



**TO: LINDA GORTON, MAYOR
URBAN COUNTY COUNCIL**

**FROM: CHARLIE LANTER, DIRECTOR
DIVISION OF GRANTS AND SPECIAL PROGRAMS**

DATE: December 30, 2021

**SUBJECT: Accept American Rescue Plan Act Funds from the Kentucky Cabinet for
Health and Family Services, Department for Community Based Services for
the Family Care Center**

Request: Council authorization to accept award of federal funds from the Kentucky Cabinet for Health and Family Services, Department for Community Based Services in the amount of \$1,017,480 under the American Rescue Plan Act (ARPA) to support child care expenses at the Family Care Center. No matching funds required.

Purpose of Request: The Kentucky Cabinet for Health and Family Services, Department of Community Based Services has granted the Lexington-Fayette Urban County Government Family Care Center federal funds in the amount of \$1,017,480 as a sustainment grant being provided to all licensed, certified, and registered child care providers to remain open and preserve slots available for care. These are federal funds allocated through American Rescue Plan for response to the coronavirus to sustain providers serving essential employees.

What is the cost in this budget year and future budget years? Estimated federal funding is \$1,017,480. No match is required. This is a one-time allocation of funding.

Are the funds budgeted? Budget Amendment 11453 are in process.

File Number: 016-22

Director/Commissioner: Rodes/Allen-Bryant

