

**OFFICE OF THE CITY MANAGER
LITTLE ROCK, ARKANSAS**

**BOARD OF DIRECTORS COMMUNICATION
NOVEMBER 19, 2024 AGENDA**

Subject:	Action Required:	Approved By:
<p>A resolution to amend Little Rock, Ark., Resolution No. 15,676 regarding intended uses of State and Local Fiscal Recovery Funds from the American Rescue Plan Act.</p>	<p>Ordinance √ Resolution</p>	<p>Emily Cox Acting City Manager</p>
<p>Submitted by: Finance Department</p>		
SYNOPSIS	<p>A resolution to amend Little Rock Ark., Resolutions No. 15,676 (May 3, 2022) regarding the intended uses of State and Local Fiscal Recovery Funds from the American Rescue Plan Act, which included estimated total funding for Sidewalks that will instead be obligated for public safety salaries.</p>	
FISCAL IMPACT	<p>The total cost of this purchase is \$170,156.00. Funds are allocated to TREA Government Salaries – 24 Accounting Unit 271539 Activity G0601AR53.</p>	
RECOMMENDATION	<p>Approval of the resolution.</p>	
BACKGROUND	<p>The Treasury Obligation Interim Final Rule released November 9, 2023, encourages recipients to leverage ARPA's broad scope to identify previously uncharged but allowable costs for expenditures.</p> <p>If ARPA SLFRF funds received from the U.S. Dept. of Treasury are not obligated by December 31, 2024, those unobligated funds must be returned to the Treasury. To ensure all ARPA SLFRF funds are obligated, a total of \$170,156 will be obligated for public safety salaries.</p>	