

## City Council – Action Request Form

**Date:** June 12, 2023

**To:** Mayor, Mayor Pro Tempore, and Members of the City Council

**From:** Patrice Toney, Assistant City Manager  
Shantell McClam, Neighborhood Services Director

**Council Action Requested:**

Resolution authorizing recapture and reallocation of certain CARES Act funds.

**Strategic Focus Area:** Livable Neighborhoods

**Strategic Objective:** No

**Strategic Plan Action Item:** No

**Key Work Item:** No



**Summary of Information:**

Since the start of the COVID-19 pandemic the City of Winston-Salem has been awarded \$2,708,005 in Emergency Solutions Grant (ESG-CV) funds through the Coronavirus Aid, Relief and Economic Security Act (CARES Act) to prevent, prepare for, and respond to coronavirus. The City awarded these funds to non-profit agencies. The City met the deadline to expend 20% of ESG-CV funds by September 30, 2021, as well as the June 16, 2022, deadline to expend 50% of the funds. The remaining deadline is to expend 100% of all funds by September 30, 2023. Eligible activities for ESG-CV funds include shelter services, shelter operations, street outreach, vaccine incentives, personal protective equipment, rapid rehousing services, homelessness prevention funds, and landlord incentives.

As part of Neighborhood Service’s Department tracking and monitoring process to ensure all funds are appropriately expended by the deadline, staff determined some ESG-CV funds are not able to be spent in a timely manner and is requesting to reallocate funds to support continuing work responding to the pandemic and to meet the expenditure deadline. The recommendation for reallocation is reflected in Exhibit A.

**Committee Action:**

<b>Committee</b>	FIN – 6/13/23	<b>Action</b>	Approval to General Agenda for Full Council
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**Remarks:**