

LINCOLN ARPA FUNDS

PROPOSED FUNDS ALLOCATION INFORMATION

Lincoln ARPA Funds

- Lincoln has received **\$370,967** through the American Rescue Plan Act (ARPA). Funds must be obligated by December 31, 2024 and expended by December 31, 2026.

- We have solicited community organizations to outline their requests for ARPA funds.
 - ◆ Burnham Committee
 - ◆ Conservation Commission
 - ◆ Lincoln Cooperative Preschool
 - ◆ Fire Company
 - ◆ Historical Society
 - ◆ Lincoln Sports
 - ◆ Maple Broadband

- An online community survey has been in circulation over the past 6 months resulting in 90 responses. We have reviewed the responses and considered the requests and feedback against the ARPA requirements and narrowed it down to the following:

BURNHAM COMMITTEE

We are requesting ARPA funds for general building improvements and accessibility updates.



- Elevator Replacement: \$30,000
 - Refinish floors and minor ADA floor adjustments: \$10,000
 - Air-conditioning/handling system: \$65,000
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LINCOLN COOPERATIVE PRESCHOOL

The goal of this project is to meet the growing need for high-quality, affordable and full-day preschool for families in our community.



- **Facility Upgrades: \$20,000**
 - Add 3 electric heat pump units and a solar array housed on a timber frame structure that will be used for additional outdoor covered space. We are requesting a \$20,000 contribution from Lincoln's ARPA funds.
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LINCOLN FIRE COMPANY

The Lincoln Volunteer Fire Company is requesting ARPA funds to finance a stand-alone generator for the fire house.



- Generator for the Fire House: \$10,000
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LINCOLN SPORTS

Lincoln Sports seeks ARPA funds to implement carefully considered improvements that would transform the accessibility and enjoyment of the central village property for all Lincoln residents.



- Develop Access Driveway and Landing Area off Gove Hill Road: \$25,000
 - Recreational Trail Design and Installation: \$60,000
 - Informational Welcome Kiosk: \$3,000
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MAPLE BROADBAND

At Maple Broadband, our mission is to enhance the economic, educational, and medical well-being of the communities we serve by providing a high-speed, reliable, affordable fiber internet network.



- County wide broadband services to unserved and underserved communities: \$35,000
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Summary

- If we move forward with approving funds for these projects it would total **\$268,000**
- Leaving a remainder of **\$102,967** to allocate.
- There are potentially other grants or funding sources for a few of these projects that could allow for a different use of ARPA funds.
- If you are interested in participating in the distribution of the ARPA funds, please let us know!

ADDITIONAL COMMUNITY COMMENTS

- Complete the sidewalk between the old hotel and the elementary school. Potentially include a sidewalk to the library.
- Economically and environmentally sustainable housing & public transportation.
- Connected 'trail around Lincoln' network throughout town.
- Easily accessible & comprehensive town emergency plan.

