

AGENDA REQUEST & STAFF REPORT

MEETING DATE: August 4, 2021

SUBJECT: American Rescue Plan Funding Update

RECOMMENDED MOTION:

A to-be-determined motion will be required if they Board choses to fund additional projects from ARPA funds.

BACKGROUND AND POLICY IMPLICATIONS:

On July 14, 2021 staff reviewed the list of ARPA funding requests with the Board of County Commissioners. The Board approved \$2.85 million in projects associated with the pandemic. Additionally, the Board provided staff with additional questions for follow up at the next review meeting including the items listed below.

Discussion items for today's update:

- 1. Follow up items from 07.14.21 discussion:
 - a. Business assistance for membership-based businesses.
 - b. Comprehensive approach to finding a childcare solution.
 - c. Irrigation project overview and funding eligibility guest presentation.
- 2. Response to public notification of ARPA funding availability.
- 3. Review ARPA funding requests.

BUDGET IMPACTS:

None. Budget appropriations for the entire \$38 million ARPA funding award are included in the FY 2021-22 Adopted Budget.

ATTENDANCE:

Greg Munn, County Treasurer and Chief Financial Officer Dan Emerson, Budget Manager.