



**Agenda Item: Resolution**

**Title: RESOLUTION 2021-47, VERIFYING DOCUMENTATION, ACKNOWLEDGING FEDERAL AND STATE REQUIREMENTS FOR EXPENDITURE OF FUNDS FROM THE AMERICAN RESCUE PLAN ACT OF 2021 AND AFFIRMING THE AUTHORIZED REPRESENTATIVE**

**Recommended Council MOTION:**

Move to **Approve** Resolution 2021 – 47, Verifying Documentation, Acknowledging Federal and State Requirements for Expenditure of Funds from the American Rescue Plan Act of 2021 and Affirming the Authorized Representative, and Authorizing the Mayor and Clerk to Sign.

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**Administrative or Policy Goal:**

**Background:**

The American Rescue Plan Act of 2021 (ARPA) appropriated funds to local government for coronavirus relief. As a non-entitlement unit of local government, the State of Wyoming will distribute payments to the City of Laramie and be solely responsible for appropriately spending and reporting these funds to the U.S. Department of Treasury.

The State Budget Department has required certain documentation and actions of the City in order to distribute payments. Resolution 2021 – 67 will affect the requirements of the Budget Department and facilitate calculation of the amount of payment the City of Laramie will receive. The current estimate of that payment amount is \$4.99 Million to be disbursed in two payments. The expenditure of all ARPA monies will require strict compliance with all federal rules.

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**Responsible Staff:**

City Manager, x5226  
Chief Operating Office, x5223

Attached: WY4451 NEU  
NEU Award Terms COL  
7 – Title VI Assurances