

Submitted by: Chairman of the  
Assembly at the  
Request of the Mayor  
Prepared by: Mayor's Office  
For reading: September 15, 2020

**ANCHORAGE, ALASKA**  
**AO No. 2020-99**

1 AN ORDINANCE OF THE MUNICIPALITY OF ANCHORAGE REPEALING IN  
2 PART AO 2020-66(S), AS AMENDED AND AR 2020-271(S), AS AMENDED TO  
3 CHANGE THE FUNDING SOURCE FOR CERTAIN APPROVED ITEMS FROM  
4 CARES ACT FUNDS TO AREAWIDE GENERAL FUND (101000) FUND  
5 BALANCE; APPROPRIATING FUND BALANCE IN AN AMOUNT NOT TO  
6 EXCEED FORTY-SIX MILLION SIX HUNDRED FIFTY THOUSAND DOLLARS  
7 (\$46,650,000) TO PAY FOR THOSE PREVIOUSLY APPROVED PROJECTS;  
8 REALLOCATING AND ALLOCATING CARES ACT MONEY IN AN AMOUNT OF  
9 SIXTY-ONE MILLION FIVE HUNDRED EIGHTY-SIX THOUSAND ONE HUNDRED  
10 EIGHTY-SIX DOLLARS (\$61,586,186) TO FIRST RESPONDER PAYROLL;  
11 APPROPRIATING AN AMOUNT NOT TO EXCEED SEVENTY-FIVE THOUSAND  
12 DOLLARS (\$75,000) OF INTEREST REVENUE EARNED ON CARES ACT FUNDS  
13 TO THE STATE DIRECT/FEDERAL PASS-THRU GRANTS FUND (231800); AND  
14 AUTHORIZING SAID INTEREST TO COVER PAYROLL COSTS OF FIRST  
15 RESPONDERS.  
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18 **WHEREAS**, the State of Alaska (State) allocated Coronavirus Aid, Relief, and  
19 Economic Security (CARES) Act Funds in the amount of \$156,713,566.04 to the  
20 MOA; and  
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22 **WHEREAS**, the CARES Act Funds will be disbursed to the MOA in three payments;  
23 interest revenue earned on the CARES Act Funds must be spent within the same  
24 scope and timing of the CARES Act Funds, and  
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26 **WHEREAS**, the CARES Act Funds must be used for expenses incurred during the  
27 period of March 1, 2020 through December 30, 2020, and unexpended funds must  
28 be returned to the State; and  
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30 **WHEREAS**, \$156,713,566 of the CARES Act Funds were appropriated with AR  
31 2020-199, approved by the Anchorage Assembly on June 2, 2020 and, as an  
32 accounting adjustment, reappropriated to the State Direct/Federal Pass-Thru Grants  
33 Fund (231900) with AR 2020-245, approved by the Anchorage Assembly on July  
34 14, 2020; and,  
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36 **WHEREAS**, the Assembly authorized the use of the CARES Act Funds to cover  
37 multiple economic stabilization programs, some of which, due to scope, timing,  
38 and/or concerns of eligibility would be more appropriately funded with non-CARES  
39 Act Funds; and,

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2 **WHEREAS**, the U.S. Department of the Treasury confirmed that the use of the  
3 CARES Act Funds to cover payroll costs of first responders is an allowable and less  
4 complicated way to spend CARES Act money in compliance with federal rules; and,  
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6 **WHEREAS**, the use of the CARES Act Funds to cover payroll costs of first  
7 responders would make available other less-restrictive funding for multiple  
8 economic stabilization programs; and  
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10 **WHEREAS**, the Administration is committed to securing the maximum amount  
11 allowable of CARES Act Funds to address immediate needs to benefit the  
12 community; now, therefore,  
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14 **THE ANCHORAGE ASSEMBLY RESOLVES:**  
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16 **Section 1.** That AO 2020-66(S), As Amended and AR 2020-271(S), As Amended  
17 are repealed to the limited extent that they authorized the spending of CARES Act  
18 Fund money on the following:

- 19 • AO 2020-66(S), As Amended - Property Acquisition - \$12.5 million
- 20 • The Bean's Café (101 E. 3rd Avenue)
- 21 • The Alaska Club (630 E. Tudor Road)
- 22 • America's Best Value (4360 Spenard Road)
- 23 • AR 2020-271(S), As Amended § 3 - FEMA Match - \$12 million
- 24 • AR 2020-271(S), As Amended § 9 - Pre-k - \$250,000
- 25 • AR 2020-271(S), As Amended § 10 - RuralCap Weatherization - \$2.5 million
- 26 • AR 2020-271(S), As Amended § 11 - Girdwood Health Clinic - \$5 million
- 27 • AR 2020-271(S), As Amended § 12 - Public Lands Jobs Program - \$1.5  
28 million
- 29 • AR 2020-271(S), As Amended § 13 - Energy Efficiency Jobs Program - \$1  
30 million
- 31 • AR 2020-271(S), As Amended § 14 - Nine Star Net-2-Ladder Project -  
32 \$300,000
- 33 • AR 2020-271(S), As Amended § 20 – Covenant House Expansion - \$1  
34 million
- 35 • AR 2020-271(S), As Amended § 23 - AWAIC expansion - \$600,000
- 36 • AR 2020-271(S), As Amended § 24 - Child Care Assistance Program - \$5  
37 million
- 38 • AR 2020-271(S), As Amended § 26 - Mental Health First Responders - \$3  
39 million
- 40 • AR 2020-271(S), As Amended § 28 - Food Bank Expansion - \$500,000
- 41 • AR 2020-271(S), As Amended § 29 - Rapid Rehousing Program - \$1 million
- 42 • AR 2020-271(S), As Amended § 30 - Risk Pool Insurance Program -  
43 \$500,000  
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45 **Section 2.** That the amount of CARES Act Funds previously approved for the items  
46 described in Section 1, and the previously unallocated contingency fund of  
47 \$14,936,186 (for a total amount of \$61,586,186) is hereby appropriated to cover  
48 payroll costs of our first responders.

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2 **Section 3.** That an amount not to exceed THIRTY-FOUR MILLION ONE  
3 HUNDRED FIFTY THOUSAND DOLLARS (\$34,150,000) of Areawide General  
4 Fund (101000) Fund Balance is hereby appropriated for the following:

- 5 • AR 2020-271(S), As Amended § 3 - FEMA Match - \$12 million
- 6 • AR 2020-271(S), As Amended § 9 - Pre-k - \$250,000
- 7 • AR 2020-271(S), As Amended § 10 - RuralCap Weatherization - \$2.5 million
- 8 • AR 2020-271(S), As Amended § 11 - Girdwood Health Clinic - \$5 million
- 9 • AR 2020-271(S), As Amended § 12 - Public Lands Jobs Program - \$1.5  
10 million
- 11 • AR 2020-271(S), As Amended § 13 - Energy Efficiency Jobs Program - \$1  
12 million
- 13 • AR 2020-271(S), As Amended § 14 - Nine Star Net-2-Ladder Project -  
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- 15 • AR 2020-271(S), As Amended § 20 - Covenant House Expansion - \$1 million
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- 23 • AR 2020-271(S), As Amended § 30 - Risk Pool Insurance Program -  
24 \$500,000
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26 **Section 4.** That an amount not to exceed TWELVE MILLION FIVE HUNDRED  
27 THOUSAND DOLLARS (\$12,500,000) of Areawide General Fund (101000) Fund  
28 Balance is hereby appropriated as a contribution, and appropriating said  
29 contribution to the Areawide General Capital Improvement Projects (CIP) Fund  
30 (401800), Real Estate Department for the following:

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- 32 • AO 2020-66(S), As Amended- Property Acquisition - \$12.5 million
- 33 • The Bean's Café (101 E. 3rd Avenue)
- 34 • The Alaska Club (630 E. Tudor Road)
- 35 • America's Best Value (4360 Spenard Road)
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37 **Section 5.** That the amount not to exceed SEVENTY FIVE THOUSAND DOLLARS  
38 (\$75,000) of interest revenue earned on CARES Act Funds is hereby appropriated  
39 to the State Direct/Federal Pass-Thru Grants Fund (231800) to cover payroll costs  
40 of our first responders.

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42 **Section 6.** That the amount of FOUR CENTS (\$0.04) of CARES Act Funds is  
43 hereby appropriated as a grant to the State Direct/Federal Pass-Thru Grants Fund  
44 (231900) to cover payroll costs of our first responders.

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46 **Section 7.** This ordinance shall be effective immediately upon passage and  
47 approval by the Assembly.

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PASSED AND APPROVED by the Anchorage Assembly this \_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_, 2020.

Chair \_\_\_\_\_

ATTEST:

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Municipal Clerk