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Riverside County

**American Rescue Plan Act (ARPA) Non-Profits
Funding Workshop**

Wednesday, October 13, 2021



AGENDA

- **Background**
- **Funding Objectives & Eligibility**
- **Applications**
- **Funding Compliance**
- **Next Steps / Questions**

Background

- The Riverside County Board of Supervisors allocated \$1M in ARPA funding to the COVID-19 Community Improvement Designation (CID) Fund
- The funding provided is to support pandemic relief efforts undertaken by non-profit organizations
- The \$1M will be distributed equally among all districts (\$200K per district)
- This is a one-time funding opportunity

Funding Objectives & Eligibility

Funding will be considered for *non-profits conducting the below efforts, as a result of the pandemic:

- Support urgent COVID-19 response efforts carried out by non-profit agencies to continue to decrease spread of the virus and bring the pandemic under control
- Support immediate economic stabilization for households and businesses
- Address systemic public health and economic challenges that have contributed to the inequal impact of the pandemic
- Mitigate demonstrated financial hardship resulting from COVID-19 public health emergency including covering payroll, mortgages or rent, and other operating expenses

** Only non-profit organizations that are exempt from federal income taxation as described in section 501(c)(3) of the Internal Revenue Code are eligible for ARPA funding*

Applications

Non-Profits shall submit the below listed applications to be considered for ARPA funding:

- Non-Profits CID Funding Application (as available by each district)**
- Non-Profits ARPA Funding Supplemental Application**

Administration Process

- The Board of Supervisor offices will seek applications and make recommendations for funding awards. Board offices will ask applicants to submit both their standard CID application form and the Supplemental ARPA Request.
- The Executive Office will review and verify eligibility.
- Recommendations for award will be reviewed and approved by the Board of Supervisors.
- Successful recipients shall not begin work until authorized by the Board of Supervisors and notified by County staff.

ARPA Funding Compliance

- Accounting records and supporting documentation shall be made available to Single Auditors and the County Executive Office representatives upon request.
- The awardee shall submit a quarterly progress report by the 15th of the month following the end of the previous quarter.
- The awardee shall submit a final progress report upon full maximization of their award.
- All reports shall be emailed to RIVCOARPA@rivco.org

ARPA Funding Compliance

- The awardee shall retain all records related to the funding received for a period of 3 years.
- The awardee shall adhere to all related compliance requirements as reflected in the US Treasury Interim and Final Guidelines.
- Funds will have to be fully expended by December 31, 2024.



QUESTIONS?