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CROSS COUNTY QUORUM COURT
APPROPRIATION ORDINANCE NO. 2022- _____
ELECTED OFFICIAL: DONNIE SANDERS

**BE IT ENACTED BY THE QUORUM COURT OF THE COUNTY OF CROSS, STATE OF ARKANSAS, AN
ORDINANCE ENTITLED:**

AN ORDINANCE TO APPROVE THE SPENDING FROM UNAPPROPRIATED AMERICAN RELIEF FUND IN AN AMOUNT NOT TO EXCEED \$34,000.00 TO SOCIAL SERVICES SPECIAL PROJECT;

WHEREAS: IT IS NECESSARY TO APPROVE THE SPENDING IN AN AMOUNT NOT TO EXCEED \$34,000.00 TO AID AND ASSIST CITIZENS THAT MAY HAVE BEEN IMPACTED DUE TO COVID;

\$4,000.00 TO 1000-8033103 CHERRY VALLEY FOOD PANTRY;
\$4,000.00 TO 1000-8033104 WYNNE GOOD SHEPHARD CENTER;
\$4,000.00 TO 1000-8033105 HICKORY RIDGE FOOD PANTRY;
\$4,000.00 TO 1000-8033106 SECOND CHANCE DV/SA;
\$4,000.00 TO 1000-8033107 LIFEHOUSE RECOVERY HOME FOR WOMEN;
\$10,000.00 TO 1000-8033108 CHANGES BEHAVIORIAL HEALTH;
\$4,000.00 TO WYNNE SENIOR CITIZENS CENTER

WHEREAS; IT IS NECESSARY TO APPROVE THE SPENDING FROM UNAPPROPRIATED AMERICAN RELIEF FUND IN AN AMOUNT NOT TO EXCEED \$34,000.00 TO GRANT IN AID SOCIAL SERVICES PROJECTS TO AID AND ASSIST CROSS COUNTY CITIZENS REQUIRING FOOD, DOMESTIC ABUSE TREATMENT, RE-ENTRY AND MENTAL HEALTH CARE;

WHEREAS; THE CHERRY VALLEY FOOD PANTRY, HICKORY RIDGE FOOD PANTRY, AND THE WYNNE GOOD SHEPHERD CENTER PROVIDES FOOD FOR CROSS COUNTY CITIZENS IN NEED BASED ON QUALIFICATIONS AS DETERMINED BY THE CENTERS. SECOND CHANCE DV/SA PROVIDES TEMPORARY HOUSING, MEALS, COUNCILING, AID IN OBTAINING LEGAL SERVICES AND RE-ENTRY HELP TO CITIZENS OF ABUSE AND DOMESTIC VIOLENCE IN CROSS COUNTY. LIFEHOUSE RECOVERY FOR WOMEN PROVIDES A ONE YEAR PROGRAM OF FOOD, SHELTER AND A REHABILITATION HOME FOR WOMEN IN CROSS COUNTY WITH ASSISTANCE IN RE-ENTRY INTO THE COMMUNITY. CHANGES BEHAVIORIAL HEALTH PROVIDES COUNCILING AND MENTAL HEALTH ASSISTANCE TO CITIZENS OF CROSS COUNTY. FUNDING WILL ASSIST THOSE WHO DO NOT HAVE INSURANCE COVERAGE AND CANNOT OTHERWISE AFFORD THE CARE. WYNNE SENIOR CITIZENS CENTER PROVIDES DELIVERED MEALS FOR SENIORS WHO ARE HOMEBOUND.

WHEREAS; THE FUNDS SHOULD BE DIVIDED AS FOLLOWS: CHERRY VALLEY PANTRY \$4,000.00, WYNNE GOOD SHEPHERD CENTER \$4,000.00, HICKORY RIDGE FOOD PANTRY \$4,000.00, SECOND CHANCE DV/SA SHELTER \$4,000.00, LIFEHOUSE RECOVERY HOME FOR WOMEN \$4,000.00, CHANGES BEHAVIORIAL HEALTH \$10,000.00 AND WYNNE SENIOR CITIZENS CENTER \$4,000.00

WHEREAS THIS COURT IS OF THE OPINION THIS APPROPRIATION IS FAIR AND REASONABLE.

NOW, THEREFORE BE IT ORDAINED BY THE QUORUM COURT OF CROSS COUNTY, ARKANSAS.

PASSED AND APPROVED THIS _____ DAY OF SEPTEMBER _____.

ATTEST:

APPROVED:

MELANIE WINKLER, COUNTY CLERK

DONNIE SANDERS, COUNTY JUDGE