

## Bristol Town Administrator

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**To:** Bristol Town Administrator  
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Hi Valerie,

I am interested in volunteering to be on the ARPA committee. I think I can bring to the committee's work a long and established history and knowledge of Bristol, familiarity with the strengths and needs of Bristol residents, and time to offer. I was a visiting nurse in the Bristol area for 34 years.

I think we need to figure out how to utilize the relief money in the best way possible for Bristol. Some of the issues to consider are COVID19, drug abuse problems, high housing costs as well as the availability of housing, aging Town infrastructure needs and improving wide spread internet connectivity.

I don't want Bristol to lose its small town charm but we can use the money to improve and fine tune what we have now and hopefully correct some deficiencies at the same time.

Thanks for your consideration.  
Diane Cushman