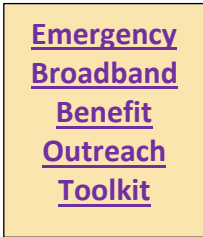



COVID FUNDING SOURCES, compiled 5-19-21

Library Recovery Funding Summary:

<http://www.ala.org/advocacy/sites/ala.org.advocacy/files/content/libfunding/fed/American%20Rescue%20Plan%20Act%20of%202021%20ALA%20Summary.pdf>

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ECF – Emergency Connectivity Fund (USAC)	Via an E-rate type of process; for REMOTE LEARNING; CIPA attaches	First window opens mid- to late-June, open 45 days	Up to \$400 per laptop/mobile device; \$250 for MiFi device; \$10-25 per month for service; modems, routers, combo devices “reasonable cost” https://connectednation.org/wp-content/uploads/2021/05/FCC-Adopts-Rules-for-the-Emergency-Connectivity-Fund.pdf?utm_medium=email&utm_campaign=Policy%20Brief%20FCC%20Adopts%20Final%20Rules%20for%20the%20Emergency%20Connectivity%20Fund&utm_content=Policy%20Brief%20FCC%20Adopts%20Final%20Rules%20for%20the%20Emergency%20Connectivity%20Fund+CID_0a7cab7d34d98dc2cab4e94318a63eba&utm_source=Email%20marketing%20software	100% reimbursement for qualified expenses
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ARPA funds distributed via IMLS to LM – LSTA goals	Waiting for Library of Michigan to roll out program		https://www.ims.gov/news/federal-government-invests-200m-libraries-and-museums-stimulate-american-communities	

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EBB – Emergency Broadband Benefit (FCC)	The public can apply via https://getemergencybroadband.org/how-to-apply/			https://www.fcc.gov/emergency-broadband-benefit-providers#Michigan
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ARPA funds distributed to cities, townships and counties (not villages)	Funds are allocated by formula – libraries should contact their city, township, and/or county https://home.treasury.gov/policy-issues/coronavirus/assistance-for-state-local-and-tribal-governments/state-and-local-fiscal-recovery-fund/request-funding	https://public-inspection.federalregister.gov/2021-10283.pdf Funds are intended to be used prospectively and the interim final rule precludes use of these funds to cover the costs of debt incurred prior to March 3, 2021. (1) Begins on March 3, 2021; and (2) Ends on the last day of the fiscal year	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Support public health expenditures, by, for example, funding COVID-19 mitigation efforts, medical expenses, behavioral healthcare, and certain public health and safety staff • Address negative economic impacts caused by the public health emergency, including economic harms to workers, households, small businesses, impacted industries, and the public sector • Replace lost public sector revenue, using this funding to provide government services to the extent of the reduction in revenue experienced due to the pandemic • Provide premium pay for essential workers, offering additional support to those who have and will bear the greatest health risks because of their service in critical infrastructure sectors • Invest in water, sewer, and broadband infrastructure, making necessary investments to improve access to clean drinking water, 	https://home.treasury.gov/policy-issues/coronavirus/assistance-for-state-local-and-tribal-governments/state-and-local-fiscal-recovery-funds

			<p>support vital wastewater and stormwater infrastructure, and to expand access to broadband internet</p> <p>Within these overall categories, recipients have broad flexibility to decide how best to use this funding to meet the needs of their communities.</p>	
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NTIA Broadband Infrastructure Grant Program	https://broadbandusa.ntia.doc.gov/node/7411		\$300 million program to encourage partnerships between a state, or one or more political subdivisions of a state, and providers of fixed broadband service to support broadband infrastructure deployment to areas lacking broadband, especially rural areas. For areas without 25/3 access.	https://broadbandusa.ntia.doc.gov/sites/default/files/2021-05/April%202021%20Webinar-%20BB%20Infra%20FINAL.pdf