



RESOLUTION

Number 2022-078

To Approve a Supplemental Appropriation and Accept an ARPA Grant for
Water Quality Improvements

WHEREAS, the Town Charter establishes the Town Council as the appropriating authority of the Town and as such it is empowered by Section 9.6 of the Charter to make supplemental appropriations after the annual budget is adopted; and

WHEREAS, the Water Division presented information to the Council during the FY23 budget process identifying Water Division priorities to address substandard water quality, including the Barkland Acres, Rand-Shepard Hill and Morningside Drive community water systems; and

WHEREAS, the NH Department of Environmental Services recently made available grants, low interest loans and principal forgiveness to assist with these projects; and

WHEREAS, the impending construction of the Exit 4A corridor adds urgency to this matter; and

WHEREAS, this project is essential to provide quality water in the most economical fashion;

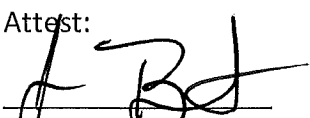
NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED IN COUNCIL that the sum of Six Million, One Hundred Ten Thousand Dollars (\$6,110,000) is hereby appropriated to extend the municipal water system to Barkland Acres, Rand-Shepard Hill and Morningside Drive water systems;

FURTHER, BE IT RESOLVED IN COUNCIL that the Town Administrator is hereby authorized to apply, accept and expend up to One Million Two Hundred Twenty Thousand Dollars (\$1,220,000) in ARPA funds from NHDES to be applied against this appropriation.

This Resolution has been adopted by a two-thirds majority of the entire Council as required by Charter and shall take effect immediately upon its passage.

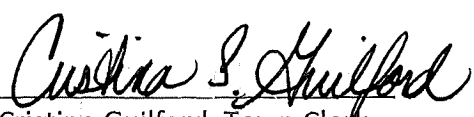
Adopted: November 1, 2022

Attest:


Joshua Bourdon, Council Chair

Date: 11/1/22

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Cristina Guilford, Town Clerk

Date: 11/1/22