

**No. 2021-05
ORDINANCE**

*An Ordinance of the County of Luzerne Amending the 2021 Fiscal
Year Budget for Luzerne County*

WHEREAS, pursuant to Section 5.07 of the Home Rule Charter of Luzerne County, County Council adopted the 2021 Fiscal Year Budgets which accounted for anticipated revenue and expenses; and

WHEREAS, Section 5.10.F. of the Home Rule Charter states County Council may amend any of the budgets at any time during the fiscal year by ordinance adopted by an affirmative vote of at least a majority plus one of its current members after a public hearing has been held; and

WHEREAS, Luzerne County was awarded funding from the U.S. Department of the Treasury to provide Rental Assistance in response to the Coronavirus pandemic; and

WHEREAS, County Council desires to amend the Budget at the appropriate line items in order to account for receipt and expenditure of funds from various sources related to Emergency Rental Assistance.

NOW, THEREFORE, the following is hereby ENACTED and ORDAINED by the Luzerne County Council:

SECTION ONE. Incorporation of Preamble.

The provisions set forth in the preamble to this Ordinance are incorporated herein by reference in their entirety.

SECTION TWO. Amendment of Line Items in Budget.

A public hearing having been held on February 23, 2021, County Council hereby amends the following line items in the 2021 Fiscal Year Budget in order to account for receipt of funds from various sources related to Emergency Rental Assistance:

HOUSING AND URBAN DEVELOPMENT FUNDING SOURCE:

REVENUES:

Community Development Line Item 560.30.4653.440.18 Housing Urban Development shall be increased by 9,458,051.60.

EXPENDITURES:

Community Development Line Item 560.30.4653.599.50 Emergency Rental Assistance shall be increased by \$9,458,051.60.

SECTION THREE. Remainder of Budget.

All other line items in the 2021 Fiscal Year County Budget shall remain unchanged.

SECTION FOUR. Effective Date.

This Ordinance shall become effective fifteen (15) days after enactment.

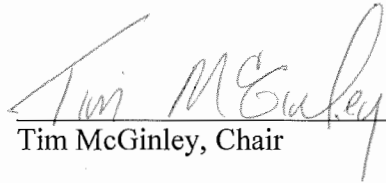
ADOPTED at a meeting of the Luzerne County Council held on February 23, 2021.

ROLL CALL VOTE (10-0) with (1) Abstention

YES: Griffith, Houck, McDermott, McGinley, Perry, Radle, Saidman, Schnee, SJ Urban and Vough

ABSTAINED: Haas

LUZERNE COUNTY COUNCIL



Tim McGinley, Chair

ATTEST: 

Sharon Lawrence, Clerk of Council



Chris Perry, Vice-Chair