## RESOLUTION ADOPTING REQUIRED POLICES FOR THE EXPENDITURE OF AMERICAN RESCUE PLAN/CORONAVIRUS STATE AND LOCAL FISCAL RECOVER FUNDS (CSLFRF)

**WHEREAS** the Town of Carrboro has received an allocation of funds from the Coronavirus State and Local Fiscal Recovery Funds of H.R. 1319 American Rescue Plan Act of 2021 (ARP/CSLFRF); and

**WHEREAS** U.S. Treasury is responsible for implementing ARP/CSLFRF and has enacted a Final Rule outlining eligible projects; and

**WHEREAS** the funds may be used for projects within these categories, to the extent authorized by state law.

- 1. Support COVID-19 public health expenditures, by funding COVID-19 mitigation and prevention efforts, medical expenses, behavioral healthcare, preventing and responding to violence, and certain public health and safety staff.
- 2. Address negative economic impacts caused by the public health emergency, including economic harms to households, small businesses, non-profits, impacted industries, and the public sector.
- 3. Replace lost public sector revenue, using this funding to provide government services to the extent of the reduction in revenue experienced due to the pandemic.
- 4. Provide premium pay for essential workers, offering additional support to those who have borne and will bear the greatest health risks because of their service in critical infrastructure sectors.
- 5. Invest in water, sewer, and broadband infrastructure, making necessary investments to improve access to clean drinking water, support vital wastewater and stormwater infrastructure, and to expand access to broadband internet.

**WHEREAS** the ARP/CSLFRF are subject to the provisions of the federal Uniform Grant Guidance, 2 CFR Part 200 (UG), as provided in the <u>Assistance Listing</u>; and

**WHEREAS** U.S. Treasury has issued a <u>Compliance and Reporting Guidance Version 4.0 (June 10, 2022)</u> dictating implementation of the ARP/CSLFRF award terms and compliance requirements; and

**WHEREAS** the Compliance and Reporting Guidance states on page 7 that: "Per 2 CFR Part 200.303, your organization must develop and implement effective internal controls to ensure that funding decisions under the SLFRF award constitute eligible uses of funds, and document determinations."

## BE IT RESOLVED that the Town of Carrboro Town Council hereby

1. Adopts and enacts the following policies for the ARP/CSLFRF expenditures:

ARPA 2022-01	Eligible Project Policy
ARPA 2022-02	Allowable Costs and Cost Principles
ARPA 2022-03	Program Income
ARPA 2022-04	Recordkeeping
ARPA 2022-05	Property Management
ARPA 2022-06	Subaward and Monitoring
ARPA 2022-07	Conflict of Interest

- 2. These policies are effective October 11, 2022 and shall remain in effect until December 31, 2026 or until all funds have been spent or returned to the U.S. Treasury.
- 3. The U.S. Treasury may amend its rules and guidance from time to time; and the Town's Finance Officer may modify these policies as required by any Treasury amendments.
- 4. Grant awards and contracts less than \$60,000 may be approved by the Town Manager per Section 3-1(b)(9)(i) of the Town Code as amended. Awards and contracts \$60.0000 and over shall be approved by the Town Council.

The foregoing resolution having been submitted to a vote, received the following vote and was
duly adopted this day of October 2022
Ayes:
Noes:
Absent or Excused: