SUBMITTAL TO THE BOARD OF SUPERVISORS COUNTY OF RIVERSIDE, STATE OF CALIFORNIA



ITEM: 3.12 (ID # 12228)

MEETING DATE:

Tuesday, April 07, 2020

FROM: EMERGENCY MANAGEMENT DEPARTMENT:

SUBJECT: EMERGENCY MANAGEMENT DEPARTMENT: Accept COVID-19 Crisis Response Funding Award Number COVID-19-33 for County of Riverside from the California Department of Public Health for PHEP Crisis Response COVID-19 Funding, All Districts. [\$1,806,542 - 100% Federal Funding] 4/5 Vote Required

RECOMMENDED MOTION: That the Board of Supervisors:

- Accept COVID-19 Crisis Response Funding Award number COVID-19-33 from the California Department of Public Health (CDPH) to the County of Riverside for Public Health Emergency Preparedness (PHEP) Crisis Response to COVID-19 in the amount of \$1,806,542 for the period of March 5, 2020 through March 15, 2021;
- 2. Authorize the Director and the Deputy Director of the Emergency Management Department to sign and submit the COVID-19 Invoice on behalf of the County of Riverside and administer the funding;
- 3. Authorize the Director of the Emergency Management Department, or his designee, to sign and submit any related documents, including but not limited to a spend plan, a work plan, and quarterly expenditure reports and work plan progress reports; and
- 4. Approve and direct the Auditor-Controller to make the budget adjustments shown on Schedule A.

RAMON A. LEON, DEPUTY DIRECTOR OF EMERGENCY MONT DEPT 3/26/2020

MINUTES OF THE BOARD OF SUPERVISORS

On motion of Supervisor Washington, seconded by Supervisor Spiegel and duly carried by unanimous vote, IT WAS ORDERED that the above matter is approved as recommended.

Ayes:

Jeffries, Spiegel, Washington, Perez and Hewitt

Nays:

None

Absent:

None

Date:

April 7, 2020

XC:

EMD, Auditor

Kecia R. Harper

Clerk of the Board

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FINANCIAL DATA	Curr	ent Fiscal \	/ear:	Next Fiscal Y	ear:	Total Cost:	Ongoing Cost
COST	\$	1,806,	542	\$	0	\$ 1,806,542	N/A
NET COUNTY COST		\$	0	\$	0	\$0	N/A
SOURCE OF FUNDS	Budget Adjus	Budget Adjustment: Yes					
		For Fiscal Ye	For Fiscal Year: 19/20-20/21				

C.E.O. RECOMMENDATION: Approve

BACKGROUND:

Summary

On March 6th, President Trump signed the Coronavirus Preparedness and Response Supplemental Appropriations Act 2020, providing funding for COVID-19 response activities. The California Department of Public Health (CDPH) received Center for Disease Control (CDC) funding for local jurisdictions to provide resources to prevent, prepare for and respond to COVID-19. Based on an allocation formula, the County of Riverside is receiving \$1,806,542 from the Emergency Preparedness Office (EPO) in order to support the highest priority response needs as determined locally in the following categories:

- Incident Management for Early Crisis Response;
- Jurisdictional Recovery;
- Information Management;
- Countermeasures and Mitigation;
- Surge Management; and
- Biosurveillance

This one-time funding is intended to reimburse the County for COVID-19 crisis response for the period March 5, 2020 through March 15, 2021. An invoice requesting reimbursement will be sent immediately. A spending plan and work plan will be submitted to CDPH in April, and an expenditure report and work plan progress report will be submitted quarterly.

Impact on Residents and Businesses

The COVID-19 Crisis Response Funding is critical support from the Federal government to assist in the response to the ongoing pandemic. This allocation will augment resources and help in recovery efforts.

Additional Fiscal Information

The amount of \$1,806,542 is budgeted in FY19/20 in order to allow for flexibility in response. If the funds are not expended in FY19/20, a budget adjustment will be done in the first quarter of FY20/21.

ATTACHMENTS:

SUBMITTAL TO THE BOARD OF SUPERVISORS COUNTY OF RIVERSIDE, **STATE OF CALIFORNIA**

- 1. County of Riverside Allocation Letter for COVID-19 Crisis Response Funding
- 2. SCHEDULE A. BUDGET ADJUSTMENT

SCHEDULE A

EMD

Administration

PHEP Crisis Response COVID-19

Fiscal Year 2019/20

<u>INCREA</u>	<u>ISE ESTIMATED F</u>	REVENU	<u>ES:</u>		
21800-	2000100000-	6615-	767220	Fed- Other Operating Grants	\$ 1,806,542
		<u>T(</u>	\$ 1,806,542		
INCREA	SE APPROPRIAT	IONS:			
21800-	2000100000-	6615-	520705	Food	\$ 125,000
21800-	2000100000-	6615-	523700	Office Supplies	\$ 41,211
21800-	2000100000-	6615-	525440	Professional Services	\$ 250,000
21800-	2000100000-	6615-	526960	Small Tools and Equipment	\$ 93,138
21800-	2000100000-	6615-	527180	Operational Supplies	\$ 784,689
21800-	2000100000-	6615-	546160	Equipment-Other	\$ 512,504
			<u>TOTA</u>	L INCREASE APPROPRIATIONS:	\$ 1,806,542

3/26/2020 Cherilyn Williams



State of California—Health and Human Services Agency California Department of Public Health



SONIA Y. ANGELL, MD, MPH State Public Health Officer & Director

March 20, 2020

Dr. Cameron Kaiser Health Officer County of Riverside 4065 County Circle Drive, Suite 412-C Riverside, CA 92503

Dear Dr. Cameron Kaiser:

<u>Authority:</u> Section 311(c)(1) of the Public Health Service Act (42 USC 243(c)(1)

Coronavirus Preparedness and Response Supplemental Appropriations Act, 2020 (P.L. 116-123)

COVID-19 Crisis Response Funding Award Number: COVID-19-33 for County of Riverside

This letter covers COVID-19 Crisis Response reimbursement information for the period of March 5, 2020 through March 15, 2021. The Emergency Preparedness Office (EPO) is allocating **\$1,806,542** to **County of Riverside** in order to support your greatest response needs to prevent, prepare for, and respond to COVID-19.

Your Agency may use discretion to allocate this funding to your highest priority response needs in the following categories (Attachment 1 – Allowable Activities):

- Incident Management for Early Crisis Response;
- Jurisdictional Recovery;
- Information Management;
- Countermeasures and Mitigation;
- Surge Management; and
- Biosurveillance

The following costs are unallowable:

- Research;
- Clinical care except as provided above in connection with countermeasures and mitigation; and
- Publicity and propaganda (lobbying):
 - Other than for normal and recognized executive-legislative relationships, no funds may be used for:
 - publicity or propaganda purposes, for the preparation, distribution, or use of any material designated to support or defeat the enactment of legislation before any legislative body; and



the salary or expenses of any grant or contract recipient, or agent acting for such recipient, related to any activity designed to influence the enactment of legislation, appropriations, regulation, administrative action, or Executive order proposed or pending before any legislative body.

EPO will reimburse your Agency within three business days of invoice receipt. In order to receive your allocation, please complete and submit your invoice (Attachment 2 – Invoice) as soon as possible to: LHBTProg@cdph.ca.gov.

Please Submit the following to EPO:

- Invoice requesting reimbursement at your Agency's full allocation. Use the attached COVID-19 Invoice. Submit your invoice to: LHBTProg@cdph.ca.gov.
- 2. By April 9, 2020, submit a spend plan (Attachment 3 Spend Plan) to: LHBTProg@cdph.ca.gov.
 - Personnel supported with this funding should not duplicate efforts across other federal grants; exceed 1.0 FTE across all funding sources; and salary is kept below \$189k as required by the funder.
 - Please maintain any supporting documentation for expenditures against this funding.
- 3. By April 23, 2020, submit a work plan (Attachment 4 Work Plan) to: LHBTProg@cdph.ca.gov.
- 4. On a quarterly basis, beginning in June 2020, submit an expenditure report (Attachment 3) and work plan progress report (Attachment 4).

Thank you for the time your Agency has and will continue to invest in this response. I am hopeful that with additional funding your Agency will have the adequate resources for an appropriate response. If you have any questions or need further clarification, please contact your assigned EPO Contract Manager directly.

Sincerely,

Tucal Aoc

Tricia Blocher, Deputy Director Emergency Preparedness Office

California Department of Public Health

From:

rdhenderson@rivco.org

Sent:

Saturday, April 4, 2020 12:12 PM

To:

COB

Subject:

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4707 Brentwood Ave., Riverside, 92506

Phone:

9174593267

Agenda Date:

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Comment.

Support

Comments:

I'm writing to support the Riverside County Moratorium Against Evictions for all

residents and commercial tenants. People deserve to be able to stay in their homes,

especially during a pandemic when this is an issue of public safety.

Will you be dialing into the

State your position below:

meeting or just submitting

Please submit my comments for the record

comments for the record?:

Thank you for submitting your request to speak. The Clerk of the Board office has received your request and will be prepared to allow you to speak when your item is called. To attend the meeting, please call (669) 900-6833 and use Meeting ID # 871439472. Password is 4080. You

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From:

rdhenderson@rivco.org

Sent:

Sunday, April 5, 2020 9:43 PM COB; shelley_kaplan@aol.com

To: Subject:

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First Name:

Shelley

Last Name:

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Phone:

6176611674

Email:

shelley_kaplan@aol.com

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Comment:

Support

Comments:

I would like to express my full support for at least a 60 day moratorium on all residential and commercial evictions as a result of non payment of rent due to the impact of the pandemic with a plan to revisit this for additional support towards the end of the 60 day

period.

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First Name:

Yvette

Last Name:

Elam

Phone:

9162507393

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State your position below: Support Comments:

Good Morning my name is Yvette Elam.

I'm asking that the Board support 90 day rent forgiveness for residential and commercial tenants during this COVID-19 pandemic. Imagine if you're in situation you lost your job because of something out of your control and you can't pay your rent. The stress of knowing the the first of the month is coming and you can't pay your rent. It's a Unsettling

feeling. This 90 day forgiveness would give people some ease on their financial

responsibility. I'm asking the Board to support the 90 day rent forgiveness. Thank you.

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From: rdhenderson@rivco.org

Sent: Sunday, April 5, 2020 8:17 PM To: COB; vrcastro31@yahoo.com

Subject: Board comments web submission

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First Name: Vanessa Last Name: Scott

2017 Blackthorn dr Address (Street, City and Zip):

Phone: 7608076907

Email: vrcastro31@yahoo.com

Agenda Date: 04/07/2020

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State your position below: Support

Comments: I support the COVID-19 Funding to ensure economic relief measures for tenants,

particularly to allow a 90 day rent forgiveness plan for residential and commercial

tenants during this COVID-19 pandemic emergency.

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I will be calling in

comments for the record?:

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From: rdhenderson@rivco.org

Sent: Monday, April 6, 2020 3:29 AM

To: COB; elvira@liderescampesinas.org

Subject: Board comments web submission



First Name:

Elvira

Last Name:

Herrera

Address (Street, City and

Jalisco Ave

Zip):

7609536167

Phone: Email:

elvira@liderescampesinas.org

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State your position

below:

Support

Comments:

Good afternoon my name is Elvira, I'm an advocate for domestic violence with Lideres campesinas. I would like to address some concerns about people loosing their job's and hours of work. Some concerns for our community as wells for our farm workers are rent, bills, emergency housing. Also emergency housing for domestic violence survivor. Shelter's are not taking new survivors these women and their children are in lockdown with their Abusers. We need emergency housing for them as well.

Thank you, Elvira Herrera

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From: rdhenderson@rivco.org

Sent: Monday, April 6, 2020 8:33 AM

To: COB; lfigueroa@leadershipcounsel.org **Subject:** Board comments web submission



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Last Name: Figueroa

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Phone: 7609726337

Email: Ifigueroa@leadershipcounsel.org

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From:

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Monday, April 6, 2020 11:28 AM

To:

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Allen

Last Name:

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Phone:

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Comment:

State your position below: Support Comments:

Dear Riverside County Board of Supervisors:

Gov. Newsom announced an executive order on March 16, 2020 that allows cities and counties to impose their own eviction bans if they choose. Several cities in the Inland Empire and Desert Communities have already implemented eviction bans or are considering doing so, including San Bernardino, Riverside, Loma Linda, and Palm Springs. However, action at the county level has not yet been taken and would greatly assist by extending the ban to thousands of additional residents who are experiencing lost wages and unemployment as a result of the current COVID-19 pandemic.

We urge the Riverside County Board of Supervisors to immediately docket and implement an emergency ordinance providing a moratorium on all housing displacement actions within the county as well as a plant to ensure that all tenants may receive rent relief due to the financial difficulties many face at this time.

Sincerely,

Allen Partono, LULAC of Riverside

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