American Rescue Plan Ineligible Uses





Deposits to rainy day funds or financial reserves because this would create savings for future spending rather than responding to immediate pandemic and recovery needs.



General infrastructure spending outside of those in the eligible uses.



Deposits into defined benefit pension funds unless for routine payroll contributions to pensions for employees whose wages are an eligible use.



Legal settlements or judgements except for any services that would respond to the public health emergency.



Funds cannot be used for paying any debt incurred prior to March 3, 2021.



Non-Federal matching funds for Federal programs.

