

**A RESOLUTION OF CITY OF BAY CITY, TEXAS, AUTHORIZING PROFESSIONAL SERVICE PROVIDER(S) SELECTION FOR AMERICAN RESCUE PLAN ACT (ARP ACT) PROGRAM(S).**



## **EXECUTIVE SUMMARY**

### **AMERICAN RESCUE PLAN ACT OF 2021- ADMIN SERVICES**

**BACKGROUND:** The American Rescue Plan (ARP) Act of 2021 – the latest COVID-19 stimulus package - became law on March 11, 2021. (1.9 trillion economic stimulus bill)

The City of Bay City is projected to receive \$ 4,344,926.61 from the US Treasury as allocated in the American Rescue Plan (ARP) Act. The City will have until December 31, 2024 to expend the funds.

On April 13, 2021, the City Council authorized the City to seek administrative or engineering services if needed.

After projects were identified, City staff determined it was in the best interest of the City to seek administrative services. These services can be paid by ARP funds.

**FINANCIAL IMPLICATIONS:** There is no match requirement.

**IMPACT ON COMMUNITY SUSTAINABILITY:** The funds can be used for water, sewer, or broadband infrastructure. Funds can be used to respond to the public health emergency or its negative economic impacts, may include assistance to households, businesses, and non-profits.

**RECOMMENDATION:** Scoring Committee will make a recommendation at the City Council meeting to award administrative services.

**ATTACHMENTS:** Resolution