## **RESOLUTION 2021-04**

Resolution to Accept the Coronavirus State and Local Fiscal Recovery Funds and Ratify Funds Already Received in the Amount of \$3,997,773 from the United States Department of the Treasury and all Future Allocations.

**WHEREAS**, Congress passed the American Rescue Plan Act (ARPA) on March 10, 2021 and was signed into law on March 11, 2021; and

WHEREAS, through ARPA the United States Department of Treasury established the Coronavirus State and Local Fiscal Recovery Funds for eligible state, local, and territorial governments to provide a substantial infusion of resources to help turn the tide on the pandemic, address its economic fallout, and lay the foundation for a strong and equitable recovery; and

**WHEREAS**, the City of Smyrna is be recognized as an eligible local government and has been allocated total funds in the amount of \$7,995,546 to be paid in two tranches. The first payment was received June 14, 2021, and the second will be paid 12 months from the first payment; and

WHEREAS, the Coronavirus State and Local Fiscal Recovery Funds may be used to support public health expenditures; address the negative economic impacts caused by the public health emergency; replace lost public sector revenue; provide premium pay for essential workers; and invest in water, sewer, and broadband infrastructure; and

WHEREAS, Recipients have until December 31, 2024 to encumber funds; and until December 31, 2026 to spend allocated funding: and

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**NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED** that the City of Smyrna City accepts the Coronavirus State and Local Fiscal Recovery Funds and ratifies funds already received in the Amount of \$3,997,773 and all future allocations.

This Resolution was adopted by the Governing Authority of the City of Smyrna, Georgia on the  $19^{th}$  day of July 2021.

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