



DESIGNATING HHS AMERICAN RESCUE PLAN FUNDS TO BE USED FOR COMMUNITY PROJECTS #1

RUSK COUNTY

TO THE RUSK COUNTY BOARD OF SUPERVISORS

ROLL CALL Board Members	AYE (Yes)	NAY (No)	Abstain / Excused
1. ALEC HAMPTON	✓		
2. JERRY BILLER	✓		
3. STACY ZIMMER	✓		
4. JOHN MOORE	✓		
5. TERRY WEDWICK	✓		
6. SHERRY WALLACE		✓	
7. SUZANNE VOHS	✓		
8. TOM CUDO		✓	
9. PHIL UNDERSCHUETZ	✓		
10. BRIAN COGGINS	✓		
11. PHIL SCHNEIDER	✓		
12. JIM MEYER	✓		
13. KURT GORSEGNER	✓		
14. JOHN KALEPP	✓		
15. TOM HANSON	✓		
16. LOIS GOODE		✓	
17. DAVE WILLINGHAM	✓		
18. MIKE RUSSELL	✓		
19. JAMES PLATTETER	✓		
TOTAL	16	3	0

**BOARD ACTION**

Vote Required: Majority Vote of a Quorum

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Motion to Approve Adopted  Defeated

1st Schneider Defeated

2nd Hanson

No: 3 Yes: 16 Exc: 0

Reviewed by: \_\_\_\_\_, Corp. Counsel

Reviewed by: Aimee Wille, Finance Director

**FISCAL IMPACT:** (Note if there is any fiscal impact or not)

No levy impact, all grant (ARPA) funded

**Certification:**

I, Connie Meyer, Clerk of Rusk County, hereby certify that the above is a true and correct copy of a resolution that was adopted on the 16 day of April, 2024 by the Rusk County Board of Supervisors.

Connie Meyer  
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 County Clerk, Rusk County

1 **WHEREAS**, Rusk County Public Health has been awarded a total of \$335,000 from the  
 2 federal government under the American Rescue Plan Act (ARPA) of 2021; and  
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 4 **WHEREAS**, allowed uses of Public Health ARPA funds include the department  
 5 spending designated funds for a variety of projects consistent with the APRA regulations,  
 6 reporting requirements, and statement of work, and  
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 8 **WHEREAS**, Rusk County Public Health encouraged proposals for use of funds from  
 9 schools, community partners, township government, and through a press release in the  
 10 Ladysmith News, for consideration of funding; and  
 11 **WHEREAS**, the following proposed community projects were reviewed and approved  
 12 by the Health and Human Services Committee:  
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Project	Funding Amount	Approval Date and Committee
Ladysmith Parks Department for ADA Playground pour in place surface	\$100,000	03/14/24 HHS
Flambeau Schools for Character Strong Program	\$14,000	03/14/24 HHS
Indianhead Community Action Agency for Triple P Certification for Staff Member	\$2,500	03/14/24 HHS
Embrace for Supplies and set up for Harm Reduction Vending Machine	\$30,000	03/14/24 HHS
Rusk County Youth Council for- Bike Rodeo	\$2,500	03/14/24 HHS
Rusk County Community Library for- replacement of story time path story holders through OJ Falge Park	\$8,000	03/14/24 HHS
Rusk County ADRC- Smart TV and internet access for Senior Center for exercise classes	\$2,500	03/14/24 HHS

14 **NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED**, be it resolved that the Rusk County Board  
 15 of Supervisors hereby designates \$159,500 of the funding received through American  
 16 Rescue Plan Act of 2021 for Public Health to be used for the projects listed above.  
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**SUBMITTED BY:**

Rusk County Health and Human Services  
Committee

Phil Edwards  
, Chairman

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, Vice Chairman