



City of Eustis

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TO: Eustis City Commission

FROM: Tom Carrino, City Manager

DATE: December 12, 2024

RE: Resolution Number 24-113: Approving Disbursement of American Rescue Plan Act Funds for the Conversion of Septic Systems to City Sewer for Johnson's Point Project

Introduction:

Resolution Number 24-113 approves the disbursement of American Rescue Plan Act (ARPA) Funds for the conversion of septic systems to City sewer for the Johnson's Point Project and authorizes the City Manager to execute all related agreements.

Background:

The City of Eustis has implemented the Johnson's Point Project in efforts to convert septic systems to City sewer for 7 duplexes (14 residential units) within the Johnson's Point subdivision. Via installation of a 4" force main along Grand Island Shores Road, these homes can be connected to City sewer through the existing lift station nearby the Johnson's Point project site. This project can be completed for approximately \$100,000 and will eliminate the need for 14 septic systems, contributing to the City's reporting to FDEP for septic to sewer conversion through the OSTDS Remediation Plan, Wastewater 20 Year Needs Analysis, BMAP STAR Report, and MS4 NPDES Annual Report.

Lake County has been awarded funds pursuant to the American Rescue Plan Act and has elected to transfer a portion of these funds to the City of Eustis to assist with septic to sewer conversions.

Recommended Action:

Staff recommends approval of Resolution Number 24-113.

Policy Implications:

N/A

Budget/Staff Impact:

The grant award in the amount of \$100,000 will be fully funded through ARPA Funds and will have no financial impact on the City's operating budget. The funds will be utilized in accordance with the guidelines listed in the Subrecipient Agreement between Lake County, Florida and The City of Eustis.

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Attachments:

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