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Staff Report

ARPA Committee Appointments

DATE: July 15, 2022

TO: Moncks Corner Town Council

FROM: Douglas Polen, Community Development Director

SUBJECT: Appointment to the ARPA Committee

ACTION REQUESTED:

Consider appointing members to the ARPA Committee

Background:

The Town Council has appropriated approximately \$850,000 of American Rescue Plan Act (ARPA) funds for a business development grant. This grant has been designed to help small business in Moncks Corner with items such as façade improvements, landscaping, branding & signage, and digital marketing. The Town has received approximately 65 grant applications at this time.

Staff recommends the following individuals for the committee:

- Charlotte Cruppenink
- Teresa McLaughlin
- Connor Salisbury
- Carolyn Haynes Smith
- Dannielle Dixon Thomas

This is not envisioned to be a long-term committee, so at this time no term ending date is recommended. Should modifications be required to membership or terms, Staff will come back to Council for clarification or for new appointments.