

ORDINANCE NO. 024, 2021
OF THE COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF FORT COLLINS
APPROPRIATING UNANTICIPATED REVENUE IN THE
COMMUNITY DEVELOPMENT BLOCK GRANT FUND
FOR COVID-19 RESPONSE AND RECOVERY

WHEREAS, the City receives annual grants of funds from the federal Department of Housing and Urban Development (“HUD”) Community Development Block Grant (“CDBG”) entitlement program to help support affordable housing and other programs to benefit low- and moderate-income persons; and

WHEREAS, on March 27, 2020, the federal Coronavirus Aid, Relief, and Economic Security Act (“CARES Act”) was signed into law, making available \$5 billion in Community Development Block Grant Coronavirus (“CDBG-CV”) funds; and

WHEREAS, the City received \$649,203 of CDBG-CV funds from HUD, which the City Council appropriated on May 19, 2020, pursuant to Ordinance No. 065, 2020, and allocated to eligible public service projects as specified in Resolution 2020-054, approved by the Council on June 2, 2020; and

WHEREAS, HUD is now allocating to the City an additional \$760,023 of CDBG-CV funds that must be spent to help prevent, prepare for, and respond to the impacts of the COVID-19 pandemic; and

WHEREAS, this appropriation benefits public health, safety and welfare of the citizens of Fort Collins and serves the public purpose of supporting timely response to and recovery from the impacts of the COVID-19 pandemic; and

WHEREAS, Article V, Section 9 of the City Charter permits the City Council, upon recommendation of the City Manager, to make supplemental appropriations by ordinance at any time during the fiscal year, provided that the total amount of such supplemental appropriations, in combination with all previous appropriations for that fiscal year, does not exceed the current estimate of actual and anticipated revenues to be received during the fiscal year; and

WHEREAS, Article V, Section 11, of the City Charter provides that federal grant appropriations shall not lapse if unexpended at the end of the budget year until the expiration of the federal grant; and

WHEREAS, the City Manager has recommended the appropriation described herein and determined that this appropriation is available and previously unappropriated from the Community Development Block Grant Fund and will not cause the total amount appropriated in the Community Development Block Grant Fund to exceed the current estimate of actual and anticipated revenues to be received in that Fund during this fiscal year.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT ORDAINED BY THE COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF FORT COLLINS as follows:

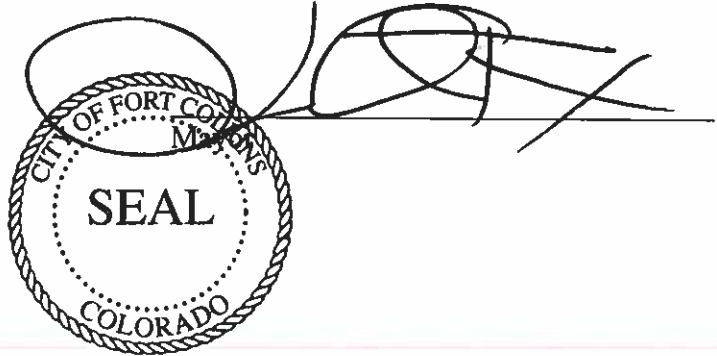
Section 1. That the City Council hereby makes and adopts the determinations and findings contained in the recitals set forth above.

Section 2. That there is hereby appropriated for expenditure from unanticipated grant revenue in the Community Development Block Grant Fund, the sum of SEVEN HUNDRED SIXTY THOUSAND TWENTY-THREE DOLLARS (\$760,023), to be used towards COVID-19 response and recovery.

Introduced, considered favorably on first reading, and ordered published this 2nd day of February, A.D. 2021, and to be presented for final passage on the 16th day of February, A.D. 2021.

ATTEST:


City Clerk



Passed and adopted on final reading on the 16th day of February, A.D. 2021.

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