRIATION - ARKANSAS PUBLIC TRANSIT TRUST FUND. There  
 7 is hereby appropriated, to the Arkansas State Highway and Transportation  
 8 Department, to be payable from the Arkansas Public Transit Trust Fund, for  
 9 acquiring federal matching funds for the purchase of public transportation  
 10 vehicles, public transit equipment or facilities, and for the operation of  
 11 the United States Department of Transportation Federal Transit Administration  
 12 Assistance Programs of the Arkansas State Highway and Transportation  
 13 Department for the fiscal year ending June 30, 2016, the following:  
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15 ITEM	FISCAL YEAR
16 <u>NO.</u>	<u>2015-2016</u>
17 (01) ARKANSAS PUBLIC TRANSIT TRUST	
18 FUND PROGRAM EXPENSES	<u>\$4,600,000</u>

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 20 SECTION 5. APPROPRIATION - STATE AID STREETS. There is hereby  
 21 appropriated, to the Arkansas State Highway and Transportation Department, to  
 22 be payable from the State Aid Street Fund, for construction, reconstruction,  
 23 and improvement of roads and expenses of state aid for municipalities in the  
 24 State Aid Street System as authorized by Arkansas Code Title 27, Chapter 72,  
 25 for transfer of engineering and other expenses to the State Highway and  
 26 Transportation Department Fund, and for refunds to municipalities, of the  
 27 Arkansas State Highway and Transportation Department for the fiscal year  
 28 ending June 30, 2016, the following:  
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30 ITEM	FISCAL YEAR
31 <u>NO.</u>	<u>2015-2016</u>
32 (01) CONSTRUCTION, RECONSTRUCTION, AND	
33 IMPROVEMENT OF ROADS AND	
34 EXPENSES OF STATE AID FOR	
35 MUNICIPALITIES IN THE STATE AID	
36 STREET SYSTEM AS AUTHORIZED BY	

1           ARKANSAS CODE TITLE 27, CHAPTER  
 2           72, FOR TRANSFER OF ENGINEERING  
 3           AND OTHER EXPENSES TO THE STATE  
 4           HIGHWAY AND TRANSPORTATION  
 5           DEPARTMENT FUND, AND FOR  
 6           REFUNDS TO MUNICIPALITIES \$30,000,000

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 8           SECTION 6. APPROPRIATION - ARKANSAS FOUR-LANE HIGHWAY CONSTRUCTION AND  
 9 IMPROVEMENT BOND ACCOUNT. There is hereby appropriated, to the Arkansas  
 10 State Highway and Transportation Department, to be payable from the State  
 11 Highway and Transportation Department Fund, for repayment of bonds, transfer  
 12 to trustees for debt service, bond redemption, investment in accordance with  
 13 applicable resolutions or trust indentures, and funding additional four-lane  
 14 highway construction and improvements, as provided in Amendment 91 of the  
 15 Constitution of the State of Arkansas, of the Arkansas State Highway and  
 16 Transportation Department for the fiscal year ending June 30, 2016, the  
 17 following:

18	19 ITEM	FISCAL YEAR
20	<u>NO.</u>	<u>2015-2016</u>
21	(01) REPAYMENT OF BONDS, TRANSFER TO	
22	TRUSTEES FOR DEBT SERVICE, BOND	
23	REDEMPTION, INVESTMENT IN	
24	ACCORDANCE WITH APPLICABLE	
25	RESOLUTIONS OR TRUST	
26	INDENTURES, FUNDING ADDITIONAL	
27	FOUR-LANE HIGHWAY CONSTRUCTION	
28	AND IMPROVEMENTS, AS PROVIDED	
29	IN AMENDMENT 91 OF THE	
30	CONSTITUTION OF THE STATE OF	
31	ARKANSAS	<u>\$200,000,000</u>

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 33           SECTION 7. APPROPRIATION - COMMERCIAL TRUCK SAFETY AND EDUCATION  
 34 PROGRAM. There is hereby appropriated, to the Arkansas State Highway and  
 35 Transportation Department, to be payable from the Commercial Truck Safety and  
 36 Education Fund, for personal services, maintenance and operating expenses,

1 capital outlay, and grants for improving the safety of the commercial  
 2 trucking industry through cooperative public and private programs focusing on  
 3 increased enforcement, regulatory compliance, industry training, and  
 4 educational programs to ensure the safe movement of goods on state highways,  
 5 of the Arkansas State Highway and Transportation Department - Commercial  
 6 Truck Safety and Education Program for the fiscal year ending June 30, 2016,  
 7 the following:

9 ITEM	FISCAL YEAR
10 <u>NO.</u>	<u>2015-2016</u>
11 (01) COMMERCIAL TRUCK SAFETY AND EDUCATION	
12 PROGRAM EXPENSES	<u>\$3,000,000</u>

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 14 SECTION 8. SPECIAL LANGUAGE. NOT TO BE INCORPORATED INTO THE ARKANSAS  
 15 CODE NOR PUBLISHED SEPARATELY AS SPECIAL, LOCAL AND TEMPORARY LAW. OVERTIME.  
 16 For the purpose of paying overtime, any portion of Item 3 (Overtime) of  
 17 Section 2 may be transferred to and be combined with Item 1 (Salaries) in  
 18 Section 2 at the discretion of the Highway Commission and notice to the  
 19 Auditor of State and the Director of Finance and Administration. Thereafter,  
 20 overtime applicable to salaries may be paid from Item 1 of Section 2. One  
 21 state warrant may be issued to each employee for the total of the regular  
 22 salaries and overtime earned. The amount of the line items in Section 1  
 23 authorized for salaries, may be exceeded for employees eligible for overtime  
 24 to the extent of the overtime paid to said employees. Overtime thus paid  
 25 shall be identifiable for each employee, and in total for all employees, on  
 26 the voucher or other record that is submitted to support the issuance of  
 27 payroll warrants.

28 The provisions of this section shall be in effect only from July 1, ~~2014~~  
 29 2015 through June 30, ~~2015~~ 2016.

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 31 SECTION 9. SPECIAL LANGUAGE. NOT TO BE INCORPORATED INTO THE ARKANSAS  
 32 CODE NOR PUBLISHED SEPARATELY AS SPECIAL, LOCAL AND TEMPORARY LAW. TRANSFERS  
 33 AUTHORIZED. Any savings in the amount appropriated in Section 2 for Item (1)  
 34 Salaries, Item (3) Overtime, Item (2) Personal Services Matching, or any sub-  
 35 item of Item (4) Maintenance and General Operations, may be transferred by  
 36 the Director of the State Highway and Transportation Department to any sub-

1 item of Item (4), upon review by the Arkansas Legislative Council or Joint  
2 Budget Committee and by notifying the Director of Finance and Administration  
3 and the Auditor of State to transfer said savings to a specific sub-item of  
4 Item (4) and make it available for said purpose during the then current  
5 fiscal year.

6 The provisions of this section shall be in effect only from July 1, ~~2014~~  
7 2015 through June 30, ~~2015~~ 2016.

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9 SECTION 10. SPECIAL LANGUAGE. NOT TO BE INCORPORATED INTO THE ARKANSAS  
10 CODE NOR PUBLISHED SEPARATELY AS SPECIAL, LOCAL AND TEMPORARY LAW. PERSONAL  
11 SERVICES MATCHING TRANSFER. Provided that in the event amounts appropriated  
12 in Item (2) Section 2, Personal Services Matching, are insufficient in the  
13 fiscal year to pay the amounts at the rates stipulated by law to be paid for  
14 each of these items, an additional amount as determined and requested by the  
15 Director of Highway and Transportation, and upon review by the Arkansas  
16 Legislative Council or Joint Budget Committee, will be transferred by the  
17 Director of Finance and Administration and the Auditor of State from Item  
18 (4), Maintenance and General Operations, to Item (2) in Section 2, to enable  
19 the State Highway and Transportation Department to pay the required matching  
20 funds.

21 The provisions of this section shall be in effect only from July 1, ~~2014~~  
22 2015 through June 30, ~~2015~~ 2016.

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24 SECTION 11. SPECIAL LANGUAGE. NOT TO BE INCORPORATED INTO THE ARKANSAS  
25 CODE NOR PUBLISHED SEPARATELY AS SPECIAL, LOCAL AND TEMPORARY LAW. LIABILITY  
26 INSURANCE PREMIUM REIMBURSEMENT. The Arkansas Highway Commission is hereby  
27 authorized to reimburse, from funds appropriated in Item (4) of Section 2 of  
28 this Act, State Highway and Transportation Department employees for personal  
29 liability insurance premiums paid by State Highway and Transportation  
30 Department employees for liability coverage on state owned vehicles of the  
31 Highway and Transportation Department up to a maximum of Fifty Dollars (\$50)  
32 per annum per employee, at the option of the eligible employee.

33 The provisions of this section shall be in effect only from July 1, ~~2014~~  
34 2015 through June 30, ~~2015~~ 2016.

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36 SECTION 12. SPECIAL LANGUAGE. NOT TO BE INCORPORATED INTO THE ARKANSAS

1 CODE NOR PUBLISHED SEPARATELY AS SPECIAL, LOCAL AND TEMPORARY LAW.  
2 REPORTING REQUIREMENTS. The Arkansas Highway Commission is hereby authorized  
3 to take appropriate action as necessary to restrict or reduce the operating,  
4 administration, and other associated costs of the State Highway and  
5 Transportation Department, including the Arkansas Highway Police Division,  
6 for the fiscal year ending June 30, ~~2015~~ 2016. Provided further, that the  
7 Arkansas Highway Commission is directed to furnish the Arkansas Legislative  
8 Council with an expenditure status report regarding the financial activities  
9 of the State Highway and Transportation Department at least quarterly,  
10 beginning no later than September 30, 1989.

11 The provisions of this section shall be in effect only from July 1, ~~2014~~  
12 2015 through June 30, ~~2015~~ 2016.

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14 *SECTION 13. SPECIAL LANGUAGE. NOT TO BE INCORPORATED INTO THE ARKANSAS*  
15 *CODE NOR PUBLISHED SEPARATELY AS SPECIAL, LOCAL AND TEMPORARY LAW. DYESS*  
16 *COLONY/JOHNNY CASH HOME SIGNAGE. The Arkansas State Highway and*  
17 *Transportation Department shall install and maintain directional signage*  
18 *referencing the Dyess Colony and the Johnny Cash Home projects at adequate*  
19 *locations on the Interstate 55 highway; the signage shall be installed by*  
20 *January 1, 2016.*

21 *The provisions of this section shall be in effect only from July 1, 2015*  
22 *through June 30, 2016.*

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24 *SECTION 14. COMPLIANCE WITH OTHER LAWS.* Disbursement of funds  
25 authorized by this act shall be limited to the appropriation for such agency  
26 and funds made available by law for the support of such appropriations; and  
27 the restrictions of the State Procurement Law, the General Accounting and  
28 Budgetary Procedures Law, the Revenue Stabilization Law, the Regular Salary  
29 Procedures and Restrictions Act, or their successors, and other fiscal  
30 control laws of this State, where applicable, and regulations promulgated by  
31 the Department of Finance and Administration, as authorized by law, shall be  
32 strictly complied with in disbursement of said funds.

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34 *SECTION 15. LEGISLATIVE INTENT.* It is the intent of the General  
35 Assembly that any funds disbursed under the authority of the appropriations  
36 contained in this act shall be in compliance with the stated reasons for

1 which this act was adopted, as evidenced by the Agency Requests, Executive  
2 Recommendations and Legislative Recommendations contained in the budget  
3 manuals prepared by the Department of Finance and Administration, letters, or  
4 summarized oral testimony in the official minutes of the Arkansas Legislative  
5 Council or Joint Budget Committee which relate to its passage and adoption.  
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7 SECTION 16. EMERGENCY CLAUSE. It is found and determined by the  
8 General Assembly, that the Constitution of the State of Arkansas prohibits  
9 the appropriation of funds for more than a one (1) year period; that the  
10 effectiveness of this Act on July 1, 2015 is essential to the operation of  
11 the agency for which the appropriations in this Act are provided, and that in  
12 the event of an extension of the legislative session, the delay in the  
13 effective date of this Act beyond July 1, 2015 could work irreparable harm  
14 upon the proper administration and provision of essential governmental  
15 programs. Therefore, an emergency is hereby declared to exist and this Act  
16 being necessary for the immediate preservation of the public peace, health  
17 and safety shall be in full force and effect from and after July 1, 2015.

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19 */s/ Joint Budget Committee*  
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