

## Joint Fiscal Committee – September 17, 2021 Approved Motions

### **Agenda Item #2 – Approved Motion: New DED Position Change Request**

Senator Kitchel moved to eliminate the Staff Attorney II limited-service position within the Dept. of Economic Development that was authorized on June 22, 2021 as part of the larger ARPA-funded position request package and replace it with a position titled Staff Attorney IV.

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### **Agenda Item #3 – Childcare Development Block Grant**

#### **Approved Motion 1:**

Senator Kitchel moved to authorize the Child Care Stabilization Program with American Rescue Plan Act (ARPA) funding of \$29.3 million as presented by the Department for Children and Families.

#### **Approved Motion 2:**

Representative Kornheiser moved to approve the \$500,000 for one-time supplemental Special Accommodation Grants from ARPA funds within the Child Care Development Block Grant as presented by the Department for Children and Families.

#### **Approved Motion 3:**

Senator Kitchel moved to approve the \$793,000 of ARPA funding for Transportation Grants from ARPA funds within the Child Care Development Block Grant as presented by the Department for Children and Families.

#### **Approved Motion 4:**

Senator Cummings moved to approve the \$500,000 for business training support for childcare in FY22/23 and \$1.8 million for childcare and after school capacity building activities for FY22/23 from ARPA funds within the Child Care Development Block Grant as presented by the Department for Children and Families.

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### **Agenda Item #7 – Approved Motion: Capital Investment Grant Model**

Senator Cummings moved to approve the new economic, fiscal, and social impact model used to evaluate applications and awards for the Capital Investment Grant Model, as presented. (Exact amount of \$10,580,000 of ARPA funds)

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### **Agenda Item #8 – Approved Motion: VEGI Cost-Benefit Model**

Senator Cummings moved to approve the revised annual update to the VEGI Cost Benefit model as presented by the Vermont Economic Progress Council.

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**Agenda Item #10b – Approved Motion: Joint Fiscal Office Request for Limited-Service Position**

Representative Fagan moved to establish a limited-service position in the Joint Fiscal Office to support the General Assembly in its appropriation of unallocated ARPA funds to address the effects of and needs related to the COVID-19 pandemic in Vermont.

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