

American Rescue Plan Act

Cybersecurity Funding

The American Rescue Plan Act (ARPA) was passed in March 2021 to accelerate the country's recovery from the COVID-19 emergency and its negative economic impacts. As part of this legislation, states, local governments, tribal governments, schools, colleges, and hospitals received stimulus funding to rebound from the pandemic.

Several programs included in ARPA are technology-friendly and may be used for cybersecurity projects, including:

- **Coronavirus State and Local Fiscal Recovery Funds**
- **Elementary & Secondary School Emergency Relief Fund**
- **Higher Education Emergency Relief Fund**
- **HHS Provider Relief Fund**

The Carahsoft/IronNet Grants Support Program provides public sector agencies, educational institutions, and hospitals with grants information, customized funder research, and consultation that will help develop project ideas, get technology-rich projects funded, and even expand initiatives that are already in the works.

Grants Development Consultants with the Carahsoft/IronNet Grants Support Program will work with you to evaluate your needs and determine the level of support that will maximize

the funding you can obtain and optimize the technology you are able to purchase with the grant funds you receive.

For more information about IronNet capabilities in the public sector, visit: ironnet.com/public-sector.

Contact your IronNet representative or [IronNet Grants Support Program staff](#) at IronNet@carahsoft.com to learn more about how you can access grant experts ready to assist with ARPA funding requests!



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