

## COUNTY COUNCIL OF ANNE ARUNDEL COUNTY, MARYLAND

Legislative Session 2021, Legislative Day No. 23

Bill No. 111-21

Introduced by Mr. Pruski, Ms. Pickard, Ms. Lacey, and Ms. Rodvien

By the County Council, December 6, 2021

Introduced and first read on December 6, 2021 Public Hearing set for and held on January 3, 2022 Bill Expires March 11, 2022

By Order: Laura Corby, Administrative Officer

#### A BILL ENTITLED

1	AN ORDINANCE concerning: Finance, Taxation, and Budget – Budget – Grants Special
2	Revenue Fund – Coronavirus State and Local Fiscal Recovery Funds
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4	FOR the purpose of requiring that certain appropriations to the Grants Special Revenue
5	Fund funded by Coronavirus State and Local Fiscal Recovery Funds be approved by
6	resolution of the County Council; requiring reports to the County Council concerning
7	the use of Coronavirus State and Local Fiscal Recovery Funds; providing for the
8	termination of certain provisions of this Ordinance; and generally relating to finance,
9	taxation, and budget.
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1	BY repealing and reenacting, with amendments: § 4-11-114(c)
12	Anne Arundel County Code (2005, as amended)
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4	BY renumbering: § 4-11-114(d) to be 4-11-114(e)
15	Anne Arundel County Code (2005, as amended)
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17	BY adding: § 4-11-114(d)
8	Anne Arundel County Code (2005, as amended)
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20	SECTION 1. Be it enacted by the County Council of Anne Arundel County, Maryland,
21	That § 4-11-114(d) of the Anne Arundel County Code (2005, as amended) is hereby
22	renumbered to be § 4-11-114(e).
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24	SECTION 2. And be it further enacted, That Section(s) of the Anne Arundel County
25	Code (2005, as amended) read as follows:

EXPLANATION: CAPITALS indicate new matter added to existing law.

[[Brackets]] indicate matter deleted from existing law.

Captions and taglines in **bold** in this bill are catchwords and are not law.

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#### **TITLE 11. BUDGET**

ARTICLE 4. FINANCE, TAXATION, AND BUDGET

## 4-11-114. Grants Special Revenue Fund.

(c) Conditional appropriation of unanticipated grant revenues. Except for a grant which is used solely as a funding source for capital projects, revenue from a grant included in an ordinance appropriating funds but in excess of the amount anticipated for the grant, and any County matching funds required by the grant, are deemed appropriated for the purpose specified in the grant, subject to the following conditions:

(1) there is a grant award letter or other writing that, to the satisfaction of the Controller, confirms that the grant funds are available for expenditure by the County; [[and]]

(2) there are sufficient funds available in the budget of the agency administering the grant in either the Grants Special Revenue Fund or the General Fund for payment of any required County matching funds[[.]]; AND

(3) FOR APPROPRIATIONS OF MORE THAN \$500,000 FUNDED BY CORONAVIRUS STATE AND LOCAL FISCAL RECOVERY FUNDS DISTRIBUTED BY THE U.S. TREASURY, APPROVAL BY THE COUNTY COUNCIL AS DESCRIBED IN SUBSECTION (D).

(D) **Fiscal Recovery Funds** — **County Council approval.** WITHIN TWO BUSINESS DAYS OF RECEIPT OF A RESOLUTION TO APPROVE AN APPROPRIATION EXCEEDING \$500,000 FUNDED BY CORONAVIRUS STATE AND LOCAL FISCAL RECOVERY FUNDS DISTRIBUTED BY THE U.S. TREASURY, THE COUNTY COUNCIL MAY SCHEDULE A HEARING TO ACT ON THE RESOLUTION, SUCH HEARING TO BE HELD NOT MORE THAN TEN BUSINESS DAYS FROM THE DATE OF RECEIPT OF THE RESOLUTION. THE FAILURE OF THE COUNTY COUNCIL TO SCHEDULE A HEARING SHALL CONSTITUTE APPROVAL OF THE APPROPRIATION.

SECTION 3. And be it further enacted, That the Controller shall provide monthly reports to the County Council describing all approvals and expenditures for grants funded by Coronavirus State and Local Fiscal Recovery Funds by the 20<sup>th</sup> day of each month for the previous month, and the Controller shall provide a final report describing the expenditure of the grants funded by Coronavirus State and Local Fiscal Recovery Funds no later than January 31, 2027.

SECTION 4. And be it further enacted, That Sections 1 and 2 of this Ordinance shall remain in effect until December 31, 2024, after which they shall stand repealed and with no further action required by the County Council, be of no further force and effect.

SECTION 5. And be it further enacted, That this Ordinance shall take effect 45 days from the date it becomes law.

### READ AND PASSED this 3<sup>rd</sup> day of January, 2022

By Order:

Laura Corby
Administrative Officer

PRESENTED to the County Executive for his approval this 4th day of January, 2022

Laura Corby

Administrative Officer

APPROVED AND ENACTED this 13th day of January, 2022

Steuart Pittman
County Executive

EFFECTIVE DATE: February 27, 2022