



**STATE OF ARKANSAS**  
**ASA HUTCHINSON, GOVERNOR**

CARES Act Steering Committee

Wednesday, June 23, 2021

4:00 p.m. - 5:00 p.m.

Arkansas State Capitol, Governor's Conference Room, ZOOM

**AGENDA**

- 1) Welcome & Opening Remarks: Secretary Elizabeth Smith  
Approval of Minutes from May 18, 2021 (Ex 1a)
  
- 2) DFA report – Secretary Larry Walther
  - a. CRF CARES Act - Remaining Fund Balance **\$2,554,515.79** (Ex 2a)
  - b. Return of Funds Report June 2021 **\$1,321,707.89** (Ex 2b)
  - c. Requests to Extend Current Projects \_\_\_\_\_ (Ex 2b)Total remaining: **\$3,876,223.68**
  
- 3) Requests for funding
  - a. **Dpt. of Transformation & Shared Services** – Secretary Amy Fecher & DIS Director, Jonathan Askins  
Reimbursement for procurement of licenses for technology needs of the pandemic including network infrastructure for remote work and platforms for virtual meetings and unemployment assistance. (Ex 3a)  
**Request: \$ 829,484.57**
  
  - b. **Department of Correction** – Secretary Graves  
Reimbursement for Medical and public health expenses, testing, quarantine facilities, ventilators, UV lights, barriers, PPE, remote work equipment, water testing, etc. (Ex 3b)  
**Request: \$2,137,250**
  
  - c. **Department of Public Safety** – Secretary Jami Cook  
Reimbursement for COVID testing by Arkansas State Crime Laboratory and Automation and Expansion of IT/Licensing (Ex 3c)  
**Request: \$ 757,016**Total requests: **\$3,723,750**
  
- 4) Adjourn