| MOTION: | BAILEY | July 2, 2024 |
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| | | Regular Meeting |
| SECOND: | BODDYE | Res. No. 24-486 |

RE: AUTHORIZE THE REALLOCATION OF \$23,776 IN FEDERAL AMERICAN RESCUE PLAN ACT FUNDING FROM THE 2023 NEABSCO HOLIDAY WALK OF LIGHTS PROGRAM BALANCE FOR COUNTYWIDE PUBLIC OUTREACH AND ENTERTAINMENT PROGRAMS WITHIN THE COVID-19 SPECIAL REVENUE FUND

ACTION: APPROVED

WHEREAS, on September 26, 2023, via Resolution Number (Res. No.) 23-469, the Prince William Board of County Supervisors (Board) approved the reallocation of \$150,000 from the remaining balance of the American Rescue Plan Act Funding (ARPA) State and Local Fiscal Recovery Fund to the 2023 Neabsco Boardwalk Holiday Walk of Lights (HWOL) program within the COVID-19 Special Revenue Fund; and

WHEREAS, all but \$23,776 of the HWOL funds were expended and are available for reallocation, which the Department of Parks and Recreation proposes to use to expand Brentsville Day, Rec on Wheels program, and Movies-in-the-Park program; and

WHEREAS, the ARPA State and Local Fiscal Recovery Fund Final Rule provides that funds may be used to respond to the "negative economic impacts" of the public health emergency, "including assistance to households, small businesses, and nonprofits, or aid to impacted industries such as tourism, travel, and hospitality"; and

WHEREAS, the Brentsville Day, Rec on Wheels, and Family Movie-in-the-Park programs are eligible uses of ARPA Funds; and

WHEREAS, these programs will serve numerous qualifying census tracts in Prince William County; and

WHEREAS, these programs align with the 2021 - 2024 Board Strategic Plan County Strategic Health and Wellness Goal Objective 3 - *Enhance multi-generational community enrichment and community engagement that contribute to a healthy community;*

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED that the Prince William Board of County Supervisors hereby authorizes the reallocation of \$23,776 in American Rescue Plan Act funding from the 2023 Neabsco Boardwalk Holiday Walk of Lights program balance for Countywide public outreach and entertainment programs within the COVID-19 Special Revenue Fund;

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that the reallocation of funds shall be distributed as follows: \$10,000 for the Brentsville Day event, \$2,676 for the Rec on Wheels program, and \$11,100 for the Movies-in-the-Park programs.

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Votes:

Ayes: Angry, Bailey, Boddye, Franklin, Gordy, Jefferson, Vega, Weir Nays: None Absent from Vote: None Absent from Meeting: None

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Clerk to the Board