

1 State of Arkansas
2 93rd General Assembly
3 Regular Session, 2021

A Bill

HOUSE BILL 1474

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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 FOR THE NORTHWEST ARKANSAS COMMUNITY COLLEGE WHICH
10 SHALL BE SUPPLEMENTAL AND IN ADDITION TO THOSE FUNDS
11 APPROPRIATED BY ACT 32 OF 2020; AND FOR OTHER
12 PURPOSES.
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Subtitle

15 AN ACT FOR THE NORTHWEST ARKANSAS
16 COMMUNITY COLLEGE SUPPLEMENTAL
17 APPROPRIATION.
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21 BE IT ENACTED BY THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF THE STATE OF ARKANSAS:
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23 SECTION 1. APPROPRIATION - STATE OPERATIONS. There is hereby
24 appropriated, to the Northwest Arkansas Community College, to be payable from
25 the Northwest Arkansas Community College Fund, for personal services of the
26 Northwest Arkansas Community College which shall be supplemental and in
27 addition to those funds appropriated in Section 3 of Act 32 of 2020, the
28 following:
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30 ITEM	FISCAL YEAR
31 <u>NO.</u>	<u>2020-2021</u>
32 (01) REGULAR SALARIES	<u>\$1,232,615</u>

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34 SECTION 2. COMPLIANCE WITH OTHER LAWS. Disbursement of funds
35 authorized by this act shall be limited to the appropriation for such agency
36 and funds made available by law for the support of such appropriations; and



1 the restrictions of the State Procurement Law, the General Accounting and
2 Budgetary Procedures Law, the Revenue Stabilization Law, the Regular Salary
3 Procedures and Restrictions Act, or their successors, and other fiscal
4 control laws of this State, where applicable, and regulations promulgated by
5 the Department of Finance and Administration, as authorized by law, shall be
6 strictly complied with in disbursement of said funds.

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

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17 SECTION 4. EMERGENCY CLAUSE. It is found and determined by the General
18 Assembly, that funds provided by the General Assembly for the operations of
19 the Northwest Arkansas Community College are, due to unforeseen
20 circumstances, insufficient for the Northwest Arkansas Community College to
21 continue to provide essential governmental services; that the provisions of
22 this act will provide the necessary monies for the Northwest Arkansas
23 Community College to continue such services; and that a delay in the
24 effective date of this Act could work irreparable harm upon the proper
25 administration and provision of essential governmental programs. Therefore,
26 an emergency is hereby declared to exist and this Act being necessary for the
27 immediate preservation of the public peace, health and safety shall be in
28 full force and effect from and after the date of its passage and approval.

29 If the bill is neither approved nor vetoed by the Governor, it shall
30 become effective on the expiration of the period of time during which the
31 Governor may veto the bill. If the bill is vetoed by the Governor and the
32 veto is overridden, it shall become effective on the date the last house
33 overrides the veto.