

RESOLUTION 22-29

**A RESOLUTION OF THE CITY OF ROSWELL, NEW MEXICO APPROVING THE
USE OF AMERICAN RESCUE PLAN ACT FUNDS FOR CUSTOMER UTILITY
ASSISTANCE**

WHEREAS, the governing body of the City of Roswell, State of New Mexico, approved the use of American Rescue Plan Act Funds for customer utility assistance; and

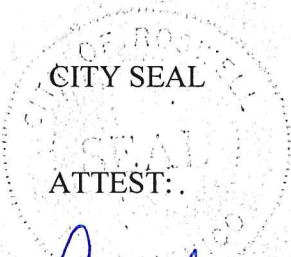
WHEREAS, the US Treasury File Rule allows for community economic relief by providing aid to households with past due utility bills; and

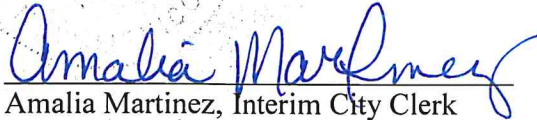
WHEREAS, the City desires to allocate \$1,105,252.91 of the ARPA Funds to cover outstanding delinquent utility bills from March 13, 2020 through December 31, 2021 and limiting each customer funding to 12 months of arrearages; and

WHEREAS, it is the majority opinion of the Governing Body that the proposed use of the ARPA Funds to cover outstanding delinquent utility bills does meet the US Treasury Final Rule by providing economic relief to utility customer.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED THAT THE CITY COUNCIL AS THE GOVERNING BODY OF THE CITY OF ROSWELL, NEW MEXICO, hereby adopts the use of American Rescue Plan Act Funds for delinquent utility bills hereinabove described and respectfully request approval for same from the Local Government Division of the Department of Finance and Administration, State of New Mexico.

PASSED, ADOPTED, SIGNED, and APPROVED this 12th day of May 2022.




Amalia Martinez, Interim City Clerk


Timothy Z. Jennings, Mayor