

**County of Lancaster  
Request for ARPA Funding**

**Organization** Mastersonville Volunteer Fire Company **Date** May 1, 2022  
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Please attach any supporting documentation for consideration. Submission should be in PDF Format.

<b>Project/Item Description</b>	Purchase of a new QRS (medical response) vehicle
<b>Estimated Cost – how cost was derived &amp; provision of partner funds (who is providing, how much and show commitments).</b>	\$44,740 Purchase price for the vehicle on state contract from Hondru Ford in Manheim, PA. Conversion work by B. Moyer Radio in Palmyra, PA for \$22,766, also on state contract, for a total of \$67,506
<b>Which County ARPA Community-wide Benefit(s) does the project meet?</b>	Public Safety
<b>Briefly explain how the project meets the County's guidelines.</b>	This QRS unit is licensed by the PA. Department of Health and will provide emergency medical care to residents and visitors to Lancaster County.
<b>Why should this project be a priority and how will it help the County? Also, if this application is for more than one project, please identify each one, provide information and rank them in order of your priority.</b>	This vehicle is a licensed EMS unit operated by the Mastersonville Fire Company to arrive before the ambulance and begin lifesaving care by trained Emergency Medical Technicians. With the EMS crisis that is impacting our county and the entire state and nation, the ability for trained volunteers to respond to medical and traumatic emergencies as never been more in demand. Our current vehicle is over 10 years old and in need of replacement. This unit will be available to respond to any emergency, large or small in Lancaster County. The unit will carry equipment for mass casualty events, traffic accidents, medical emergencies, etc.
<b>Will this project require ongoing expense (maintenance, updates) or frequent replacement? Are expenses already being incurred, if so, can they be reduced through this project?</b>	Yearly maintenance is required for this vehicle. We must continually replace expired equipment on the vehicle as well as updating equipment and medical supplies with new and improved supplies and medications.
<b>Project Timeline – start to finish, and when funding will be needed.</b>	Project was started in January of 2022, with the vehicle being ordered in February of 2022. Expected delivery is June of 2022 and uplifting the vehicle to a licensed QRS (Quick Response Vehicle) also in June of 2022. Placed in service July of 2022. Funding needed in June of 2022.
<b>Are there other organizations a part of this project? If yes, please list them and their role, including funding. If not, explain why?</b>	This vehicle will be owned and operated by the volunteers of the Mastersonville Fire Company. This vehicle provides mutual aid assistance to other parts of Lancaster County when requested. The Mastersonville Fire Company does not bill or invoice for their services.
<b>ARPA Committee Comments</b>	

<b>ARPA Committee Recommendation</b>	
<b>Funding Amount Recommended (if recommended for approval)</b>	\$