

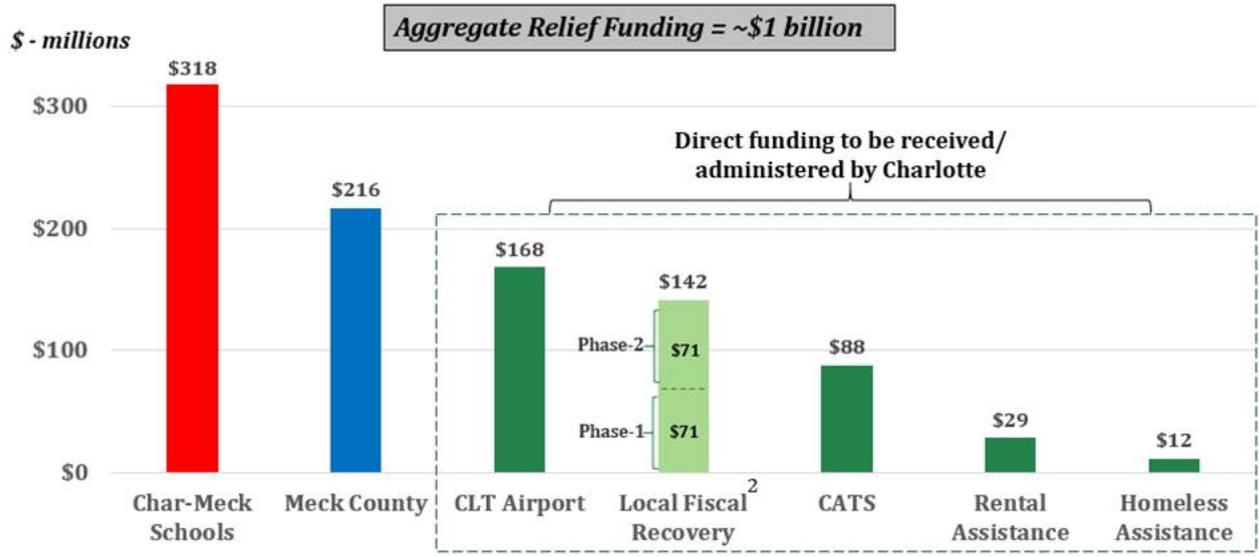
City Council Policy/Business/Consent Agenda Q&A's
August 9, 2021

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<u>Submitted By:</u>	<u>Agenda Item # and Questions</u>	<u>Answers/Considerations</u>
Business Items		
<p>Eiselt</p>	<p>9. Emergency Rental and Utility Assistance in Response to COVID-19</p> <p>10. HOME Program Funding in Response to COVID-19</p> <p>Does the funding for the COVID 19-related uses in #9 and #10 come from our overall allocation of ARPA money, or is this separate above and beyond our allocation of roughly \$150mm for the two years?</p>	<p>These are separate [above and beyond] the \$142million ARPA – Local Fiscal Recover Fund.</p> <p><i>(Please reference attached excerpt from July 19 Business Meeting presentation for additional details on the groupings of ARPA funding.)</i></p>
<p>Phipps</p>	<p>Items 13 &14 Amendments to Historic Designation of properties</p> <p>For properties that are de-registered as historic, do we go back and recapture any of the previous tax revenues lost as a result of the portion of land being previously designated as historic?</p> <p>For any historically designated properties, are we describing the full history to include even uncomfortable details such as if the property was previously maintained by slaves or similar issues that may have occurred on the properties?</p>	<p>For properties using the property the historic tax deferral, the property owner would be required to pay back a portion of the prior tax deferral upon de-designation, equal to the total amount of the deferral for the de-designated property for the prior three years.</p> <p>These properties were not taking advantage of the historic tax deferral. The properties were under agricultural use and records indicate that they have paid those previously deferred taxes for 2018, 2019, and 2020.</p> <p>The Historic Landmarks Commission's (HLC) current practice is to provide as comprehensive a history as reasonably possible, based upon available records, when properties are recommended for landmark designation. That was not always feasible in the past, as may have been the case in 1984 when the original survey and research report supporting designation of the Edgewood Farmhouse was prepared. That report included only one reference to slavery, noting obliquely that the property "was a part of the slave-owning, cotton-growing South" (page 5 of original Survey & Research report).</p> <p>HLC is currently engaged in reviewing reports associated with the county's other antebellum-era designated landmarks, in effort to determine where additional research may be appropriate to provide more comprehensive historic narratives. By way of example, specifically as to the Edgewood property on tonight's agenda, an amendment to the original survey and research report has been prepared outlining available information about the presence of enslaved people during the mid-1800s. That information is included with the agenda materials for tonight's meeting.</p>

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Winston	<p>44. Airport Airfield Marking Paint Purchase</p> <p>I would like to call attention to item #44 that will purchase inmate produced goods (at \$.25-\$.95/hr). I would ask to pull this for a separate vote. I would ask my colleagues to join me in voting against this contract.</p> <p>I would also ask for a referral to a committee for the drafting of an ordinance that disallows staff from procuring labor or products provided by incarcerated people.</p> <p>Staff, can you please tell us how much labor or products made by incarcerated people we have procured over the past 5 year.</p>	<p>Item is being deferred by staff to a future Business Meeting to provide additional time to compile clarifications on the proposed contract and requested information.</p>

American Rescue Plan Stimulus Funding¹



¹ - This slide reflects most of the significant ARPA programs that will be directly allocated at the local level [data shown here is not intended to be all-inclusive]

² - City of Charlotte will receive funding in two installments, with approximately \$71 million in 2021 and \$71 million in 2022