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Baldwin Park City Council Approves \$120,000 for Field Trip Transportation for Baldwin Park Unified School District Students

BALDWIN PARK, CA – The Baldwin Park City Council approved an agreement with the Baldwin Park Unified School District (BPUSD) to provide \$120,000 over the next four years to help defray the cost of educational field trips.

The agreement – approved at the Council’s regular meeting on Wednesday, Oct.19 – affirms the Baldwin Park City Council’s belief that financial capacity, or lack thereof, should not be a barrier to student access to inspiring, educational experiences off campus.

The City of Baldwin Park will fund the agreement through the American Rescue Plan Act (ARPA) – a federal pandemic relief program that sent hundreds of millions of dollars to local and state governments across the country to make strategic investments in their communities. All funds must be allocated by the end of 2024, and fully utilized by the end of 2026.

The agreement took effect on October 26, 2022 and will provide BPUSD with flexibility to use the funds to send more students to field trips or plan more field trips during the school year. The BPUSD Board of Education approved the agreement at its regular meeting on Tuesday, October 25.

About the City of Baldwin Park

Baldwin Park is a nearly seven-square-mile, suburban community of 72,000 residents in the heart of the San Gabriel Valley. As the hub of the San Gabriel Valley, Baldwin Park is known for its ease of access and mobility, young and diverse residents, and vibrant, growing business community. For more information, visit baldwinpark.com or follow Baldwin Park on Facebook (@BaldwinParkCAGov), Instagram (BaldwinPark_CAGov), and Twitter (BaldwinParkCA_)

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