



## Resolution No. 88-22

### Adoption Of The American Rescue Plan Act Policy

WHEREAS, On March 11, 2021, the American Rescue Plan Act (ARPA) of 2021 (H.R. 1319) was signed into law establishing the Coronavirus State and Local Fiscal Recovery Funds (SLFRF) Program, and includes \$65.1 billion in direct aid to counties and several additional funding opportunities for counties, to combat the COVID-19 pandemic, including its public health and economic impacts; and

WHEREAS, On January 6, 2022 the U.S. Department of Treasury released the Final Rule for the Recovery Fund with changes to include greater flexibility in the use of Recovery Funds with a standard allowance of revenue loss up to \$10 million dollars eligible to be used as unrestricted funds for public purposes; and

WHEREAS, On February 9, 2022 the Greene County Legislature conducted an ARPA workshop wherein the Legislature reviewed SLFRF Program Rules, discussed projects and priorities and developed a Draft ARPA Policy; and

WHEREAS, the SLFRF Program coverage period begins March 3, 2021 with all funds to be obligated by December 31, 2024 and all funds to be expended, work performed and completed by December 31, 2026.

NOW THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED, that in furtherance of the SLFRF Program, the Greene County Legislature hereby adopts an ARPA Policy for the Legislature to use as a guide in the selection of projects.

#### ATTACHMENTS:

- GC Legislature ARPA Policy (PDF)

#### Meeting History

03/14/22 Government Operations **MOVED FOR ADOPTION**

<b>RESULT:</b>	<b>MOVED FOR ADOPTION [UNANIMOUS]</b>
<b>MOVER:</b>	Charles A. Martinez, Legislator / Budget Officer
<b>SECONDER:</b>	Linda H. Overbaugh, Legislator
<b>AYES:</b>	Davis, Martinez, Overbaugh, Hobart, Lucas, Legg, Luvera, Lennon
<b>ABSENT:</b>	Patrick Linger

#### Current Meeting

03/16/22 Greene County Legislature **ADOPTED**

<b>RESULT:</b>	<b>ADOPTED [UNANIMOUS]</b>
<b>MOVER:</b>	Charles A. Martinez, Legislator/Budget Officer
<b>SECONDER:</b>	Linda H. Overbaugh, Legislator
<b>AYES:</b>	Bloomer, Bulich, Davis, Handel, Hobart, Legg, Lennon, Lucas, Luvera, Martinez, Overbaugh, Thorington, True, Linger

(10,000)  
Ayes 14 Noes 0 Absent 0

APPROVED AS TO FORM  
EDWARD I. KAPLAN, ESQ.  
GREENE COUNTY ATTORNEY