



## AMERICAN RESCUE PLAN (ARP) NON-PROFIT PROJECT APPLICATION

Board of Trumbull County Commissioners  
160 High Street NW, 5<sup>th</sup> Floor  
Warren, Ohio 44481

Amount of Request for Trumbull County American Rescue Plan (ARP) Coronavirus Local Fiscal Recovery Funds

\$ \_\_\_\_\_

Project Name \_\_\_\_\_

Description of Project Area or Population Served \_\_\_\_\_ (if smaller than a census block group please list street names include mailing addresses)

Applicant Name \_\_\_\_\_

\_\_\_\_\_  
Authorized Signatory

\_\_\_\_\_  
Date Proposal Submitted

Address: \_\_\_\_\_

Contact Person: \_\_\_\_\_

Phone Number: \_\_\_\_\_

E-Mail: \_\_\_\_\_

## COVID-19's Impact on Nonprofits

According to The Ohio Nonprofit COVID-19 Survey Project conducted in 2020 through the Ohio Attorney General's Office and others it was determined that based on federal tax data, there are 40,521 charitable organizations in the state of Ohio, most of which are public charities (Hand, Scott, Shehadi, & Walsh, 2020). These organizations provide a variety of services including arts, health, education, and human services, among others. The nonprofit sector contributes to the economy by providing jobs, strengthening communities by building social capital, providing democratic representation for the disenfranchised, and providing services that the market and/or government do not. As such, the nonprofit sector comprises a social safety net for the state and for the country.

The report states we should be concerned about supporting Ohio's nonprofit sector during the pandemic for many reasons. The nonprofit sector is a major employer – the third largest industry behind manufacturing and retail – so layoffs will have a significant impact on state unemployment. Nonprofits also provide services that are especially necessary during this time, including health, education, the arts, and activities that connect us to one another. Issues like food insecurity, homelessness, youth development, and domestic violence are of increased concern during the pandemic and are under the purview of nonprofits. Further, many of Ohio's hospitals, which are on the frontlines of the pandemic response, are nonprofit organizations.

Leveraging the one-time ARPA funding to benefit local nonprofits will allow nonprofits to focus on recovering and re-emerging from COVID-19 with full capacity.

Are you a 501c3 Non-Profit Organization?

YES                      NO

If yes, please include a copy of your 501c3 incorporation documentation with your application. If no, please contact Valley Partners to apply for our business assistance program. Go to [www.valleyedp.com](http://www.valleyedp.com) to download an application or contact them directly at 330-759-3668.

Please explain eligibility of proposed project citing language from the Final Rule to implement the Coronavirus State Fiscal Recovery Fund and the Coronavirus Local Fiscal Recovery Fund established under the American Rescue Plan Act effective April 1, 2022 (original publication date of Interim Final Rule May 17, 2021). You must demonstrate whether your request for funding addresses a public health need that will be met, or an economic harm that will be mitigated with the funds. [Click here](#) for further information regarding eligibility for these funds published by the United States Department of the Treasury.

Please explain the proposed project in detail including any related work, funding, collaborative efforts, etc.)

How many households will benefit from the project?

Describe the primary beneficiaries benefiting from the project (Example: Homeless, Disabled, Seniors, At-Risk Youth, Low and Moderate-Income Persons, Persons with Severe & Persistent Mental Illness, the Developmentally Disabled, Addicted Persons, etc.)

How many persons will benefit by the project?

What are the projected outcomes for the proposed project/use of funds?

**The Final Rule provides flexibility for recipients to use Fiscal Recovery Funds for programs or services that are not identified on these non-exclusive lists but which meet the objectives of section 602(c)(1)(A) or 603(c)(1)(A) by responding to the COVID-19 public health emergency with respect to COVID-19 or its negative economic impacts.**