

City of New Bedford

IN COMMITTEE

February 24, 2022

The Honorable City Council 133 William Street New Bedford, MA 02740

Dear Honorable Members of the City Council:

The Committee on Finance at a Meeting held on Thursday, February 17, 2022, considered a COMMUNICATION, Mayor Mitchell, to City Council, submitting AN ORDER, that the Council agrees to terms and conditions in the proposed "Grant Agreement (ARPA)" between Bristol County and the City of New Bedford and authorizes members of the City Council to execute said grant agreement. (Ref'd 01/13/2022)

On motion by Councillor Gomes and seconded by Councillor Morad, the Committee VOTED: To change the language on the ORDER, that the Council agrees to terms and conditions in the proposed "Grant Agreement (ARPA)" between Bristol County and the City of New Bedford and authorizes members of the City Council to execute said grant agreement. This motion passed on a Roll Call Vote of Yeas 11, Nays 0.

On motion by Councillor Gomes and seconded by Councillor Carney, the Committee VOTED: To recommend to the City Council Approval of the ORDER, AS AMENDED, that the City Council agrees to the terms and conditions in the proposed "Grant Agreement (ARPA)" between Bristol County and the City of New Bedford and authorized members of the City Council to execute said grant agreement. Nothing in this Order shall be construed as the City Council's approval of expenditures of ARPA grant funds that may be received by the city from Bristol County. This motion passed on a Roll Call Vote of Yeas 11, Nays 0.

IN COMMITTEE ON FINANCE

Councillor William Brad Markey, Chairman

WBM: dmb



CITY OF NEW BEDFORD

CITY COUNCIL

January 13, 2022

Ordered, that the City Council agrees to the terms and conditions in the proposed "Grant Agreement (ARPA)" between Bristol County and the City of New Bedford and authorizes members of the City Council to execute said grant agreement. Further, pursuant to the requirements of General Laws Chapter 44, Section 53A, the City Council approves the expenditure of funds to be received by the City pursuant to said grant agreement, which funds shall be spent solely for the purposes authorized by the American Rescue Plan Act. Nothing in this Order shall

be construed as the City Council's approval of expenditures of ARPA grant funds that may be received by the City from Bristol County.