



CARES ACT Emergency Solutions Grant Program Notice of Funding Availability (NOFA)

Purpose:

The Missouri Housing Development Commission (MHDC), in collaboration with the Missouri Department of Social Services (DSS), hereby notifies interested organizations of the availability of Emergency Solutions Grant (ESG) funds to provide housing assistance to homeless or nearly homeless Missourians in an amount up to **\$9,584,276.00**. The funds will be allocated in a competitive process in accordance with the Allocation Plan. The allocation of CARES Act funds will be awarded pending an executed ESG contract from DSS, if any.

Deadline:

Applications for funding will be accepted on a rolling basis as applications are completed. The application for funding will remain available until **5:00 p.m. on August 20, 2020 or until all funds have been awarded**, in accordance with the parameters of the CARES Act. All applications received after the application period has closed will not be considered for funding.

Requirements:

- Applicants must be a city/county or non-profit entity with capacity to administer the funds directly, eligible to conduct business in Missouri, be an entity in good standing with the state of Missouri and provide housing or housing services. Funding will not be awarded to individuals. Funding may not be sub-granted.
- All proposals must be submitted via MHDC's Community Initiatives Department's online Grant Interface, available on the MHDC website (<http://www.mhdc.com/ci/index.htm>) and in compliance with the CARES Act Emergency Solutions Grant Application Guidance also posted on the MHDC website. The Application Guidance should be reviewed before completing and submitting a proposal.

Submission:

Please submit all required documentation and application via MHDC's Community Initiatives online Grant Interface. <http://www.mhdc.com/ci/index.htm>

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