

PARISH ORDINANCE NO. PO-030-2021

AN ORDINANCE OF THE LAFAYETTE PARISH COUNCIL AMENDING THE FY 20/21 OPERATING BUDGET OF THE LAFAYETTE CITY-PARISH CONSOLIDATED GOVERNMENT BY INCREASING REVENUES IN THE AMOUNT OF \$23,734,946.50 IN CORONAVIRUS STATE AND LOCAL FISCAL RECOVERY FUNDS RECEIVED FROM THE U.S. DEPARTMENT OF THE TREASURY AND APPROPRIATING FUNDS WITHIN THE COMMUNITY DEVELOPMENT DEPARTMENT

BE IT ORDAINED by the Lafayette Parish Council, that:

WHEREAS, the Governor of Louisiana and the Lafayette Mayor-President have both issued emergency declarations due to the outbreak of a respiratory disease named "SARS-CoV-2" or "COVID-19," which declarations are still in effect; and

WHEREAS, in order to contain the outbreak of COVID-19, a necessary component of the emergency declarations and related orders of the Governor of Louisiana and the Lafayette Mayor-President has been the closure of businesses and public places, the requirement of social distancing, and severe limitations upon the operations of businesses, all of which have caused serious damage to the local economy; and

WHEREAS, the U.S. Department of the Treasury has appropriated funding to Lafayette City-Parish Consolidated Government as part of the Coronavirus State and Local Fiscal Recovery Fund, established by Sections 602(b) and 603(b) of the Social Security Act, as added by section 9901 of the American Rescue Plan Act, Pub. L. No. 117-2 (March 11, 2021).

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT FURTHER ORDAINED by the Lafayette Parish Council, that:

SECTION 1: All of the aforescribed "Whereas" clauses are adopted as part of this ordinance.

SECTION 2: The FY 20/21 operating budget of the Lafayette City-Parish Consolidated Government is hereby amended by increasing revenues in the amount of \$23,734,946.50, received from the U.S. Department of the Treasury under the Coronavirus State and Local Fiscal Recovery Fund, and appropriating funds within the Community Development Department.

SECTION 3: The Lafayette Mayor-President, or his designee, is hereby authorized to amend the operating budget within the grant period by transferring any unexpended appropriated balances into or out of salaries and benefits line items and all other expense line items in order to expend the total award amount in accordance with federal regulations.

SECTION 4: The Lafayette Parish Council does hereby authorize the Lafayette Mayor-President, or his designee, to conduct all negotiations, execute and submit all documents, including but not limited to applications, agreements, amendments, payment requests,

memoranda of understanding and so on, which may be necessary for the completion of the aforementioned project.

SECTION 5: This transfer of funds shall be as reflected in any pertinent documents which are attached hereto and made a part hereof and filed in the Office of the Lafayette Clerk of the Council.

SECTION 6: All ordinances or resolutions, or parts thereof, in conflict herewith are hereby repealed.

SECTION 7: This ordinance shall become effective upon signature of the Lafayette Mayor-President, the elapse of ten (10) days after receipt by the Lafayette Mayor-President without signature or veto, or upon an override of a veto, whichever occurs first.

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Shane Rougeau

From: slfrp@treasury.gov
Sent: Monday, June 7, 2021 3:40 PM
To: Shane Rougeau
Cc: CARESITFORMS@Treasury.gov
Subject: Submission Confirmation - American Rescue Plan Act of 2021 – Treasury's Coronavirus State and Local Fiscal Recovery Funds

The review of your submission to the Treasury Submission Portal for Coronavirus State and Local Fiscal Recovery Funds on behalf of Lafayette City-Parish Consolidated Government is finished and the information and documentation you submitted was determined to be complete and accurate.

Your payment is based on the relevant allocation methodology and any applicable tranching. Additional information is available on the Coronavirus State and Local Fiscal Recovery Funds website – www.treasury.gov/SLFRP. At this time the Department of Treasury has processed a payment in the amount of \$23,734,946.50. Please note, receipt timeline of this payment is subject to your financial institution's usual processing times.

If you have questions about the application payment portal or for technical support, please email covidreliefitsupport@treasury.gov. If you have general questions about the American Rescue Plan Coronavirus State & Local Fiscal Recovery Funds (SLFRF) please email SLFRP@treasury.gov or call 844-529-9527.

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Coronavirus State and Local Fiscal Recovery Fund

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Lafayette Consolidated Government
Chief Administrative Officer

Internal Memorandum

Community Development Department
Director's Office (8100)

TO: Cydra Wingerter
THRU: Lorrie Toups *6/17/21*
THRU: Melinda Felps
THRU: Kerney Simoneaux *6/16/21*
FROM: Hollis Conway


DATE: June 14, 2021

SUBJECT: **Agenda Item: Parish Ordinance**
U.S. Treasury Coronavirus State & Local Fiscal Recovery Fund (SLFRF)

Attached is an ordinance and corresponding budgetary revision reflecting an increase in revenue in the amount of \$23,734,946.50 received from the U.S. Department of the Treasury for the federal Coronavirus State and Local Fiscal Recovery Fund (SLFRF). Funds are being budgeted toward Contractual Services in anticipation of opening a consulting contract, while the remainder of funds will be budgeted to Reserve-Grants/Contracts for later allocation to appropriate projects.

If this ordinance meets with your approval, please have this item placed on the Parish Council agenda for introduction on July 6, 2021 and final adoption on July 20, 2021.

Sincerely,


Hollis Conway, Oly
Director

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LAFAYETTE CONSOLIDATED GOVERNMENT
CFO-OFFICE OF FINANCE & MGMT

LAFAYETTE PARISH COUNCIL MEETING

AGENDA ITEM SUBMITTAL FORM

1) **JUSTIFICATION FOR REQUEST:** An ordinance of the Lafayette Parish Council amending the FY20/21 operating budget of the Lafayette City-Parish Consolidated Government by increasing revenues in the amount of \$23,734,946.50 in Coronavirus State and Local Fiscal Recovery Funds received from the U.S. Department of the Treasury and appropriating funds within the Community Development Department

2) **ACTION REQUESTED:** Adoption of ordinance

3) **COUNCIL DISTRICT(S) (CIP PROGRAM/PROJECTS ONLY):**

4) **REQUESTED ACTION OF COUNCIL:**

A) **INTRODUCTION:** July 6, 2021

B) **FINAL ADOPTION:** July 20, 2021

5) **DOCUMENTATION INCLUDED WITH THIS REQUEST:**

A) Ordinance (2 pages)

B) Budget Revision (1 page)

C) Award Notice Email (1 page)

D) Memo (1 page)

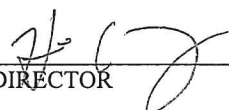
6) **FISCAL IMPACT:**

 X Fiscal Impact

Recognize and appropriate \$23,734,946.50 SLFRF grant funding

 No Fiscal Impact

RECOMMENDED BY:



DIRECTOR

APPROVED FOR AGENDA:



CHIEF ADMINISTRATIVE OFFICER