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To: Local and Private  
Legislation

HOUSE BILL NO. 1726

1 AN ACT TO AUTHORIZE THE BOARD OF SUPERVISORS OF LOWNDES  
2 COUNTY, MISSISSIPPI, TO CONTRIBUTE FUNDS TO THE YMCA, BOYS AND  
3 GIRLS CLUB, HOMELESS COALITION, UNITED WAY, LAST HOUSE ON THE  
4 BLOCK, HABITAT FOR HUMANITY HOUSING, COMMUNITY COUNSELING, CONTACT  
5 HELPLINE AND HELPING HANDS BY UTILIZING CERTAIN LOCAL FISCAL  
6 RECOVERY FUNDS THAT HAVE BEEN RECEIVED BY THE COUNTY THROUGH THE  
7 AMERICAN RESCUE PLAN ACT; AND FOR RELATED PURPOSES.

8 BE IT ENACTED BY THE LEGISLATURE OF THE STATE OF MISSISSIPPI:

9 **SECTION 1.** (1) The Board of Supervisors of Lowndes County,  
10 Mississippi, in its discretion, is authorized to expend and  
11 contribute to certain nonprofit organizations, as authorized under  
12 this act. The board is authorized to expend and contribute a  
13 portion of the Coronavirus State and Local Fiscal Recovery Funds  
14 of the American Rescue Plan Act that have been allocated to the  
15 county and converted to revenue loss funds to better assist with  
16 recovery from the Covid-19 pandemic and to meet specific needs  
17 within the county.

18 (2) Pursuant to subsection (1) of this section, the board of  
19 supervisors is authorized to expend and contribute such Local  
20 Fiscal Recovery Funds that have been converted to revenue loss



21 funds to the following organizations, within the county, in  
22 amounts not to exceed the following:

23	YMCA.....	\$400,000.00
24	Boys and Girls Club.....	\$175,000.00
25	Homeless Coalition.....	\$200,000.00
26	United Way.....	\$150,000.00
27	Last House on the Block.....	\$175,000.00
28	Habitat for Humanity Housing.....	\$150,000.00
29	Community Counseling.....	\$300,000.00
30	Contact Helpline.....	\$100,000.00
31	Helping Hands.....	\$100,000.00

32 **SECTION 2.** This act shall take effect and be in force from  
33 and after its passage.

