



PUBLIC NOTICE: Request for Applications for Community Development Block Grant and Emergency Solutions Grant in Response to COVID-19

Issue Date: May 5, 2020

Application Release Date: May 4, 2020

Application Due Date: Sunday, May 10, 2020

Community Planning Application and Instructions are located at:
<https://webcms.pima.gov/cms/one.aspx?portalId=169&pageId=24903>

Information will be provided at the **Technical Assistance session on Monday, May 4, 2020 at 11:00am** via Microsoft Teams. Attendance is mandatory. Contact Jennifer Felix at Jennifer.Felix@pima.gov to receive a meeting invite. Additionally, you may phone into the meeting at: 213-279-1657 Conference ID: 488 682 152#.

Request for Community Planning Applications in response to COVID-19: As part of the Coronavirus Aid, Relief and Economic Security (CARES) Act, entitlement jurisdictions such as Pima County have been allocated additional Community Development Block Grant and Emergency Solutions Grant funding, known as CDBG-CV and ESG-CV, to assist in addressing the growing needs made apparent by the public health crisis. Pima County is requesting applications from eligible non-profit and government agencies for programs and projects that prevent and respond to the spread of COVID-19, in addition to, addressing community needs for individuals and households directly impacted by the pandemic. This funding is dedicated to organizations and governments anticipating or realizing an increase in services provided due to COVID-19, or have a new proposal for projects or programs dedicated towards increased community needs associated with the outbreak. Current Pima County priorities include funding for one-time CDBG-CV public services, facility improvements, and economic development opportunities for small businesses. ESG-CV priorities include rapidly rehousing homeless individuals and families residing in motels/hotels, in homeless shelters, or sheltering in place in the community. ESG-CV Homeless Prevention activities to assist households that may become homeless due to COVID-19 related loss if income will also be prioritized. It is possible that these applications may be shared with the City of Tucson at a later time for funding.

Applicants are required to check the aforementioned website prior to the due date for addenda and/or additional information to assure that the application incorporates all addenda.

Questions should be submitted to:

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Si desea recibir esta información en español por favor llame Jennifer Felix al (520) 724-2464.