

## **HUD CARES Act Funding Summary**

- Funds may be used to cover or reimburse allowable costs incurred before the award including costs prior to the signing of the CARES Act to prevent, prepare for, and respond to COVID-19
- Funds cannot supplant lost revenue of the municipality
- Waivers of regulations have been granted to expedite and facilitate the use of funds
- HUD is using an expedited approval process
- Public comment period of no less than five days is required
- Requires substantial amendment to the FY 2019-20 Annual Action Plan
- One virtual public meeting is required

### **Community Development Block Grant (CDBG-CV) \$2,236,393**

- \$5 billion in Community Development Block Grant funds allocated in total
  - HUD has immediately allocated \$2 billion based on the fiscal year 2020 CDBG formula.
  - \$1 billion has been allocated to States and insular areas (\$11.4 mil to CT)
  - The remaining \$2 billion shall be distributed to states and local governments at the discretion of the HUD Secretary based on need.
- Allows flexibility for the CDBG-CV grant and, in some cases, for current FY 2019-20 and for FY 2020-21 CDBG funds (requirements related to fair housing, nondiscrimination, labor standards, and the environment have not been waived)
- HUD encourages the City to prioritize the needs of low-and moderate-income persons

#### **Proposed CDBG-CV Activities:**

- Public Health and Safety - \$250,000
- Housing Assistance Program\Housing Stabilization - \$802,393
- Economic Resiliency – 500,000
- Basic Needs - \$360,361
- Support for At-Risk Populations - \$100,000
- Program Administration\ Oversight - \$223,639

### **Emergency Solutions Grants (ESG-CV) \$1,137,914**

- \$1 billion in ESG funds allocated in total

#### **Proposed ESG-CV Activities:**

- Rapid Re-Housing\ Homelessness Prevention - \$700,000
- Emergency Shelter Assistance\ Assistance to Unsheltered - \$175,000
- Basic Needs - \$149,123
- Program Administration\ Oversight - \$113,791

### **Emergency Solutions Grants (ESG-CV) \$1,509,315**

#### **Proposed ESG-CV 2<sup>nd</sup> Round Activities:**

- Rapid Re-Housing\ Homelessness Prevention - \$980,371
- Emergency Shelter Assistance\ Assistance to Unsheltered - \$245,093
- Basic Needs - \$208,851
- Program Administration\ Oversight - \$75,000

### **Housing Opportunities for Persons with AIDS (HOPWA-CV) \$160,839**

- \$53.7 million in HOPWA funds allocated in total

#### **Proposed HOPWA-CV Activities:**

- Homelessness Prevention
- Essential Services
- Quarantine Lodging
- Short-Term Rent, Mortgage, and Utility Assistance (STRMU)

### **City Requirements for Receipt of CARES Act Funding**

- Prepare Draft for Public Comment Substantial Amendment to the City's current FY 2019-20 Annual action Plan
- Post draft on City website for no less than 5 days
- Hold one virtual public hearing
- Submit Final Substantial Amendment to HUD (including any public comments)
- Complete Environmental Review Process
- Receive Release of Funds from HUD
- Begin implementation of projects