

## MILWAUKEE COUNTY FISCAL NOTE FORM

**DATE:** August 2, 2022

Original Fiscal Note

Substitute Fiscal Note

**SUBJECT:** Requesting an American Rescue Plan Act (ARPA) allocation of \$2 million for the Matching Grant Pilot Program within the Revenue Loss Recovery Expenditure Category.

**FISCAL EFFECT:**

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| <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> No Direct County Fiscal Impact<br><input type="checkbox"/> Existing Staff Time Required<br><input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Increase Operating Expenditures<br>(If checked, check one of two boxes below)<br><input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Absorbed Within Agency's Budget<br><input type="checkbox"/> Not Absorbed Within Agency's Budget<br><input type="checkbox"/> Decrease Operating Expenditures<br><input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Increase Operating Revenues<br><input type="checkbox"/> Decrease Operating Revenues | <input type="checkbox"/> Increase Capital Expenditures<br><input type="checkbox"/> Decrease Capital Expenditures<br><input type="checkbox"/> Increase Capital Revenues<br><input type="checkbox"/> Decrease Capital Revenues<br><input type="checkbox"/> Use of contingent funds |
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*Indicate below the dollar change from budget for any submission that is projected to result in increased/decreased expenditures or revenues in the current year.*

	Expenditure or Revenue Category	Current Year	Subsequent Year
<b>Operating Budget</b>	Expenditure	\$0	\$2,000,000
	Revenue	\$0	\$2,000,000
	Net Cost	\$0	\$0
<b>Capital Improvement Budget</b>	Expenditure	\$0	\$0
	Revenue	\$0	\$0
	Net Cost	\$0	\$0

## DESCRIPTION OF FISCAL EFFECT

In the space below, you must provide the following information. Attach additional pages if necessary.

- A. Briefly describe the nature of the action that is being requested or proposed, and the new or changed conditions that would occur if the request or proposal were adopted.
  - B. State the direct costs, savings or anticipated revenues associated with the requested or proposed action in the current budget year and how those were calculated.<sup>1</sup> If annualized or subsequent year fiscal impacts are substantially different from current year impacts, then those shall be stated as well. In addition, cite any one-time costs associated with the action, the source of any new or additional revenues (e.g. State, Federal, user fee or private donation), the use of contingent funds, and/or the use of budgeted appropriations due to surpluses or change in purpose required to fund the requested action.
  - C. Discuss the budgetary impacts associated with the proposed action in the current year. A statement that sufficient funds are budgeted should be justified with information regarding the amount of budgeted appropriations in the relevant account and whether that amount is sufficient to offset the cost of the requested action. If relevant, discussion of budgetary impacts in subsequent years also shall be discussed. Subsequent year fiscal impacts shall be noted for the entire period in which the requested or proposed action would be implemented when it is reasonable to do so (i.e. a five-year lease agreement shall specify the costs/savings for each of the five years in question). Otherwise, impacts associated with the existing and subsequent budget years should be cited.
  - D. Describe any assumptions or interpretations that were utilized to provide the information on this form.
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- A. Approval of this resolution will provide a total of \$2 million in ARPA funds for the Matching Grant Pilot Program. The Matching Grant Pilot program will provide matching funds for new competitive grant opportunities to stimulate grant development across County departments. By removing a common barrier to pursuing new grant funds, the matching fund reserve will alleviate financial strain and support the programmatic goals of County service areas. Success will be measured by documenting the return on matching fund investment. The overarching goal of the program would be to maintain a 75% return on matching fund investment. For every \$1 of local Milwaukee County funds contributed to a project, \$3 will be received from an external source. Funding would allow Departments to apply for matching funds from the Fall of 2022 until the Fall of 2023. Funds would be accessible and dispersed from the Spring of 2023 until the Fall of 2024.
  - B. Approval of this resolution would allocate \$2 million out of Milwaukee County's ARPA award amount of \$183,417,734. Specifically, the \$2 million would be allocated from the \$115,728,599 Revenue Loss Recovery.
  - C. Costs are anticipated to be incurred effective Spring 2023 and continue throughout 2023 and 2024. Funding for the 2023 and 2024 program costs will be disbursed from the County's allocation of ARPA funds to fully offset the costs with no additional impact to the tax levy.
  - D. No assumptions or interpretations were made.

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<sup>1</sup> If it is assumed that there is no fiscal impact associated with the requested action, then an explanatory statement that justifies that conclusion shall be provided. If precise impacts cannot be calculated, then an estimate or range should be provided.

<sup>2</sup> Community Business Development Partners' review is required on all professional service and public work construction contracts.

Authorized Signature

JOSEPH LAMERS

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Did DAS-Fiscal Staff Review?

Yes

No

Did CBDP Review?

Yes

No

Not Required