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Resolution requesting a Spending Report on Festivals and an Eligibility Report Looking Forward for ARPA Expenditures or Obligations.

**WHEREAS**, the City hired Maher Duessel to "provide CITY with a written response and applicable written documentation each time CONSULTANT responds to a request from CITY for justification about the eligibility of a program under ARPA." (*See attachment*).

**Now, therefore be it resolved by the Council of the City of Pittsburgh as follows:**

**Section 1. REPORT ON COMPLIANCE**

The Council of the City of Pittsburgh requests Maher Duessel to perform a report on the compliance of City spending or potential spending for the Juneteenth Western Pennsylvania Homecoming Celebration for 2024 without an RFP, competitive bidding process; and,

**Section 2. REPORT ON ARPA FUNDS**

Further, the Council for the City of Pittsburgh hereby requests Maher Duessel to provide the Council and the City's administration with a report for obligating and spending ARPA funds and the justification thereof, as well as the eligibility required to apply for relief, under a future City Relief Program whereby festival organizers can apply for funds to revive their festivals per Request for Use Plan in Resolution 2024/0563, Enactment # 454 Passed on 7/9/24; and /or Authorize the Mayor and OMB to do the same.