## **RESOLUTION #1029**

## RESOLUTION ALLOCATING AMERICAN RESCUE PLAN ACT FUNDS

WHEREAS, in March 2021, the federal government established the American Rescue Plan Act of 2021 (ARPA) which included the Coronavirus State and Local Fiscal Recovery Funds (SLFRF) to provide state, local and Tribal governments with the resources needed to respond to the pandemic and its economic effects; and

WHEREAS, the U.S. Department of the Treasury issued an Interim Final Rule (IFR) implementing the SLFRF program on May 10, 2021, which included a calculation for replacing lost revenue to County governments, and

WHEREAS, on January 6, 2022, the Treasury issued a final rule for the SLFRF program, including a standard allowance for revenue loss of up to \$10,000,000, allowing recipients to select between a standard amount of revenue loss or complete a full revenue loss calculation. Recipients that select the standard allowance may use that amount for government services, with streamlined reporting requirements.

WHEREAS, the final rule takes effect on April 1, 2022;

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED, that the Butler County Board of Supervisors elects to use the standard allowance for identifying revenue loss for its total SLFRF allocation, in the expected amount of \$2,804,606, on government services.

Upon Roll Call the vote thereon was as follows:

**AYES: Rusty Eddy** 

**NAYS: None** 

Greg Barnett
Tom Heidenwirth

WHEREUPON, the Resolution was declared duly adopted this 19<sup>TH</sup> of April, 2022

Chairman, Board of Supervisors

Leslie Groen, County Auditor