



RESOLUTION R-052-22

A RESOLUTION OF THE WALKER COUNTY BOARD OF COMMISSIONERS TO ALLOCATE THE USE OF AMERICAN RESCUE PLAN ACT FUNDS FOR THE WALKER COUNTY DETENTION CENTER

WHEREAS, on March 1, 2021, the American Rescue Plan Act of 2021 (ARPA) was signed into law by the President of the United States; and

WHEREAS, Section 9901 of ARPA amended Title VI of the Social Security Act to add section 602, which established the Coronavirus State Fiscal Recovery Fund, and section 603, which established the Coronavirus Local Fiscal Recovery Fund (together, the Fiscal Recovery Funds); and

WHEREAS, the Fiscal Recovery Funds provide state and local governments with funding to respond to needs associated with the COVID-19 crisis, including support for isolation or quarantine, and support for prevention, mitigation or other services in congregate living facilities including incarceration settings; and

WHEREAS, some of the allowable uses of the ARPA funding include needed improvements to the Walker County Detention Center; and

WHEREAS, the Walker County Sheriff requests funding be allocated to make repairs and upgrades to the Walker County Detention Center; and

THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED, the Board of Commissioners of Walker County, Georgia does hereby allocate up to \$1,000,000 from the Fiscal Recovery Funds toward the rehabilitation and renovation of the Walker County Detention Center.

SO RESOLVED AND ADOPTED this 22nd day of December, 2022.

ATTEST:

WALKER COUNTY, GEORGIA

Whitney Summey
Whitney Summey Deputy Clerk

Shannon K. Whitfield
SHANNON K. WHITFIELD, Chairman



The foregoing Resolution received a motion for passage from Commissioner Askew, second by Commissioner Hart, and upon the question the vote is 4 ayes, 0 nays to adopt the Resolution.