

County of Alameda Recovery Plan

State and Local Fiscal Recovery Funds 2021 Report

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COUNTY OF ALAMEDA



2021 RECOVERY PLAN PERFORMANCE REPORT STATUS

The County of Alameda is currently in the planning stages of developing its Recovery Plan that will respond to the COVID-19 public health emergency and promote an equitable economic recovery. As part of the planning process, the County Board of Supervisors (Board) scheduled a special meeting on August 17, 2021, that focused on the American Rescue Plan Act (ARPA). The special meeting was convened to provide an opportunity for community-based providers, special interest groups and other interested stakeholders to publicly present needs and proposals for the best uses of the ARPA Funds to address the COVID-19 pandemic response and recovery in the diverse communities throughout the County. During the over 12-hour special meeting conducted via Zoom, more than 600 individuals remotely attended and over 100 members of the public spoke. Speakers shared PowerPoint presentations and/or requested over \$1.0 billion collectively in ARPA funding to support over 100 proposed programs.

The Board has scheduled two more meetings that will include consideration of the use and allocation of the ARPA Funds. The first meeting will be September 21, 2021 at which time the Board will publicly discuss the proposals/projects that were presented on August 17 and determine its priorities. At a second meeting on September 28, 2021 the Board plans to consider the uses and proposed allocation of the County's \$324,636,065 million of ARPA funding. After the Board determines its priorities and allocation of the ARPA Funds, the County Administrator will work with the Board and County agency/department heads to prepare the official Recovery Plan document for filing with the U. S. Treasury Department and posting on the County's website.