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### Anchorage Assembly Leadership

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## Assembly Leadership to Host ARPA Project Expo and Resolution Signing

### September 20, 2022

On September 22, 2022, the Anchorage Assembly Leadership will host an event to celebrate the investment of American Rescue Plan Act (ARPA) federal relief funds across Anchorage.

The ARPA Project Expo will be held at the Nave on September 22, 2022 from 11:30am – 1:00pm. Organizations funded by the Anchorage Assembly with ARPA dollars in 2021 and 2022 will be invited to showcase their projects and celebrate the long-term investments underway toward strengthening the economic resilience of Anchorage and revitalizing the community. At noon, Chair LaFrance will sign the final ARPA resolution following a short program of speakers.

### Location

The Nave, 3502 Spenard Road, Anchorage, AK 99503

### Schedule

- 11:30-1pm: ARPA Project Expo
- 12-12:30pm: ARPA Resolution Signing
- 12:30-1pm: Treats and Celebration

“This saved our life,” said Brandi Rathbun, owner of Moose A’La Mode. “We were at the point where we were going to close our doors. We didn’t know what to do. And because of this program, we’re still open. We brought back our whole staff eventually. And we’re still surviving. And it’s all because of this program. If we hadn’t been a part of it, we would have closed and there would have been an empty café on 4th and K.”

Visit the Anchorage Recovery Dashboard to learn more about how federal relief funds are revitalizing the community: [www.muni.org/recovery](http://www.muni.org/recovery)

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