

**Town of Farmington, CT
Town Council- Ad-Hoc Committee
American Rescue Plan Act (ARPA)
Minutes- October 12, 2021**

In attendance:

C.J. Thomas, Town Council Chair
Joe Capodiferro, Town Council Member
Brian Connolly, Town Council Member
Kathleen Blonski, Town Manager
Russ Arnold, Dir. of Public Works/Town Engineering
Joe Swetcky, Finance Director

A. Call to Order

C.J. Thomas opened the meeting at 6:02 pm.

B. Review the following Charge of the Committee and have General Discussion with staff and Committee members.

Kathy Blonski reviewed the Charge of the Committee with the group. Town staff spoke in general terms about potential projects.

- Water Pollution Control Projects- Pump Stations
- Infrastructure Projects- Sidewalks, Rails to Trails, Fire Station(s) improvements, Tunxis Mead Improvements
- Economic Development Projects.

Ms. Blonski, and Joe Swetcky explained to the Committee that project guidelines are still not 100% clear on eligible uses.

The Committee had general discussion and questions.

C. Next Steps.

It was determined that the Town staff would come back to the Committee at its next meeting with potential projects and preliminary cost estimates.

D. Establish a Meeting Schedule.

The next meeting will be on November 9, 2021, at 6:00 p.m.

E. Adjournment.

The meeting was adjourned at 6:35 p.m.

Respectfully submitted,



Kathleen Blonski
Town Manager