

**SKAMANIA COUNTY
RESOLUTION 2021-18**

ESTABLISHMENT OF AMERICAN RESCUE PLAN ACT FUND

WHEREAS a request has been made by the Skamania County Auditor for the Skamania County Commissioners to establish a County Fund for the American Rescue Plan Act (ARPA) funds, and

WHEREAS, Title IX, Subtitle M (Sec. 9901) of the American Rescue Plan Act (ARPA) establishes the State and Local Fiscal Recovery Funds program, and

WHEREAS, these local fiscal recovery funds will cover qualifying expenses through December 31, 2024 to cover increased expenditures, replenish lost revenue and mitigate economic harm from the COVID-19 pandemic, along with any qualifying expenses as the U.S. Treasury issues more detailed guidance, and

WHEREAS, any unused funds must be expended or returned to the U.S. Treasury at the end of the covered period, and

WHEREAS, the County Auditor and County Treasurer having established that the best practice would be to create a new fund to track the ARPA funds and duly determined a Special Revenue Fund is an appropriate fund type,

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED, that the County Auditor is authorized to establish a Special Revenue Fund numbered 1900.000, and

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, that said fund shall be known as the *American Rescue Plan Act Fund*, and the County Treasurer is hereby directed to establish said fund.

ADOPTED, this 8th day of June 2021.

**BOARD OF COUNTY COMMISSIONERS
SKAMANIA COUNTY, WASHINGTON**



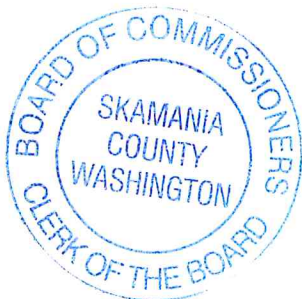
T.W. Lannen, Chair



Richard Mahar, Vice-Chair



Robert Hamlin, Commissioner



ATTEST:



Debbie Slack, Clerk of the Board

APPROVED AS TO FORM:



Adam Kick, Prosecuting Attorney