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February 6, 2026

Senator Jonathan Dismang, Co-Chair  
Representative Jeffrey Wardlaw, Co-Chair  
Performance Evaluation & Expenditure Review Committee  
Arkansas Legislative Council  
State Capitol Building  
Little Rock, AR 72201

RE: FY26 Miscellaneous Federal Grant Request(s)

Dear Co-Chairs:

I am forwarding for appropriate action as required by law, the attached Miscellaneous Federal Grant Request(s) that have received my approval as Chief Fiscal Officer of the State.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read 'JLH'.

James L. Hudson  
Secretary

Attachment(s)

FY26 REQUEST FOR LEGISLATIVE REVIEW  
 MISCELLANEOUS FEDERAL PROGRAMS ACT  
 (A.C.A. 19-7-101 ET. SEQ.)

NEW PROGRAM	Agency	Purpose of Grant & Funding Percentages	Federal Appropriation <u>Amount Requested</u>	No. of Positions <u>Requested (if any)</u>	DFA - Chief		DFA IGS State Technology Planning Agency Request in compliance with IT Plan Certification (if applicable)
					Fiscal Officer	Approve	
1. Department of Education - Career and Technical Education - Expanding Arkansas Career Coach Program	The College and Career Coaches Program was established by Act 1285 of 2013 (Ark. Code Ann. § 6-1-601 et seq.) to assist students in middle and high school preparing for post-secondary education or careers. This federal grant will be used to expand Arkansas Career Coach program to additional rural districts.		\$1,125,268	0	X		N/A
Funding Percentages							
Federal      State      Other      Total							
FY26      100      0      0      100							
FY27      0      0      0      0							
FY28      0      0      0      0							
FY29      0      0      0      0							
FY30      0      0      0      0							

Anticipated Duration of Federal Funds: January 31, 2027

**UTILIZATION REPORT  
FOR  
MISCELLANEOUS FEDERAL GRANT PROGRAM APPROPRIATION  
AND PERSONNEL AUTHORIZATION REQUEST  
A.C.A. §19-7-101 ET SEQ.**

Date: 1/12/2026 Grant ID: V051F230170 Legislative Review Date: \_\_\_\_\_

Agency: AR Department of Education - CTE Program Title: Expanding AR Career Coach Program

Granting Organization: USDE Grant #: 84.051F

Effective Date of Authorization: Beginning: 7/1/2025 Ending: 6/30/2026

Purpose of Grant / Reason for addition or change: (include attachments as necessary to provide thorough information):  
The College and Career Coaches Program was established by Act 1285 of 2013 (Ark. Code Ann. § 6-1-601 et seq.) to assist students in middle and high school preparing for post-secondary education or careers. This federal grant will be used to expand Arkansas Career Coach program to additional rural districts.

**Project-Grant Funding**

Business Area Code: 0590  
Funds Center Code: 641  
Fund Code: FEV350  
Functional Area Code: EDUC

Continuation of Existing Program: \_\_\_\_\_  
Change in Existing Program: \_\_\_\_\_  
New Program: X

	New Federal Funds	State Matching Funds	Other Matching Funds	Project Total
Regular Salaries				-
Extra Help				-
Personal Services Matching				-
Operating Expenses				-
Conference & Travel Expenses				-
Professional Fees				-
Capital Outlay				-
Data Processing				-
Grants and Aid (CI: 04)	1,125,268			1,125,268
Other:				-
Other:				-
<b>Total</b>	<b>\$ 1,125,268</b>	<b>\$ -</b>	<b>\$ -</b>	<b>\$ 1,125,268</b>

**Funding Percentages**

	Federal	State	Other	Total
FY25				0%
FY26	100%			100%
FY27				0%
FY28				0%
FY29				0%

Anticipated Duration of Federal Funds: 1/31/27

**Type of Federal Grant**

WIOA \_\_\_\_\_

Non-WIOA X \_\_\_\_\_

**DFA IGS State Technology Planning Date**

Items requested for information technology must be in compliance with Technology Plans as submitted to DFA IGS State Technology Planning.

**Positions to be established: (list each position separately)**

\* unclassified positions only

Org Unit	Pers Area	Pers SubArea	Cost Center	Position Number	Cmnt Item	Position Title	Class Code	Grade	Line Item Maximum *

**State funds will not be used to replace federal funds when such funds expire, unless appropriated by the General Assembly and authorized by the Governor.**

Approved by:



Agency Secretary/Director

Date

Jessica Moore 2/2/26

Office of Budget

Date

CH 1/23/26

Office of Personnel Mgmt

Date