

By: Representative James-Jones

To: Appropriations A

HOUSE BILL NO. 977

1 AN ACT MAKING AN APPROPRIATION TO THE BOARD OF SUPERVISORS OF
2 SHARKEY COUNTY TO ASSIST IN PAYING COSTS ASSOCIATED WITH
3 ESTABLISHING A REGIONAL HOUSING RECOVERY STRATEGY WITH FEDERAL AND
4 STATE PARTNERS TO RESTORE HOUSING LEVELS TO THE STATUS BEFORE THE
5 2023 TORNADO AND PLANNING FOR THE DEMANDS OF WORKFORCE HOUSING
6 REQUIRED BY NEW BUSINESS AND INDUSTRY FOR THE FISCAL YEAR 2026.

7 BE IT ENACTED BY THE LEGISLATURE OF THE STATE OF MISSISSIPPI:

8 **SECTION 1.** The following sum, or so much of it as may be
9 necessary, is appropriated out of any money in the State General
10 Fund not otherwise appropriated, to the Board of Supervisors of
11 Sharkey County, Mississippi, to assist in paying costs associated
12 with establishing a regional housing recovery strategy with
13 federal and state partners to restore housing levels to the status
14 before the 2023 tornado and planning for the demands of workforce
15 housing required by new business and industry for the fiscal year
16 beginning July 1, 2025, and ending June 30, 2026.....
17\$ 1,000,000.00

18 **SECTION 2.** The money appropriated by this act shall be paid
19 by the State Treasurer out of any money in the State General Fund
20 not otherwise appropriated, upon warrants issued by the State



21 Fiscal Officer; and the State Fiscal Officer shall issue his or
22 her warrants upon requisitions signed by the proper person,
23 officer or officers in the manner provided by law.

24 **SECTION 3.** This act shall take effect and be in force from
25 and after July 1, 2025.

