



RESOLUTION # 40-24

DESIGNATING HHS AMERICAN RESCUE PLAN FUNDS TO BE USED FOR COMMUNITY PROJECTS #3

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 UNTERSCHUETZ	✓		
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. DAN GUDIS	✓		
TOTAL	19	0	0

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

3 WHEREAS, Resolution 15-24 already designated \$159,500 of Rusk County Public
4 Health ARPA funding and Resolution 25-24 Designating HHS American Recue Plan
5 Funds #2 has proposed distribution of \$61,000 for community projects;
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7 WHEREAS, allowed uses of Public Health ARPA funds include the department
8 spending designated funds for a variety of projects consistent with the ARPA regulations,
9 reporting requirements, and statement of work, and
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11 WHEREAS, Rusk County Public Health encouraged proposals for use of funds from
12 schools, community partners, township government, and through a press release in the
13 Ladysmith News, for consideration of funding; and
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15 WHEREAS, the following proposed community projects were reviewed and approved
16 by the Health and Human Services Committee:
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Project	Funding Amount	Approval Date and Committee
Blue Hills Trails Association, Inc. for reimbursement of worth of work done by Flambeau Correctional Center inmates to clear down tree debris from trails in the summer of 2023 following the December 2022 ice storm.	\$1830	06/13/24 HHS
Nature's Edge Therapy Center for the sponsorship of speech, occupation, or physical therapy for Rusk County youth that has financial barriers to receiving therapy.	Up to \$2,000	06/13/24 HHS
Alano Club for use toward the replacement of the Alano Club roof (located at 411 E Second St South, Ladysmith).	Up to \$10,000	06/13/24 HHS

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20 NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED, that the Rusk County Board of Supervisors
21 herby designates up to \$13,830 of the funding received through American Rescue Plan
22 Act of 2021 for Public Health to be used for the projects listed above.
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BOARD ACTION

Vote Required: Majority Vote of a Quorum

Motion to Approve Adopted

1st Moore Defeated

2nd Russell

No: 0 Yes: 19 Exc: 0

Reviewed by: _____, Corp. Counsel

Reviewed by: Janice Wille, Finance Director

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

No levy funds - all ARPA Grant funds

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 25 day of July, 2024 by the Rusk County Board of Supervisors.

Connie Meyer
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County Clerk, Rusk County

Phil Schneider
Lois Goode
Thom J. Hamm
Mark Schmitt
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John Moore
John Zee