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To: Hamburg Township Board  
From: Tony Randazzo  
Re: ARPA Allocation

I am requesting a change to the ARPA allocation given to DPW and Buildings & Grounds. Previously, \$1.1 million was allocated to DPW for the M-36 sewer extension (roughly \$800,000) and the remaining amount was to be used for grinder pump replacement after the sewer extension was complete. However, after consulting with the Finance Director, I think that the grinder pump replacements should be paid out of the DPW equipment reserve account, and not out of ARPA funds. This will allow us to pay for pump replacements right now, instead of waiting for the extension to be finished. It will also alleviate a potential ARPA reporting headache as the pump replacements are a slow piecemeal project, subject to contractor availability.

I would then like to redirect \$145,000 in ARPA funds toward construction of the pole barn and carport for Buildings & Grounds. In addition, I would also like to redirect \$75,000 for the restroom renovation project at Township Hall. These projects are well suited for ARPA funds and easy to track.

The net effect of this ARPA reallocation is that DPW will receive \$800,000 and Buildings and Grounds will receive \$220,000, freeing up \$80,000 for use on other projects.