



City of San Antonio

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In Control: Small Business Advisory Commission

DEPARTMENT: Economic Development Department

DEPARTMENT HEAD: Brenda Hicks-Sorensen

COUNCIL DISTRICTS IMPACTED: Citywide

SUBJECT:

COVID-19 Impact on Small Businesses and American Rescue Plan Act (ARPA) Fiscal Recovery Funds, to include identified priorities for potential ARPA investments.

SUMMARY:

Discussion and Possible Action on the COVID-19 Impact on Small Businesses and American Rescue Plan Act (ARPA) Fiscal Recovery Funds, to include identified priorities for potential ARPA investments.

BACKGROUND INFORMATION:

The Small Business Advisory Commission was established on February 18, 2021 by Mayor and City Council. Among its first matters of business, the City council seeks feedback from the both the Small Business Advisory Commission and the community as it relates to the COVID-19

impact on small businesses.

ISSUE:

City Council requested that the Economic Development Department engage the Small Business Advisory Commission to obtain member input on the impact of COVID-19 on small businesses.

Feedback received from the Small Business Advisory Commission shall act to inform the allocation of the American Rescue Plan Act (ARPA) Fiscal Recovery Funds as it relates to small businesses.

FISCAL IMPACT:

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ALTERNATIVES:

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RECOMMENDATION:

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