

2022 CITY OF MONROE ARP FUNDS EVALUATION CRITERIA

Criteria	Potential Points	Comments	Points Awarded
Project Evaluation (each bullet point up to 4 points)			
 Applicant is qualified and has the capacity to produce this project The description of the project is exceptionally clear and provides detailed information 			
 The project aligns with at least one of the City of Monroe project categories and United States Department of the Treasury expenditure categories The goals of the project are clearly stated and align with described need 	20		
Project description has strong evidence of careful planning, thought, and research			
Demonstration of Need			
 Is this project included in an adopted City or County plan, or any other documented community needs? Description depicts the need for the project well and clearly describes current status. 	20		
Community Support and Partnerships			
 Applicant has secured partners within the Monroe community to achieve the project goals Project includes participation and support of community and/or business partners 1 or more business partners = 5 points Local partners/vendors = 10 points 	15		
Financial Support			
 Demonstrates significant financial support from other funding sources without city funding City funding is <25% of budget = 15 points City funding is 25-75% of budget = 10 points City funding is >75% of budget = 5 points 	15		
Project Budget (each bullet point up to 5 points)			
 Project Budget and Budget Narrative sections are completed Project Budget is clear and well defined Budget Narrative outlines in detail how City funds will be spent Budget Narrative details why the Project Budget is appropriate and cost effective Budget Narrative details the long-term stability of the Project Project can be accomplished with partial funding? 	30		
Funding Prioritization			
 Do you believe this project should be a priority? Do you believe the organization can carry out its proposed work, and that they are in need and would benefit from these funds? 	Y/N		