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Yolo County Board of Supervisors Held an American Rescue Plan Funding Appreciation Event for Congressional Representatives

(Woodland, CA) – After a year of loss and disruption, President Joe Biden signed a \$1.9 trillion rescue package into law on March 10, 2021. The federal spending bill includes \$350 billion for the recovery of states and local communities following the COVID-19 pandemic. Yolo County received approximately \$42.8 million in American Rescue Plan funds thanks to the efforts of the United States Congress.

The American Rescue Plan funding has been transformative to Yolo County, allowing groups to execute initiatives that strengthen the COVID-19 pandemic response, mitigate negative economic impacts, replace lost public sector revenue, and invest in water, sewage, and broadband infrastructure.

The Board of Supervisors hosted a special event on November 22, 2022, to recognize our Congressional Representatives John Garamendi, Mike Thompson, and Doris Matsui, who were instrumental in securing funds for Yolo County under the American Rescue Plan. At this special event, each Congressional Representative received a Board Resolution.

The American Rescue Plan funding offers an opportunity for Yolo County to address some of the pandemic's impacts and invest in critical infrastructure improvements. "My colleagues and I look forward to witnessing how these projects will assist in Yolo County's social and economic recovery from COVID-19. "These transformative projects are aimed to enhance the lives of Yolo County residents and communities for generations to come," said Board Chair Supervisor Angel Barajas.



(Left to Right: Supervisor Jim Provenza, Congresswoman Matsui's representative: Mia Jones, Chair Angel Barajas, Supervisor Gary Sandy, Congressman John Garamendi, Congressman Thompson's representative: Lucy Brazil, Supervisor Don Saylor, and Vice-Chair Oscar Villegas)

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