

SONORA INDEPENDENT SCHOOL DISTRICT

American Rescue Plan (ARP)

Elementary and Secondary School Emergency Relief Fund (ESSER III)

Date: July 8, 2021

Dear Sutton County Resident,

The American Rescue Plan (ARP) Elementary and Secondary School Emergency Relief Fund (ESSER III) provided over \$12 billion to the State of Texas for public education, including over \$11 billion to the Local Education Agency (TEA) and \$1,257,822 directly to Sonora ISD. While the U.S. Department of Education (ED) has released \$8 billion of that allocation to the state, in order to access the funds, we must submit and obtain TEA's approval of our ESSER III Use of Funds plan.

Seeking input from parents, families, and our community is essential to developing plans for the use of our ARP ESSER III funds that are responsive to the needs of our students, their families and our staff members.

Please submit any feedback via our ESSER III Survey by July 13 2021, to be reviewed for inclusion into **Sonora ISD's ESSER III Use of Funds Plan** and application.

Sincerely,



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