

BOARD OF COUNTY COMMISSIONERS FOR
ADAMS COUNTY, STATE OF COLORADO

RESOLUTION APPROVING ADAMS COUNTY CO-RESPONSE SERVICES AND
SUPPORTS GRANT AWARDS AGREEMENTS

Resolution 2024-

WHEREAS, on March 11, 2021, the American Rescue Plan Act (“ARPA”) was signed into law and established the Coronavirus State Fiscal Recovery Fund (“CSFRF”), and Coronavirus Local Fiscal Recovery Fund (“CLFRF”), collectively, the Coronavirus State and Local Fiscal Recovery Funds (“SLFRF”); and,

WHEREAS, ARPA provides resources to respond to the COVID-19 public health emergency, its economic impacts, and rebuild a stronger, more equitable economy as the country recovers; and,

WHEREAS, the County received an allocation of SLFRF from the United States Treasury to support recovery efforts including the ability to provide funding to subrecipients to spend on eligible expenditures under ARPA; and,

WHEREAS, within the eligible use categories outlined in the provisions of ARPA, the County has flexibility to determine how best to use payments from ARPA to meet the needs of the communities and populations provided the uses meet the objectives outlined in Section 603(c) of the Social Security Act as added by Section 9901 of ARPA (“SLFRF Objectives”); and,

WHEREAS, the Adams County Board of County Commissioners allocated ARPA Tranche II funds to support the Behavioral Health Services and Supports Assessment in 2023; and,

WHEREAS, the Adams County Department of Public Health and the Adams County Long-Term Recovery team issued a notice of funding opportunity for the Co-Response Services and Supports ARPA Funding Opportunity on May 2024; and,

WHEREAS, the Co-Response Services and Supports competitive grant review and scoring committee was formed to review, score, and evaluate the grant proposals submitted and selected that the proposals referenced in Exhibit A be awarded by Adams County American Rescue Plan Act funds in the amounts listed; and,

WHEREAS, the Board of County Commissioners has reviewed the recommendations by the Co-Response Services and Supports Scoring Committee, and the Adams County Department of Public Health; and,

WHEREAS, the Board of County Commissioners supports the recommendations of the Co-Response Services and Supports Scoring Committee and the Long-Term Recovery Team and wishes to award grants to the projects listed in Exhibit A; and,

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED by the Board of County Commissioners, County of Adams, State of Colorado, that the recommended projects in Exhibit A be approved for Adams County American Rescue Plan Act funding contingent upon the full execution of a grant agreement between external organizations and the County.

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED by the Board of County Commissioners, County of Adams, State of Colorado, that the County Manager or his designee is authorized to execute amendments to the American Rescue Plan Act Grant Project agreements on behalf of Adams County, upon approval of the amendment by the Recovery & Major Initiatives Administrator and the Adams County Attorney's Office.

EXHIBIT A

Project Title	Agency	Funding Recommendation	Funding Category
Brighton and Federal Heights CRP Support	Reaching Hope	\$499,137.00	Public Health
City of Commerce City - Commerce City Police Department	Commerce City PD	\$261,250.00	Public Health
Community Paramedic/ Co- Responder Support Program	City of Thornton Fire Department	\$319,200.00	Public Health
Crisis Response Unit	City of Northglenn	\$446,800.00	Public Health