

**House Amendments to Senate Bill No. 3047**

**TO THE SECRETARY OF THE SENATE:**

**THIS IS TO INFORM YOU THAT THE HOUSE HAS ADOPTED THE AMENDMENTS SET OUT BELOW:**

**AMENDMENT NO. 1**

**Amend by striking all after the enacting clause and inserting in lieu thereof the following:**

6           **SECTION 1.** The following sum of money, or so much thereof as  
7 may be necessary, is hereby appropriated out of any money in the  
8 Gulf Coast Restoration Fund, as created in Section 57-119-1  
9 Mississippi Code of 1972, not otherwise appropriated to the  
10 Mississippi Development Authority. These funds are provided for  
11 projects as outlined in Section 57-119-9, Mississippi Code of  
12 1972, for assistance to local units of government, nongovernmental  
13 organizations, institutions of higher learning, community  
14 colleges, ports, airports, public-private partnerships, private  
15 for-profit entities, private nonprofit entities and local economic  
16 development entities for the fiscal year beginning July 1, 2023,  
17 and ending June 30, 2024.....\$                   0.00.

18           **SECTION 2.** The following sum, or so much thereof as may be  
19 necessary, is reappropriated out of any money in the Gulf Coast  
20 Restoration Fund not otherwise appropriated for the Mississippi  
21 Development Authority for the purpose of reauthorizing the  
22 expenditure of Gulf Coast Restoration Fund, as authorized in

23 Senate Bill No. 3049, 2022 Regular Session, for the fiscal year  
24 beginning July 1, 2023, and ending June 30, 2024.....  
25 .....\$37,061,356.00.

26 Notwithstanding the amount reappropriated under this section,  
27 the amount that may be expended under the authority of this  
28 section shall not exceed the unexpended balance of the funds  
29 remaining as of June 30, 2023, from the amount authorized for the  
30 previous fiscal year. In addition, this reappropriation shall not  
31 change the purpose for which the funds were originally authorized.

32 Of the funds reappropriated in this section the following  
33 sums are provided for projects:

34 (a) To assist the Gulfport Redevelopment  
35 Commission for the completion of the second and  
36 final phase of a mixed-use, downtown redevelopment  
37 project, including public use components, so as  
38 to leverage public and private investment.....\$ 8,000,000.00

39 (b) To assist the City of Pass Christian  
40 with the Water Front Redevelopment Plan.....\$ 3,000,000.00

41 (c) To assist the Pascagoula Redevelopment  
42 Authority with the City of Pascagoula Rail Line  
43 Development Plan.....\$ 3,061,356.00

44 (d) To assist the City of Biloxi with the  
45 Popp's Ferry Extension Project.....\$ 3,000,000.00

46 (e) To assist the City of Waveland with  
47 the Waveland Marina Phase I .....\$ 2,000,000.00

48 (f) To assist the Ocean Springs Redevelopment

49 Authority with City of Ocean Springs Projects.....\$ 2,000,000.00

50 (g) To assist the City of Moss Point with

51 Moss Point's Magnificent Mile 2.0.....\$ 2,000,000.00

52 (h) To assist the Hancock County Port and

53 Harbor Commission with the Technology Park at

54 Stennis Airport Phase I.....\$ 2,000,000.00

55 (i) To assist the Pearl River County Board

56 of Supervisors with the Pearl River County

57 Industrial Park Project.....\$ 1,600,000.00

58 (j) To assist the City of Long Beach with

59 the Long Beach Harbor Complex Restoration.....\$ 1,000,000.00

60 (k) To assist the City of Bay St. Louis

61 with the City Public Safety Complex.....\$ 1,000,000.00

62 (l) To assist the Mississippi State

63 University Research and Technology Corporation

64 with continued development of the Mississippi

65 Cyber Center Project.....\$ 1,000,000.00

66 (m) To assist the City of Diamondhead with

67 the Commerce District Transportation.....\$ 900,000.00

68 (n) To assist the Stone County Economic

69 Development Partnership with the Heritage Spring

70 Water Project.....\$ 600,000.00

71 (o) To assist the Ocean Springs Collective

72 with Ocean Springs Collective Projects.....\$ 400,000.00

73 (p) To assist the Mississippi Export Railroad

74 with Mississippi Export Projects.....\$ 3,500,000.00

75 (q) To assist the Greater Biloxi Economic  
76 Development Foundation and JDLE, LLC with the  
77 Downtown Redevelopment of Barq's and Kress  
78 Buildings on Howard Avenue.....\$ 2,000,000.00

79 **SECTION 3.** The following sum, or so much thereof as may be  
80 necessary, is reappropriated out of any money in the Gulf Coast  
81 Restoration Fund not otherwise appropriated for the Mississippi  
82 Development Authority for the purpose of reauthorizing the  
83 expenditure of Gulf Coast Restoration Fund, as authorized in  
84 Senate Bill No. 3049, 2022 Regular Session, for the fiscal year  
85 beginning July 1, 2023, and ending June 30, 2024.....  
86 .....\$49,933,055.00.

87 Notwithstanding the amount reappropriated under this section,  
88 the amount that may be expended under the authority of this  
89 section shall not exceed the unexpended balance of the funds  
90 remaining as of June 30, 2023, from the amount authorized for the  
91 previous fiscal year. In addition, this reappropriation shall not  
92 change the purpose for which the funds were originally authorized.

93 Of the funds reappropriated in this section the following  
94 sums are provided for projects:

95 (a) To assist the Mississippi State  
96 University Research and Technology Corporation  
97 with the design and construction of the  
98 Mississippi Cyber Center.....\$ 13,500,000.00

99 (b) To assist the University of Southern  
100 Mississippi Ocean Enterprise.....\$ 4,500,000.00

101           (c) To assist the Stone County Board of  
102 Supervisors with the Piney Wood Pellet Mill  
103 road, rail and bypass.....\$ 2,500,000.00

104           (d) To assist the Gulfport Redevelopment  
105 Commission for Phase I of a planned 3-phase  
106 project of downtown redevelopment to be used on  
107 a public use project so as to leverage public  
108 and private investment.....\$ 2,500,000.00

109           (e) To assist the City of Ocean Springs  
110 and the OHOS Development LLC with a  
111 Public/Private Development.....\$ 6,000,000.00

112           (f) To assist the Pascagoula Redevelopment  
113 with downtown revitalization project.....\$ 3,000,000.00

114           (g) To assist Long Beach High School with  
115 the Long Beach High School Career and Technical  
116 Education Center.....\$ 2,500,000.00

117           (h) To assist the City of Diamondhead with  
118 the Town Center District - Commercial District  
119 Project.....\$ 2,000,000.00

120           (i) To assist Stone County School District  
121 with the Stone County High School Career and  
122 Technical Education Center.....\$ 3,200,000.00

123           (j) To assist the City of Gulfport with  
124 flood control and/or drainage for the  
125 Forest Heights Project.....\$ 2,100,000.00

126           (k) To assist the City of Moss Point with

127 the Interstate 10 Frontage Roads, North and  
128 South.....\$ 2,000,000.00  
129 (l) To assist the City of Picayune with the  
130 Friendship Park Revitalization Project.....\$ 1,900,000.00  
131 (m) To assist Pearl River Community College  
132 PRCC Aviation Aerospace Academy.....\$ 1,900,000.00  
133 (n) To assist the City of Bay St. Louis with  
134 the Court Street Parking facility, expansion and  
135 improvements.....\$ 1,000,000.00  
136 (o) To assist the Walter Anderson Museum with  
137 Phase 3 and Phase 4.....\$ 636,000.00  
138 (p) To assist the City of Lucedale with  
139 Ventura Drive Improvements.....\$ 577,000.00  
140 (q) To assist George County with the Scott  
141 Road Project, widening and infrastructure.....\$ 120,055.00

142 **SECTION 4.** The following sum, or so much thereof as may be  
143 necessary, is reappropriated out of any money in the Gulf Coast  
144 Restoration Fund not otherwise appropriated for the Mississippi  
145 Development Authority for the purpose of reauthorizing the  
146 expenditure of Gulf Coast Restoration Fund, as authorized in  
147 Senate Bill No. 3049, 2022 Regular Session, for the fiscal year  
148 beginning July 1, 2023, and ending June 30, 2024.....  
149 .....\$37,962,670.00.

150 Notwithstanding the amount reappropriated under this section,  
151 the amount that may be expended under the authority of this  
152 section shall not exceed the unexpended balance of the funds

153 remaining as of June 30, 2023, from the amount authorized for the  
154 previous fiscal year. In addition, this reappropriation shall not  
155 change the purpose for which the funds were originally authorized.

156 Of the funds reappropriated in this section, the following  
157 sums are provided for projects recommended by the department and  
158 projects that meet the criteria outlined in Section 57-119-9,  
159 Mississippi Code of 1972:

160 (a) To assist Power Dynamics Innovations,  
161 LLC with Equipment and Facility Upgrades.....\$ 616,541.00

162 (b) To assist the City of Bay St. Louis  
163 with the Old Town Police Department.....\$ 764,062.00

164 (c) To assist the City of Bay St. Louis  
165 with the Old Town Depot Revitalization  
166 District.....\$ 490,375.00

167 (d) To assist the City of Diamondhead with  
168 the Commercial District Transformation Project.....\$ 1,500,000.00

169 (e) To assist the Stone County School  
170 District with the Stone County High School  
171 Career and Technical Education Center.....\$ 2,992,145.00

172 (f) To assist the University of Southern  
173 Mississippi with the Ocean Enterprise Phase I.....\$ 5,942,385.00

174 (g) To assist the Walter Anderson Museum  
175 Creative Complex Phase I and begin Phase II.....\$ 366,298.00

176 (h) To assist the City of Ocean Springs  
177 and the OHOS Development LLC with a  
178 Public/Private Development.....\$ 2,000,000.00

179 (i) To assist the Gulfport School with  
180 a STEM Exploration Lab.....\$ 79,061.00

181 (j) To assist the City of Biloxi with  
182 downtown revitalization at the Saenger Theater.....\$ 577,830.00

183 Of the funds reappropriated in this section, the following  
184 sums are provided for projects that meet the criteria outlined in  
185 Section 57-119-9, Mississippi Code of 1972:

186 (a) To assist Harrison County with the  
187 Harrison County Law Enforcement Training  
188 Academy.....\$ 444,925.00

189 (b) To assist George Regional Health System  
190 with a multispecialty medical office complex.....\$ 1,901,193.00

191 (c) To assist Mississippi State University  
192 Research and Technology Corporation with the design  
193 and construction of the Mississippi Cyber Center...\$ 3,234,176.00

194 (d) To assist the Port of Pascagoula with  
195 the North Rail Connector.....\$ 6,600,000.00

196 (e) To assist Jackson County Economic  
197 Development Foundation with site development and  
198 related support of a defense supplier.....\$ 377,561.00

199 (f) To assist the Pascagoula Redevelopment  
200 Authority with the Innovation Center.....\$ 1,000,000.00

201 (g) To assist the Pascagoula Redevelopment  
202 Authority with the City Center.....\$ 1,099,196.00

203 (h) To assist the Institute for Marine Mammal  
204 Studies with Educational Classrooms and Dorms.....\$ 3,000,000.00



205           (i) To assist the City of Pass Christian  
206 with redevelopment and revitalization.....\$       750,000.00  
207           (j) To assist the City of Long Beach  
208 with development and revitalization.....\$ 2,000,000.00  
209           (k) To assist the City of Long Beach  
210 with the Quarles House.....\$ 2,000,000.00  
211           (l) To assist George County with a rail  
212 connection project:  
213               (1) George County rail and highway  
214 improvements for Enviva project.....\$       125,981.00  
215               (2) Mississippi Export Railroad for  
216 the Enviva project.....\$       100,941.00

217           **SECTION 5.** The following sum, or so much thereof as may be  
218 necessary, is reappropriated out of any money in the Gulf Coast  
219 Restoration Fund not otherwise appropriated for the Mississippi  
220 Development Authority for the purpose of reauthorizing the  
221 expenditure of Gulf Coast Restoration Fund, as authorized in  
222 Senate Bill No. 3049, 2022 Regular Session, for the fiscal year  
223 beginning July 1, 2023, and ending June 30, 2024.....  
224 .....\$ 5,500,000.00.

225           Notwithstanding the amount reappropriated under this section,  
226 the amount that may be expended under the authority of this  
227 section shall not exceed the unexpended balance of the funds  
228 remaining as of June 30, 2023, from the amount authorized for the  
229 previous fiscal year. In addition, this reappropriation shall not  
230 change the purpose for which the funds were originally authorized.

231 Of the funds reappropriated in this section the following  
232 sums are provided for the following programs:

233 (a) For the Mississippi Development Authority  
234 and the Air Service Development Incentive Program...\$ 2,500,000.00

235 (b) For the Mississippi Development Authority  
236 and the Quality of Place Incentives Program.....\$ 3,000,000.00

237 Of these funds, One Million Dollars (\$1,000,000.00) is  
238 provided for the development of a South Mississippi defense and  
239 space industry strategy for small companies to compete for defense  
240 related contracts to include government, industry and academia.

241 **SECTION 6.** The money herein appropriated shall be paid by  
242 the State Treasurer out of any money in the State Treasury to the  
243 credit of the proper fund or funds as set forth in this act, upon  
244 warrants issued by the State Fiscal Officer; and the State Fiscal  
245 Officer shall issue his warrants upon requisitions signed by the  
246 proper person, officer or officers, in the manner provided by law.

247 **SECTION 7.** This act shall take effect and be in force from  
248 and after July 1, 2023, and shall stand repealed from and after  
249 June 29, 2023.

**Further, amend by striking the title in its entirety and  
inserting in lieu thereof the following:**

1 AN ACT MAKING AN APPROPRIATION AND A REAPPROPRIATION TO THE  
2 MISSISSIPPI DEVELOPMENT AUTHORITY TO AUTHORIZE AND REAUTHORIZE THE  
3 EXPENDITURE OF GULF COAST RESTORATION FUNDS PREVIOUSLY  
4 APPROPRIATED FOR PROJECTS FOR FISCAL YEAR 2024.

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Clerk of the House of Representatives