# STATE OF ARKANSAS

# DEPARTMENT OF FINANCE & ADMINISTRATION OFFICE OF INTERGOVERNMENTAL SERVICES

# **State Clearinghouse**

1515 West Seventh Street, Suite 412 Post Office Box 8031 Little Rock, Arkansas 72203 Phone (501) 682-1074 Fax (501) 682-5206 DFA Web Site—http://www.state.ar.us/dfa/

# **MEMORANDUM**

TO: PROJECT NOTIFICATION REVIEW PARTICIPANT

FROM: STATE CLEARINGHOUSE

SUBJECT: REQUEST TO REVIEW APPLICATION

DATE: April 18, 2016

The attached listing reflects applications that were received by the State Clearinghouse during the period indicated and are available for review and comment within the next 30 days.

Each listing contains an assigned identification number, the project title and a brief description of the application's content. The use of the abbreviation (NOI) in parenthesis indicates a "Notification of Intent" to apply for funds and is not a complete application. In most cases, the (NOI) will only be the 424 cover sheet form; however, a complete application will normally be forthcoming 30 days later.

If you desire to formally review any item listed, please indicate by placing the number assigned (i.e.AR#; Environmental Impact Statement; Public Notice) in the space provided below. In accordance with the Project Notification and Review System, anyone who makes a request to review an application must return his comments, should there be any, along with the application to the State Clearinghouse within the specified time period. Under certain circumstances, the reviewer may request an extension of time for his review and comments. This extension cannot exceed 30 days.

Identifier Number				Applicant	
(Name)					
(Address)	(City)	(State)	(ZIP Code)		
(Telephone N	Number)				

## **PROJECT NOTIFICATION & REVIEW SYSTEM**

#### STATE OF ARKANSAS DEPARTMENT OF FINANCE & ADMINISTRATION OFFICE OF INTERGOVERNMENTAL SERVICES P.O. BOX 8031 LITTLE ROCK, ARKANSAS 72203

PROJECT ACTIVITY REPORT April 18, 2016

The State Clearinghouse, Single Point of Contact is in receipt of the Projects listed below for Federal Aid pursuant to the State of Arkansas Project Notification and Review System during the week of April 11, 2016 through April 15, 2016.

AR 160411-014	Ozark Regional Transit Authority Inc.
Description:	This is the annual appropriation from the FTA for Urban Transit Service
Cost:	\$ 2,213,173
Funding Agence	y: Federal Transit Administration
Impact:	Washington and Benton Counties in Arkansas
Contact Person	: Mindy Campbell (479) 756-2547
AR 160411-015	Southern Arkansas University
Description:	Southern Arkansas University's EOC Project is designed to increase the number of adults enrolling into postsecondary institutions. It will serve a target area of four counties in Southwest Arkansas
Cost:	\$ 237,809
Funding Agence	
Impact:	Statewide
Contact Person	: Donna Allen (870) 235-5113
AR 160411-016	Arkansas Department of Health
Description:	Arkansas Tobacco Prevention and Cessation Program 2016. Funding will be used to sustain a comprehensive tobacco prevention and control program in Arkansas in order to decrease the major preventable cause of death in the state and protect the public's health from the harmful effects of tobacco
~	use.
Cost:	\$ 1,195,444
Funding Agence	
Impact:	Statewide
Contact Person	: Michelle Snortland (501) 661-2046
AR 160411-017	Arkansas Agriculture Department
Description:	Country of Origin Labeling Retail Surveillance. To conduct surveillance reviews of retail facilities as determined by the Federal Agency to ensure compliance with the country of origin labeling provisions of the 2002, 208, and 2014 Farms Bills, and the Consolidated Appropriation Act, 2016.
Cost:	\$ 0
Funding Agence	y: U.S. Department of Agriculture
Impact:	Statewide
Contact Person	: Lynn Bellott (501) 837-8595
AR 160411-018	East Arkansas Planning & Development District
Description:	EAPDD Regional Disaster Coordinator
Cost:	\$ 247,044
Funding Agence	
Impact:	City of Jonesboro, Arkansas
Contact Person	: Jamie Wright (870) 932-3957

AR 160412-019	University of Arkansas at Fayetteville	
Description:	Economic Adjustment - Disaster Supplemental Assistance	ce
Cost:	\$ 500,178	
Funding Agen	y: U.S. Department of Commerce	
Impact:	Statewide	
Contact Person	Dan W. Hendrix (479) 418-4827	

AR 160412-020 Arkansas Natural Resources Commission

Description: The activities as described in the work plan will support the State Non-Point source Pollution Management Plan and will be performed in Priority Watersheds as defined by the State of Arkansas. This cooperative agreement helps fund the Arkansas Resources Commission in implementing their approved State Management Plan. Work plan deliverables include nonstructural BMP implementation, monitoring, education, and outreach activities.

\$ 5,554,387
U.S. Environmental Protection Agency
Statewide
Jessica Wallace (501) 682-3963

AR	160413-021	Fairfiel	d Bay Community Foundation
	Description:	Fairfield	Bay Community Foundation Renovation Project
	Cost:		\$ 130,000
	Funding Agen	cy:	USDA/Rural Business Enterprise Grant
	Impact:		City of Fairfield Bay, Arkansas
	Contact Person	n:	Ken Schuette (501) 884-6010

AR 160413-022	Arkansas Department of Environmental Quality
Description:	Particulate Matter 2.5 (PM 2.5) Ambient Air Monitoring Program
Cost:	\$ 564,000
Funding Agen	cy: U.S. Environmental Protection Agency
Impact:	Statewide
Contact Person	n: Miriam Talbert (501) 682-0925

#### AR 160413-023 Arkansas State Plant Board

Description:	CAPS - Oak Commodity Survey. This grant will fund the Oak Commodity Survey which will be focused on placing traps for the early detection of invasive pests of oak trees. One part-time employee will identify locations where a suitable pathway for invasive pine pests exists and will place, monitor and retrieve traps in accordance with national guidelines as established by APHIS.
Cost:	\$ 13,472
Funding Agen	cy: U.S. Department of Agriculture/Animal & Plant Health Inspection Service.
Impact: Contact Perso	n: Scott Bray (501) 225-1598

## AR 160413-024 Little Rock Port Authority

Description: Little Rock Port Authority Growth Initiative will provide improvements to the slack water harbor dock & add rail storage that will increase the multi-modal efficiency of the Port & increase capacity.

Cost:	\$ 8,777,985
Funding Agency:	U.S. Department of Transportation
Impact:	Little Rock, Arkansas
Contact Person:	Marsha Guffey (501) 317-9834

 AR
 160414-025
 City of North Little Rock

 Description:
 Homeowner Rehabilitation and CHDO Rehabilitation/New Construction

 Cost:
 \$ 207,833

 Funding Agency:
 U.S. Department of Housing & Urban Development

 Impact:
 City of North Little Rock, Arkansas

 Contact Person:
 Mary Mellissa Ervin (501) 340-5342

AR 160414-026City of North Little RockDescription:42nd Year CDBG Program to include infrastructure, emergency and housing rehabilitation assistance<br/>grants, wheelchair ramps, homeless service providers, and public service projects.Cost:\$ 530,934Funding Agency:U.S. Department of Housing & Urban DevelopmentImpact:City of North Little Rock, Arkansas<br/>Contact Person:Mary Mellissa Ervin (501) 340-5342

### AR 160415-027 Benton County

Description:	The Benton County Arkansas NSFHP grant request is a freight project carried out to facilitate freight
	movement on US Highway 71 connecting two portions of I-49 on the National Highway System.
Cost:	\$ 9,777,196
Funding Agenc	y: U.S. Department of Transportation
Impact:	Benton County, Arkansas
Contact Person	Brenda M. Guenther (479) 271-5767

## AR 160415-028 Arkansas Department of Human Services

Description:DHS Foster Grandparent Program. Foster Grandparent Funds will be used to provide support to improve<br/>school readiness, increase student success, help children with special or exceptional needs reach their<br/>maximum potential and increase the level of independence for persons with intellectual disabilities with the<br/>services of qualified volunteers ages 55 or older.Cost:\$ 447,089Funding Agency:U.S. Dept. of Health and Human Services/Office of Community Services

Funding Agency:	U.S. Dept. of Health and Human Services/Office of Community Services
Impact:	Statewide
Contact Person:	Jo A. Lewis (501) 320-8902

### AR 160415-029 City of St. Francis, Arkansas

Description: Project includes the construction of a new 60,000-gallon standpipe, miscellaneous distributio replacement and looping, meter replacement, and well house construction.	
	replacement and looping, meter replacement, and wen house construction.
Cost:	\$ 1,176,025
Funding Agend	y: U.S. Department of Agriculture/Rural Development
Impact:	City of St. Francis, Arkansas
Contact Person	: Robert Summers (573) 727-9666

#### AR 160415-030 Central Arkansas Water

Description:	Ozark Point Water Treatment Plant Rehabilitation and Improvement
Cost:	\$ 11,739,200
Funding Agence	cy: Arkansas Natural Resources Commission
Impact:	Pulaski, Perry, Saline, Grant and Lonoke Counties in Arkansas
Contact Person	: Thad L. Luther (501) 377-1220

### AR 160415-031 Central Arkansas Water

Description: Jack H	. Wilson Water Treatment Plant Pump Station No. 1A Rehabilitation	1
Cost:	\$ 3,742,021	
Funding Agency	Arkansas Natural Resources Commission	
Impact:	Pulaski, Perry. Saline, Grant and Lonoke Counties in Arkansas	
Contact Person:	Thad L. Luther (501) 377-1220 Page 6 of 6	