

**You Are Invited To A  
PUBLIC INFORMATION HEARING  
AMERICAN RESCUE PLAN ACT (ARPA)**

**TO BE HELD**

***Tuesday, October 12, 2021  
at 8:00 PM***

***Council Chambers of Town Hall  
2155 Main Street, Glastonbury  
and/or Through Zoom Video Conferencing***

The public information hearing scheduled for Tuesday, October 12<sup>th</sup> will provide an overview of funds allocated to Glastonbury per the Federal American Rescue Plan Act (ARPA) and the opportunity for comment on recommendations and suggestions on how these funds can be allocated. Glastonbury is scheduled to receive \$10.2M per the ARPA to be received \$5.1M May 2021 and \$5.1M May 2022. The Act requires communities to allocate these monies by December 31, 2024 and expend by December 31, 2026.

ARPA monies can be allocated over broad categories including:

- Support public health response
- Water and sewer infrastructure
- Negative economic impacts
- Broadband infrastructure
- Replace lost revenue from pandemic

Review of interim guidance by the U.S. Treasury Department indicates a variety of subsets and eligible uses including investment in human services, recreation, improvements to parks, playgrounds and buildings, water/sewer and drainage projects, affordable housing, broadband and fiber cabling, and other eligible uses.

At the meeting and public information hearing on October 12th, Town Manager Richard J. Johnson will present a series of concepts for uses of the ARPA funds covering a wide range of projects, programs and services. This will be followed by the public information hearing whereby recommendations and suggestions can be presented to the Town Council.

Public comment can be offered in person on the 12th, through Zoom, or you may forward your comments in writing at the following link no later than 2:00 p.m. the day before the meeting: [www.glastonburyct.gov/testimony](http://www.glastonburyct.gov/testimony). This information will be made available to the Council and the public information hearing process.

Should you have any questions, you may contact Town Manager Richard J. Johnson at [richard.johnson@glastonbury-ct.gov](mailto:richard.johnson@glastonbury-ct.gov) or 860-652-7500.