

# How ARPA Funds Will Flow to Virginia Communities

The American Rescue Plan Act (ARPA) of 2021 provides flexible and targeted funding for the state of Virginia, all Virginia cities and counties, public and private universities, and Virginia tribes, as well as direct relief for families. Each type of funding has different timing and other restrictions, therefore Virginia's state and local policymakers will face important decisions about how to use these funds. This summary focuses on those funds that will flow through the state and local governments and does not include the substantial direct assistance to Virginia families in the form of stimulus checks, improved tax credits, and improved healthcare marketplace subsidies.

