

**ORDINANCE NO. 6080 OF 2021**

BY THE CADDO PARISH COMMISSION:

**AN ORDINANCE ADOPTING THE BUDGET OF ESTIMATED EXPENDITURES FOR THE AMERICAN RESCUE PLAN FUND AND TO OTHERWISE PROVIDE WITH RESPECT THERETO**

WHEREAS, the American Rescue Plan Act of 2021 (ARPA) became law on March 11, 2021; and

WHEREAS, the ARPA provides \$350 billion in additional funding for state and local governments; and

WHEREAS, for the first time all municipal governments are entitled to direct, non-competitive federal formula grant from the US Treasury Department; and

WHEREAS, Caddo Parish will receive a total of \$46.59 million from the ARPA; and

WHEREAS, Caddo Parish has received \$23.29 million in 2021 and will receive the balance of \$23.29 million in 2022; and

WHEREAS, Caddo Parish will appropriate the funds based on the Treasury guidelines; and

WHEREAS, Caddo Parish will fund projects from Parish Administrations, Parish Funded Agencies, the Commission and other public bodies; and

WHEREAS, it is necessary to adopt a budget for expenditures in the American Rescue Plan Fund; and

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT ORDAINED, by the Caddo Parish Commission in due, legal and regular session convened, that Budget of Estimated Revenues and Expenditures for the American Rescue Plan Fund for the year 2021 as follows:

	<u>Budget Increase (Decrease)</u>
<b><u>American Rescue Plan Fund:</u></b>	
Expenditures:	
Federal Grant Expenditures:	
Parish Administration	\$15,794,442
Parish Funded Agencies	\$726,544
Commission Programs	\$2,800,000
Other Public Bodies	\$3,308,525
Other Organizations	\$660,489
Fund Balance	(\$23,290,000)

BE IT FURTHER ORDAINED, that if any provision or item of this ordinance or the application thereof is held invalid, such invalidity shall not affect other provisions, items or applications which can be given effect without the invalid provisions, items or applications, and to this end the provisions of this ordinance are hereby declared severable.

BE IT FURTHER ORDAINED, that this ordinance shall take effect upon adoption.

BE IT FURTHER ORDAINED, that all ordinances or parts thereof in conflict herewith are hereby repealed.

**Approved as to legal form:**

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**Parish Attorney**

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**Date**