American Rescue Plan Act

Davis County Government – June 2021

ARPA: What is it ?

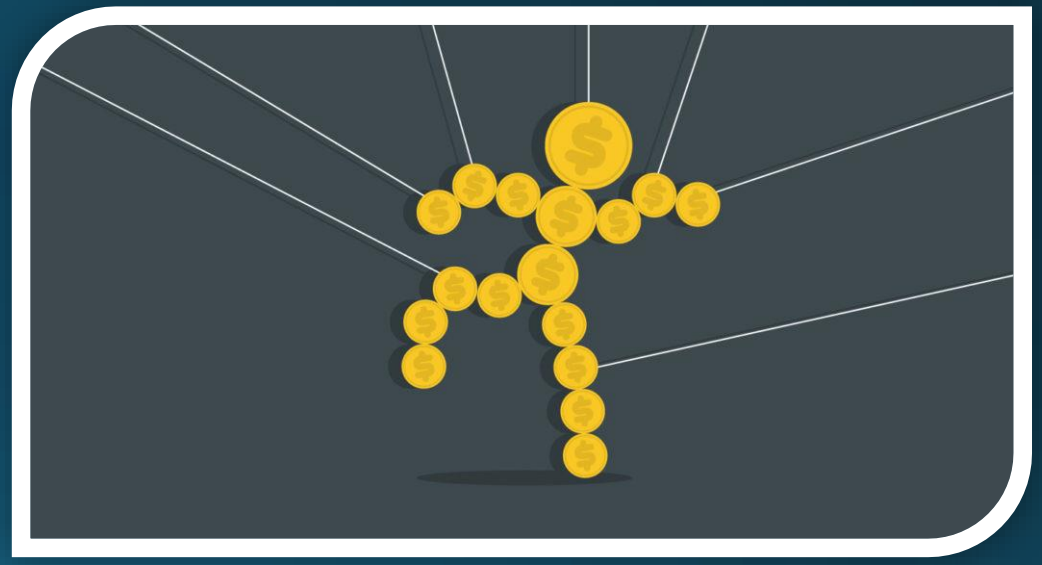
The American Rescue Plan is delivering direct relief to the American people, rescuing the American economy, and starting to beat the virus. The plan includes funding to:

- Provide direct relief to Americans
- Safely reopen schools
- Mount a national vaccination program and contain COVID-19

- Source: www. Whitehouse.gov/american-rescue-plan/

ARPA: What does it mean to Davis County?

$69,000,000 in direct disbursement from the US Treasury to Davis County Gov.



(Approx. 2.3 years of property tax revenue.)

How Can the $69 M Be Spent

Responding to the public health emergency or its negative economic impacts.

- COVID-19 vaccination programs and sites

- COVID–19-related expenses of public hospitals, clinics, and similar facilities

- COVID-19 related expenses in congregate living facilities

- Temporary public medical facilities to increase COVID-19 capacity (construction included)

- Respond to negative economic impacts

Providing Premium Pay to Eligible Workers

- *Public Health and Safety Staff* responding to the COVID-19

-Hiring State back to Jan. 2020 level

-Assistance to Unemployed Workers

-Negative economic impacts of the COVID-19 public health emergency to business and non-profits

- Administrative costs associated with the recipient's COVID-19 public health emergency assistance programs,

Providing Government Services Utilizing Lost Revenues

- *Providing Government Services* to the extent of a reduction in the recipient's general revenue

-Broad latitude to use the Fiscal Recovery Funds for the provision of government services. Government services can include, but are not limited to, maintenance or pay-go funded building of health services; environmental remediation; and the provision of police, fire, and other public safety services (No debt service allowed)

- Not include contributions to rainy day funds, financial reserves, or similar funds

To Make Necessary Investments in Infrastructure.

Water & Sewer – Federal Water Pollution Control Act and Safe Drinking Water Act approved projects

Broadband - provide service to unserved or underserved households and businesses, must exceed 100 Mbps downloads.

So How Do We Proceed…..