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Date December 22, 2025

**RESOLUTION DIRECTING THE CITY MANAGER TO REPAY CERTAIN PREVIOUSLY DISBURSED ARPA FUNDS MADE UNDER ERAP DURING COVID**

**WHEREAS**, in March of 2021, the United States Government adopted the American Rescue Plan Act (ARPA) in response to the continuing intertwined public health and economic crisis created by COVID-19 and ARPA established the Coronavirus State and Local Fiscal Recovery Funds (SLFRF) to provide state, local, and Tribal governments with the resources needed to respond to the pandemic and its economic effects and to build a stronger, more equitable economy during the recovery; and,

**WHEREAS**, the City of Des Moines was allocated and has received funds in the amount of \$94,824,614 from SLFRF and pursuant to the Final Rule of the United States Department of Treasury; and,

**WHEREAS**, pursuant to the Final Rule, the United States Government seeks a reimbursement of \$52,695.00; and,

**WHEREAS**, the reimbursement has been determined to be reasonable, and the City of Des Moines should comply with the request.

**NOW THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED**, by the City Council of the City of Des Moines, Iowa, that the City Manager or his designee is directed to take all actions necessary to reimburse \$52,695.00 to the United States Government.

MOVED by Gatto to adopt. Second by Voss

FORM APPROVED:

/s/ Thomas G. Fisher Jr.

Thomas G. Fisher Jr., Deputy City Attorney

COUNCIL ACTION	YEAS	NAYS	PASS	ABSENT
BOESEN	✓			
SIMONSON	✓			
VOSS	✓			
COLEMAN	✓			
WESTERGAARD	✓			
MANDELBAUM	✓			
GATTO	✓			
TOTAL	7			

MOTION CARRIED

APPROVED

**CERTIFICATE**

I, LAURA BAUMGARTNER, City Clerk of said City hereby certify that at a meeting of the City Council of said City of Des Moines, held on the above date, among other proceedings the above was adopted.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, I have hereunto set my hand and affixed my seal the day and year first above written.

Connie Boesen

Mayor

Laura Baumgartner

City Clerk