

RESOLUTION NO. 2021- 383

A RESOLUTION BY THE BOARD OF COUNTY COMMISSIONERS OF ST. JOHNS COUNTY, FLORIDA, APPROVING THE ST. JOHNS COUNTY AMERICAN RESCUE PLAN ACT FUNDING APPROPRIATION PLAN PHASE I; AND RECOGNIZING AND APPROPRIATING PHASE I WITHIN THE FISCAL YEAR 2021 AMERICAN RESCUE PLAN SPECIAL REVENUE FUND BUDGET.

WHEREAS, on May 10, 2021, the U.S. Department of the Treasury announced the launch of the Coronavirus State and Local Fiscal Recovery Funds, established by the American Rescue Plan Act of 2021 (ARPA), to provide emergency funding for eligible state, local, territorial, and Tribal governments, to support the immediate pandemic response, bring back jobs, and lay the groundwork for a strong and equitable recovery; and,

WHEREAS, on August 9, 2021, St. Johns County received the first appropriation of ARPA funding in the amount of \$25,704,716.50; and,

WHEREAS, an ARPA phase one funding allocation plan totaling \$7,843,500, if approved, will be recognized and appropriated within the Fiscal Year 2021 budget; and,

WHEREAS, the St. Johns County American Rescue Plan program was not appropriated within the Fiscal Year 2021 Budget adopted by the St. Johns County Board of County Commissioners and necessitates recognition and appropriation within the Fiscal Year 2021 St. Johns County Board of County Commission Total Budget.

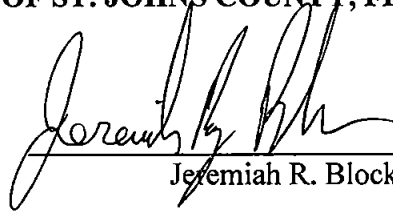
NOW THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED by the Board of County Commissioners of St. Johns County, Florida, that:

1. The above recitals are incorporated by reference into the body of this Resolution, and such Recitals are adopted as Finding of Fact.
2. The Board of County Commissioners (Board) hereby approves the terms and conditions contained in the amendment, attached hereto and incorporated herein.
3. The Board authorizes the recognition and appropriation of a phase I American Rescue Plan Act funding program in the amount of \$7,843,500 within the Fiscal Year 2021 Budget.

4. To the extent that there are typographical errors that do not change the tone, tenor, or context of this Resolution, then this Resolution may be revised without subsequent approval of the Board of County Commissioners.

PASSED AND ADOPTED by the Board of County Commissioners of St. Johns County, Florida, this 7th day of September, 2021.

**BOARD OF COUNTY COMMISSIONERS
OF ST. JOHNS COUNTY, FLORIDA**



Jeremiah R. Blocker, Chair

ATTEST: Brandon J. Patty
Clerk of the Circuit Court & Comptroller



Deputy Clerk

RENDITION DATE 9/9/21

