

ORDINANCE NO. 6300 OF 2023

BY THE CADDO PARISH COMMISSION:

AN ORDINANCE AMENDING THE BUDGET OF ESTIMATED REVENUES FOR THE AMERICAN RESCUE PLAN FUND TO PROVIDE AN APPROPRIATION FOR RING DOORBELL PROGRAM IN CADDO PARISH AND TO OTHERWISE PROVIDE WITH RESPECT THERETO

WHEREAS, the American Rescue Plan Act of 2021 (ARPA) became law on March 11, 2021; and

WHEREAS, Caddo Parish Commission would like to appropriate up to \$200,000 to provide ring doorbell security for high crime areas; and

WHEREAS, this program would provide citizens and law enforcement with an additional tool to help deter crime; and

WHEREAS, citizens in specified and targeted districts can receive the device and one year of service at no cost to the citizen; and

WHEREAS, the device will allow law enforcement access and register with the Shreveport Crime Center; and

WHEREAS, it is necessary to amend the 2023 budget for the American Rescue Plan Fund; and

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT ORDAINED, by the Caddo Parish Commission in due, legal and regular session convened, that Budget of Estimated Revenues and Expenditures for the American Rescue Plan Fund for the year 2023 be amended as follows:

	<u>Budget Increase (Decrease)</u>
American Rescue Plan Fund:	
Expenditures:	
Federal Grant Expenditures	\$200,000

BE IT FURTHER ORDAINED, that if any provision or item of this ordinance or the application thereof is held invalid, such invalidity shall not affect other provisions, items or applications which can be given effect without the invalid provisions, items or applications, and to this end the provisions of this ordinance are hereby declared severable.

BE IT FURTHER ORDAINED, that this ordinance shall take effect upon adoption.

BE IT FURTHER ORDAINED, that all ordinances or parts thereof in conflict herewith are hereby repealed.

Approved as to legal form:

Parish Attorney

Date

I, Jeff Everson, Clerk to the Caddo Parish Commission, hereby certify that the foregoing is a true copy of the transaction of said body in Regular Session convened on the 1st day of December, 2022, and is so recorded in Minute Book No. 69 at Page 808.

Given under my hand and seal of office this 25th day of January, 2023.

Jeff Everson
Clerk of Parish Commission
Caddo Parish, Louisiana