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October 19, 2023

**DISTRICT COUNCIL MEMBERS**

Kristen Zaehring  
*First District*

Lauren Garrett  
Mayor

Jeron Alston  
*Second District*

Re: Amendment to order authorizing the expenditure of Coronavirus  
Local Fiscal Recovery Funds (aka American Rescue Plan Act  
funds)

Abdul Osmani  
*Third District*

Dear Mayor Garrett:

Sarah Gallagher  
*Fourth District*

Please be advised that the Legislative Council, at its meeting held on  
October 16, 2023, approved the above order with amendments.

Justin Farmer  
*Fifth District*

A copy of said order is attached.

Paula Irvin  
*Sixth District*

Very truly yours,

Adrian Webber  
*Seventh District*

Kim Renta,  
Clerk of the Council

Theodore Stevens  
*Eighth District*

Bob Anthony  
*Ninth District*

cc: Carol Hazen, Manager of Grants & Capital Projects ✓  
Sue Gruen, Town Attorney  
Curtis Eatman, Finance Director

**LEGISLATIVE COUNCIL**  
**ADMINISTRATOR &**  
**CLERK OF THE COUNCIL**  
Kimberly Renta

**TOWN OF HAMDEN  
LEGISLATIVE COUNCIL  
AMENDMENT TO ORDER AUTHORIZING THE EXPENDITURE OF  
CORONAVIRUS LOCAL FISCAL RECOVERY FUNDS  
(ALSO KNOWN AS AMERICAN RESCUE PLAN ACT FUNDS)**

PRESENTED BY: Legislative Council

WHEREAS the Legislative Council previously authorized the Town to accept American Rescue Plan Act Funds (ARPA) as follows:

#HN020-3101- Revenue

Direct Funding for Entitlement Communities- fiscal year 2021-2022	\$6,189,022
Direct Funding for Entitlement Communities- fiscal year 2022-2023	\$6,189,022
State Pass through County Allocation- fiscal year 2021-2022	\$5,881,146.56

#HN020-9065- Expenditures

Direct funding for Entitlement Communities- fiscal year 2021-2022	\$6,189,022
Direct funding for Entitlement Communities- fiscal year 2022-2023	\$6,189,022
State Pass through County Allocation- fiscal year 2021-2022	\$5,881,146.56

WHEREAS on May 15, 2023, the Legislative Council authorized the expenditure from HN020-9065 in accordance with the attached Order, a copy of which is attached hereto and made a part of this Amended Order as Exhibit A.

NOW THEREFORE BE IT ORDERED that the Town wishes to amend Exhibit A and add the following ARPA projects and allocate funding as follows:

Subrecipient activity	Amount	ARPA Funded Project
Equitable PTA Boost	\$154,000	Buses for Hamden Elementary, Middle and High School students to attend field trips and cultural events.
Youth Mentorship Programs	\$40,000	Funding to support the administration of youth mentorship programs in Soccer and Basketball.
Community Engagement and Planning for 6 Lakes	\$40,000	
Branch Library ADA Improvements	\$610,000	
Department of Public Works	\$450,000	Vehicles
Hamden Small Business support and grants	\$242,500	Grants, training and technical assistance for Hamden based small businesses.

Total from above: \$1,536,500

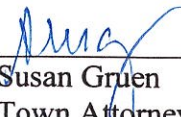
BE IT FURTHER ORDERED that ARPA funds will be used for direct and indirect administrative expenses involved with administering the program and the Legislative Council hereby authorizes and approves funding for program management, administration and compliance costs associated with each of the above-described ARPA funded activities in an amount up to \$300,000 through June 30, 2024.

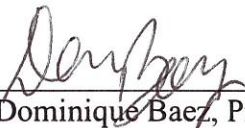
BE IT FURTHER ORDERED that ARPA funds in an amount up to \$240,000 shall be used for the ARPA consultant agreement.

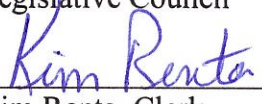
BE IT FURTHER ORDERED that the remainder of Exhibit A shall be in full force and effect.

Adopted by the Legislative Council at its meeting held on October 16, 2023.

APPROVED AS TO FORM:

  
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Susan Gruen  
Town Attorney

  
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Dominique Baez, President  
Legislative Council

  
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Kim Renta, Clerk  
Legislative Council

APPROVED:

\_\_\_\_\_  
Lauren Garrett  
Mayor

Date: \_\_\_\_\_