



# Saint Louis County

## CARES ACT – COVID-19 FUNDING AMENDMENT TO THE ACTION PLAN FY 2020 – ROUND 2

**St. Louis County  
Urban County Entitlement**

**Community Development Block Grant Program  
HOME Investment Partnerships Program  
Emergency Solutions Grant Program**

**Northeast Minnesota HOME Consortium  
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Koochiching County  
Lake County  
St. Louis County**



# **CARES ACT**

## **Coronavirus Aid, Relief, and Economic Security (CARES)**

### **St. Louis County**

### **Public Participation Process**

### **Round 2**

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St. Louis County received special allocations of funds from the U.S. Department of Housing and Urban Development (HUD) to address the current COVID-19 pandemic. As an entitlement entity for Community Development Block Grant (CDBG) and Emergency Solutions Grant (ESG) funding, St. Louis County has been notified of two rounds of Coronavirus Aid, Relief, and Economic Security (CARES) Act funding awards totaling \$1,821,377 in CDBG-CV and \$1,527,412 in ESG-CV. The city of Duluth separately received CDBG-CV and ESG-CV funding.

Project eligibility for CDBG-CV and ESG-CV is the same as typical CDBG and ESG funding, but it must also assist with preventing, preparing for, and responding to COVID-19. The St. Louis County Board approved Round 1 funding recommendations for CDBG-CV and ESG-CV on July 28, 2020.

The CDBG Advisory Committee completed its review of Round 2 applications in the categories of affordable housing, human services, community facilities, public infrastructure improvements, and economic development. The County received eligible applications totaling \$758,148 and the available funding is \$879,196. The budget includes \$353,800 remaining from the Round 1 award process.

A CDBG Advisory Committee meeting was held on April 22, 2021, to review all applications and formulate a funding recommendation. The Advisory Committee recommended full funding for all applications and allocated the remaining funding of \$121,048 be held by the County for a future funding round. The public is provided an opportunity to comment during an abbreviated public review period May 17 – May 27, 2021.

ESG-CV Round 2 applications exceeded the available budget of \$853,754. The Rural Housing Coalition, Advisory Committee for the ESG Program, completed its application review and funding recommendation on May 6, 2021.

A summary of the 2021 CDBG CV and ESG-CV project applications with the Advisory Committee final recommendations is attached. The Advisory Committee recommendations and any public comments will be presented to the St. Louis County Board of Commissioners for its review and action at a public hearing on June 1, 2021. If approved, communities and agencies will then have until April 30, 2022, to complete projects.

# FY 2020 CDBG-CV2 Advisory Committee

## Project Descriptions and Funding Recommendations

<b>HOUSING</b>	<b>Total Cost</b>	<b>CDBG-CV Request</b>	<b>Advisory Committee Recommendation</b>
<b>Access North: Ramp Project</b> Access North constructs and installs ramp modules throughout St. Louis County for persons with a physical disability or mobility impairment. Before COVID-19, the majority of these activities were provided by volunteer work crews from the Sentence to Service Program (STS) and the MN Dept. of Corrections. COVID-19 has caused discontinuation of the STS Program and loss of these volunteers. Access North will use CDBG-CV funding to hire additional staff or contractors to construct and install ramps.	<b>239,386</b>	<b>35,000</b>	<b>35,000</b>
<b>TOTAL (1)</b>	<b>239,386</b>	<b>35,000</b>	<b>35,000</b>
<b>ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT</b>	<b>Total Cost</b>	<b>CDBG-CV Request</b>	<b>Advisory Committee Recommendation</b>
<b>Entrepreneur Fund: COVID-19 Business Assistance</b> Operational support to deliver COVID-19 programs to area businesses and recovery grants of \$2,000 to eligible businesses.	<b>2,250,000</b>	<b>50,000</b>	<b>50,000</b>
<b>TOTAL (1)</b>	<b>2,250,000</b>	<b>50,000</b>	<b>50,000</b>
<b>Community Facilities</b>	<b>Total Cost</b>	<b>CDBG-CV Request</b>	<b>Advisory Committee Recommendation</b>
<b>Aurora Food Shelf-AEOA</b> The project will consist of rehab to the newly purchased site of the Aurora Food Shelf as well as the purchase and installation of essential equipment. The rehab will include enlarging a side door for food deliveries, outside concrete work, purchasing/installing a larger walk-in freezer/refrigerator unit, replacing the current heating and cooling system, and purchase and installation of shelving.	<b>98,880</b>	<b>91,150</b>	<b>91,150</b>
<b>City of Orr: City Hall Improvements</b> Health and safety improvements to the Old City Hall. Part of the Old City Hall was converted to living quarters for emergency response personnel to be used during the pandemic. The HVAC system for the facility needs replacement to provide safety and comfort for these personnel.	<b>50,000</b>	<b>40,000</b>	<b>40,000</b>
<b>Quad City Food Shelf-AEOA: Building Improvements</b> Funds will be used to purchase and construct a safety canopy at all entrances. Curbside services require extensive use of the side entrance. There is no covering to protect clients nor volunteers from falling rain, snow, ice, or other weather debris from the metal roof above. Due to the COVID-19 unemployment/job losses coupled with the federal eligibility changes from 200% to 300% of poverty level, the program has seen great increases in eligible households now using the services. QCFS is the largest food shelf in the area and is operated primarily with volunteers. It serves the communities of Virginia, Eveleth, Gilbert, and Mountain Iron.	<b>25,000</b>	<b>25,000</b>	<b>25,000</b>
<b>TOTAL (3)</b>	<b>173,880</b>	<b>156,150</b>	<b>156,150</b>

<b>PUBLIC SERVICE</b>	<b>Total Cost</b>	<b>CDBG-CV Request</b>	<b>Advisory Committee Recommendation</b>
<b>AEOA: Local Food Relief</b> Project will consist of supplying and distributing boxes of food to low-income households that cannot afford to buy food or that do not have the means to reach one of the distribution sites. Households will also have access to personal hygiene kits, baby nutrition and care items, and cleaning supplies. To successfully deliver these resources, a driver will need to be hired and will utilize the Senior Services' delivery van.	<b>132,600</b>	<b>43,086</b>	<b>43,086</b>
<b>AEOA: TechConnect Program</b> Project will consist of supplying 50 computers along with internet access, through T-Mobile and PCs for People, to 50 people at 200% below the poverty level. This needed resource will help families and seniors with the ability to attend appointments virtually, apply for jobs online, gain or further their education, tend to their mental health, and otherwise engage with the internet like every other person to improve their lives.	<b>112,915</b>	<b>25,093</b>	<b>25,093</b>
<b>East Range DAC: Return to Work Program</b> Project will consist of providing work accommodations to meet social distancing requirements. Accommodations will involve modular workstations to increase the number of clients able to work and to allow safe distance between clients, converting open storage shelving to closed shelving to aide in general sanitizing, and an electrostatic disinfecting system to aide in sanitizing surfaces.	<b>16,299</b>	<b>15,799</b>	<b>15,799</b>
<b>Floodwood Services &amp; Training: Safety/PPE</b> Floodwood Services and Training provides day services to older adults and individuals with disabilities along with community recycling and Meals on Wheels programs. Funding will be used for ongoing increase to transportation costs; personal protective equipment; and cleaning supplies.	<b>62,500</b>	<b>25,500</b>	<b>25,500</b>
<b>Hibbing HRA: Moving to Wellness Coordinator</b> The project consists of financing the wage for the Moving to Wellness Coordinator position and other administrative responsibilities. The Coordinator will serve as the central liaison for all efforts to protect resident health. Duties will include: assist in telehealth services, manage preventative screenings and free clinics for residents, educate residents to prevent the further spread of COVID-19, meet with all work able tenants to understand employment struggles, refer them to supportive services, and empower residents to succeed.	<b>93,000</b>	<b>73,000</b>	<b>73,000</b>
<b>Iron Range Partnership for Sustainability: Garden</b> Iron Range Partnership for Sustainability operates a community food forest and garden adjacent to the largest subsidized housing site in the community. The food is available to anyone who wishes to access it and is a renewable resource. With the increased food insecurity as a result of COVID-19, it is more important than ever to invest in edible local healthy produce that reinforces a resilient local food supply into the future. The funds will be used to hire a gardener to tend to the food forest, garden plot, and to assist the public in harvesting when the fruits and vegetables are ripe. A small portion will pay for extra time promoting and advertising of the garden by the Growing Together Coordinator.	<b>19,520</b>	<b>18,520</b>	<b>18,520</b>
<b>Project Care: Medical Care</b> Funding assistance for the administrator and site coordinator salaries. The program provides healthcare access and outreach to people who are uninsured or under insured while networking with other community-based organizations to facilitate continued treatment, screenings, and education. Due to COVID-19, they have not been able to conduct their typical fundraising events. They will be coordinating with Essentia to organize buses to get patients to vaccination sites. Offices are located in Hibbing and Virginia.	<b>166,650</b>	<b>10,000</b>	<b>10,000</b>

<b>PUBLIC SERVICE (Continued)</b>	<b>Total Cost</b>	<b>CDBG-CV Request</b>	<b>Advisory Committee Recommendation</b>
<b>Salvation Army-Hibbing: Food Shelf and Melting Pot Meals Program</b> The program provides one meal per day to homeless and low-income individuals and families in the Hibbing area and operates a food shelf for families. Funds will support operating costs, food purchases and serving supplies resulting from COVID-19 impacts. The meals program is experiencing increased usage and requires use of "to-go" serving materials to accommodate curb side pick-up and take out options.	<b>81,810</b>	<b>6,000</b>	<b>6,000</b>
<b>Salvation Army-Virginia: Virginia Supper Club COVID-19 Response</b> The Salvation Army Supper Club was closed for sit down meals but has continued to serve meals five days a week during the pandemic through carry-out. Plans are in process to reopen for sit down serving along with continued carry-out meals. Meals served each day have grown from 80 to greater than 100. The special Thanksgiving and Christmas meals served 250 and 275 respectively compared with pre-COVID-19 numbers of 80 - 100. CDBG-CV2 funding will be used to purchase additional food and carry-out supplies for meals.	<b>20,000</b>	<b>20,000</b>	<b>20,000</b>
<b>United Way of NE MN: Buddy Backpacks Program</b> The Buddy Backpacks program provides a meal kit each Friday filled with nutritious, nonperishable, child-friendly food items to food-insecure children who would otherwise suffer from hunger over the weekends. COVID-19 has impacted the program through increased demand for services, reduced donations to the program, and rising costs for food provided.	<b>295,231</b>	<b>50,000</b>	<b>50,000</b>
<b>United Way of NE MN: COVID-19 Relief</b> Delivery of a program to provide financial assistance with mortgage, rent, and utilities payments to eligible families impacted by COVID-19. The program will be coordinated with Range Transitional Housing to enable serving homeless clients with ESG-CV resources.	<b>200,000</b>	<b>200,000</b>	<b>200,000</b>
<b>United Way of NE MN: Smiles United Program</b> Smiles United is a preventive and restorative dental program that provides care for uninsured and underinsured individuals of all ages. Services are normally provided through a mobile unit that travels to area schools. COVID-19 has prevented use of the mobile unit and increased demand for services because of job loss, reduced income, and loss of insurance benefits to area residents. United Way will use CDBG-CV2 funding to provide services at its Chisholm office location. Funding will be used for staffing, supplies, and space costs.	<b>51,329</b>	<b>30,000</b>	<b>30,000</b>
<b>TOTAL (12)</b>	<b>1,251,854</b>	<b>516,998</b>	<b>516,998</b>

<b>FY 2021 CDBG-CV2 Advisory Committee Final Funding Recommendation</b>				
<b><u>Category</u></b>	<b><u>Number of Applications</u></b>	<b><u>Total Project Costs</u></b>	<b><u>CDBG-CV2 Funds Requested</u></b>	<b><u>Funding Recommendation</u></b>
Housing	1	\$239,386	\$35,000	\$35,000
Economic Development	1	\$2,250,000	\$50,000	\$50,000
Community Facilities	3	\$173,880	\$156,150	\$156,150
Public Service	12	\$1,251,854	\$516,998	\$516,998
<b>Total</b>	<b>17</b>	<b>\$3,915,120</b>	<b>\$758,148</b>	<b>\$758,148</b>

## FY 2020 ESG-CV Round 2 Advisory Committee

### Project Descriptions and Funding Recommendations

	Total Cost	ESG-CV Request	Advisory Committee Recommendation
<b>AEOA: Bill's House – Emergency Shelter Rehabilitation</b> Rehabilitation of the Bill's House shelter facility. Bill's House was originally constructed in 2000 and has been the primary shelter site in northern St. Louis County since that time. Historically, Bill's House serves approximately 125 households annually but has seen 222 households in 2020. Wear and tear on the facility over the past 20 years necessitates its improvement to continue providing shelter services.	630,994	365,884	365,884
<b>Legal Aid: COVID-19 Hotline Project</b> ESG funds will be used by Legal Aid Service of NE MN (LASNEM) to fund staffing of a hotline. Individuals/families needing legal assistance will call LASNEM to complete an intake. The individual/family will receive a call back by an attorney/paralegal. If the household only needs questions answered, the attorney will provide the advice and close the file. If the household needs ongoing representation, the local office will continue to represent the household as needed. The hotline is a means to respond quickly so that individuals/families have information and advice they can rely on to make decisions that are best for them during the pandemic and in response to issues/concerns arising from the pandemic.	256,000	67,150	67,150
<b>Salvation Army-Hibbing: Emergency Lodging and Rental Assistance</b> Direct client assistance to aid households with payment of rental arrears, prevention of eviction, and emergency lodging in hotels. Assessments will include connecting to additional Salvation Army Services.	24,000	23,000	-0-
<b>Salvation Army-Virginia: Homeless Prevention</b> Direct client assistance to aid households with payment of rental arrears and utility delinquency. Assistance would be provided once per year to a household. Clients will also be assessed for eligibility for additional services.	30,000	30,000	-0-
<b>Range Transitional Housing: COVID-19 Homeless Prevention Assistance</b> Direct financial assistance and case management services to persons impacted by COVID-19 to prevent evictions, foreclosures, and utility disconnect that will prevent homelessness. Range Transitional Housing (RTH) is partnering with United Way of NE Minnesota (UW) to serve both homeless eligible and non-homeless eligible clients. RTH will handle the homeless referrals and UW will assist the non-homeless referrals. The program covers all St. Louis County outside Duluth.	635,304	415,976	415,976
<b>Institute for Community Alliances: Homeless Management Information System (HMIS)</b> Allocation of funding from the ESG-CV entitlement for homeless management information system services provided to agencies receiving ESG-CV funding. HMIS reporting is mandated by HUD to provide nation wide consistency in reporting on homelessness clients and services. ICA is the agency chosen by the state wide HMIS governance group to provide services for all agencies in Minnesota.	4,744	4,744	4,744

FY 2020 ESG-CV Advisory Committee Final Funding Recommendation				
<u>Category</u>	<u>Number of Applications</u>	<u>Total Project Costs</u>	<u>CDBG-CV Funds Requested</u>	<u>Funding Recommendation</u>
ESG-CV Homelessness	6	\$1,581,042	\$906,754	\$853,754

## St. Louis County Table 3

### Consolidated Plan Listing of Projects

**Applicant's Name:** Access North Center for Independent Living of Northeastern Minnesota

**Priority Need**

☒ Housing      ☐ Economic Development      ☐ Physical Improvement      ☐ Public Service

**Project Title**

Ramp Project

**Project Description:**

Access North constructs and installs ramp modules throughout St. Louis County for persons with a physical disability or mobility impairment. Before COVID-19, the majority of these activities were provided by volunteer work crews from the Sentence to Service Program (STS) and the MN Dept. of Corrections. COVID-19 has caused discontinuation of the STS Program and loss of these volunteers. Access North will use CDBG-CV funding to hire additional staff or contractors to construct and install ramps.

**Objective DH**

**DH Provide decent affordable housing**

**SL Create suitable living environments**

**EO Create economic opportunities**

**Outcome 1**

**1 Availability/Accessibility**

**2 Affordability**

**3 Sustainability**

**Service Area Determination:** Community Wide, Address, Census Tract/Block Group, & Survey or LMI Data. Attach map of project area.

1309 E 40th Street, Hibbing, MN 55746 - serves clients county-wide.

Primary purpose of the project is to help: ☐ the Homeless, ☐ Persons with HIV/AIDS, ☒ Persons with Disabilities, ☐ Public Housing

Objective Number DH-1	Project ID
HUD Matrix Code 14A	CDBG Citation 570.202
Type of Recipient Nonprofit	CDBG National Objective 570.208(a)(3) LMH
Start Date (mm/dd/yyyy) 03/27/2020	Completion Date 04/30/2022
Performance Indicator Housing Units	Annual Units 90
Local ID 202001-CV2	Units Upon Completion

Funding Sources	
CDBG	\$35,000
ESG	
HOME	
HOPWA	
Total Formula	\$35,000
Other Federal	
State/Local Funds	
Private/Applicant Funds	\$204,386
Other Funding	
Total	\$239,386

**Accomplishment Narrative:**

COVID-19 Impact: Discontinuation of Sentence to Service Program (STS) that provided labor for ramp installation

COVID-19 Response: Hiring additional staff or contractors to construct and install ramps

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**Applicant's Name:** Northeast Entrepreneur Fund, Inc. d.b.a. Entrepreneur Fund

**Priority Need**

☐ Housing
 ☒ Economic Development
 ☐ Physical Improvement
 ☐ Public Service

**Project Title**

COVID Business Assistance

**Project Description:**

Operational support to deliver COVID-19 programs to area businesses and recovery grants of \$2,000 to eligible businesses.

**Objective EO**

**DH** Provide decent affordable housing

**SL** Create suitable living environments

**EO** Create economic opportunities

**Outcome 1**

**1** Availability/Accessibility

**2** Affordability

**3** Sustainability

**Service Area Determination:** Community Wide, Address, Census Tract/Block Group, & Survey or LMI Data. Attach map of project area.

Entrepreneur Fund, 551 Hat Trick Avenue, Eveleth MN 55734

Primary purpose of the project is to help: ☐ the Homeless, ☐ Persons with HIV/AIDS, ☐ Persons with Disabilities, ☐ Public Housing

Objective Number EO-1	Project ID
HUD Matrix Code 18C	CDBG Citation 570.201(o)(1)(ii)
Type of Recipient Nonprofit	CDBG National Objective 570.208(a)(2)(iii) LMCMC
Start Date (mm/dd/yyyy) 03/27/2020	Completion Date 04/30/2022
Performance Indicator People	Annual Units 100
Local ID 202002-CV2	Units Upon Completion

Funding Sources	
CDBG	\$50,000
ESG	
HOME	
HOPWA	
Total Formula	\$50,000
Other Federal	
State/Local Funds	
Private/Applicant Funds	\$2,000,000
Other Funding	\$200,000
Total	\$2,250,000

**Accomplishment Narrative:**

COVID-19 Impact: need clarification of the impact

COVID-19 Response: Organizational support to deliver COVID-19 business assistance programs and financial assistance to eligible businesses



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**Applicant's Name:** Aurora Food Shelf - AEOA

**Priority Need**

☐ Housing
 ☐ Economic Development
 ☒ Physical Improvement
 ☐ Public Service

**Project Title**

Building Improvements

**Project Description:**

The project will consist of rehab to the newly purchased site of the Aurora Food Shelf as well as the purchase and installation of essential equipment. The rehab will include enlarging a side door for food deliveries, outside concrete work, purchasing/installing a larger walk-in freezer/refrigerator unit, replacing the current heating and cooling system, and purchase and installation of shelving.

**Objective SL**

**DH** Provide decent affordable housing

**SL** Create suitable living environments

**EO** Create economic opportunities

**Outcome 1**

**1** Availability/Accessibility

**2** Affordability

**3** Sustainability

**Service Area Determination:** Community Wide, Address, Census Tract/Block Group, & Survey or LMI Data. Attach map of project area.

203 S 2nd St. E, Aurora, MN 55705

Primary purpose of the project is to help: ☐ the Homeless, ☐ Persons with HIV/AIDS, ☐ Persons with Disabilities, ☐ Public Housing

Objective Number SL-1	Project ID
HUD Matrix Code 03E	CDBG Citation 570.201 (c)
Type of Recipient Nonprofit	CDBG National Objective 570.208 (a) (2) LMC
Start Date (mm/dd/yyyy) 03/27/2020	Completion Date 04/30/2022
Performance Indicator Public Facilities	Annual Units 1
Local ID 202003-CV2	Units Upon Completion

Funding Sources	
CDBG	\$91,150
ESG	
HOME	
HOPWA	
Total Formula	\$91,150
Other Federal	
State/Local Funds	
Private/Applicant Funds	\$7,730
Other Funding	
Total	\$98,880

**Accomplishment Narrative:**

COVID-19 Impact: Increased client usage because of service area unemployment

COVID-19 Response: Renovation of a new food shelf location to create increased and improved access for clients

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**Applicant's Name:** City of Orr

**Priority Need**

☐ Housing
 ☐ Economic Development
 ☒ Physical Improvement
 ☐ Public Service

**Project Title**

Old City Hall Improvements

**Project Description:**

Health and safety improvements to the Old City Hall. Part of the Old City Hall was converted to living quarters for emergency response personnel to be used during the pandemic. The HVAC system for the facility needs replacement to provide safety and comfort for these personnel.

**Objective SL**

**Outcome 3**

**DH** Provide decent affordable housing

**1** Availability/Accessibility

**SL** Create suitable living environments

**2** Affordability

**EO** Create economic opportunities

**3** Sustainability

**Service Area Determination:** Community Wide, Address, Census Tract/Block Group, & Survey or LMI Data. Attach map of project area.

4540 Lake Street, Orr, MN 55771

Service Area: CT: 015500 BG: 1 & 3 LMI: 53.56%

Primary purpose of the project is to help: ☐ the Homeless, ☐ Persons with HIV/AIDS, ☐ Persons with Disabilities, ☐ Public Housing

Objective Number SL-3	Project ID
HUD Matrix Code 030	CDBG Citation 570.201 (c)
Type of Recipient Local Government	CDBG National Objective 570.208 (a) (1) LMA
Start Date (mm/dd/yyyy) 03/27/2020	Completion Date 04/30/2022
Performance Indicator Public Facilities	Annual Units 1
Local ID 202004-CV2	Units Upon Completion

Funding Sources	
CDBG	\$25,000
ESG	
HOME	
HOPWA	
Total Formula	\$25,000
Other Federal	
State/Local Funds	
Private/Applicant Funds	
Other Funding	
Total	\$25,000

**Accomplishment Narrative:**

COVID-19 Impact: Living quarters for emergency response personnel related to pandemic quarantine

COVID-19 Response: Health and safety improvements to the public facility

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**Applicant's Name:** Quad City Food Shelf - AEOA

**Priority Need**

☐ Housing
 ☐ Economic Development
 ☒ Physical Improvement
 ☐ Public Service

**Project Title**

Building Improvements

**Project Description:**

Funds will be used to purchase and construct a safety canopy at all entrances. Curbside services require extensive use of the side entrance. There is no covering to protect clients nor volunteers from falling rain, snow, ice, or other weather debris from the metal roof above. Due to the COVID 19 unemployment/job losses coupled with the federal eligibility changes from 200% to 300% of poverty level, the program has seen great increases in eligible households now using the services. QCFS is the largest food shelf in the area and is operated primarily with volunteers. It serves the communities of Virginia, Eveleth, Gilbert, and Mountain Iron.

**Objective SL**

**DH Provide decent affordable housing**

**SL Create suitable living environments**

**EO Create economic opportunities**

**Outcome 1**

**1 Availability/Accessibility**

**2 Affordability**

**3 Sustainability**

**Service Area Determination:** Community Wide, Address, Census Tract/Block Group, & Survey or LMI Data. Attach map of project area.

8367 Enterprise Dr NE, Mt. Iron, MN 55768

Primary purpose of the project is to help: ☐ the Homeless, ☐ Persons with HIV/AIDS, ☐ Persons with Disabilities, ☐ Public Housing

Objective Number SL-1	Project ID
HUD Matrix Code 03E	CDBG Citation 570.201(e)
Type of Recipient Nonprofit	CDBG National Objective 570.208(a)(2) LMC
Start Date (mm/dd/yyyy) 03/27/2020	Completion Date 04/30/2022
Performance Indicator People	Annual Units 15,564
Local ID 202005-CV2	Units Upon Completion

Funding Sources	
CDBG	\$40,000
ESG	
HOME	
HOPWA	
Total Formula	\$40,000
Other Federal	
State/Local Funds	
Private/Applicant Funds	
Other Funding	\$10,000
Total	\$50,000

**Accomplishment Narrative:**

COVID-19 Impact: Due to COVID-19, they are distributing food to those in need via curbside pick-up. There is nothing protecting clients and volunteers from weather debris hitting them from the roof above.

COVID-19 Response: Construct canopy to protect clients and volunteers who are facilitating curbside pick-up due to COVID-19.

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### Consolidated Plan Listing of Projects

**Applicant's Name:** Arrowhead Economic Opportunity Agency

**Priority Need**

☐ Housing
 ☐ Economic Development
 ☐ Physical Improvement
 ☒ Public Service

**Project Title**

Local Food Relief Efforts

**Project Description:**

Project will consist of supplying and distributing boxes of food to low-income households that cannot afford to buy food or that do not have the means to reach one of the distribution sites. Households will also have access to personal hygiene kits, baby nutrition and care items, and cleaning supplies. To successfully deliver these resources, a driver will need to be hired and will utilize the Senior Services' delivery van.

**Objective SL**

**DH** Provide decent affordable housing

**SL** Create suitable living environments

**EO** Create economic opportunities

**Outcome 1**

**1** Availability/Accessibility

**2** Affordability

**3** Sustainability

**Service Area Determination:** Community Wide, Address, Census Tract/Block Group, & Survey or LMI Data. Attach map of project area.

702 3rd Ave South, Virginia, MN 55792

Primary purpose of the project is to help: ☐ the Homeless, ☐ Persons with HIV/AIDS, ☐ Persons with Disabilities, ☐ Public Housing

Objective Number SL-1	Project ID
HUD Matrix Code 05W	CDBG Citation 570.201(e)
Type of Recipient Nonprofit	CDBG National Objective 570.208(a)(2) LMC
Start Date (mm/dd/yyyy) 03/27/2020	Completion Date 04/30/2022
Performance Indicator People	Annual Units
Local ID 202006-CV2	Units Upon Completion

Funding Sources	
CDBG	\$43,086
ESG	
HOME	
HOPWA	
Total Formula	\$43,086
Other Federal	
State/Local Funds	
Private/Applicant Funds	\$85,000
Other Funding	\$4,514
Total	\$132,600

**Accomplishment Narrative:**

COVID-19 Impact: Food insecurity due to unemployment and lower income and people cannot reach one of the distribution sites.

COVID-19 Response: Hire a delivery person to bring food and other supplies to those in need.

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### Consolidated Plan Listing of Projects

**Applicant's Name:** Arrowhead Economic Opportunity Agency

**Priority Need**

☐ Housing
 ☐ Economic Development
 ☐ Physical Improvement
 ☒ Public Service

**Project Title**

TechConnect

**Project Description:**

Project will consist of supplying 50 computers along with internet access, through T-Mobile and PCs for People, to 50 people at 200% below the poverty level. This needed resource will help families and seniors with the ability to attend appointments virtually, apply for jobs online, gain or further their education, tend to their mental health, and otherwise engage with the internet like every other person to improve their lives.

**Objective SL**

**DH** Provide decent affordable housing

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**EO** Create economic opportunities

**Outcome 1**

**1** Availability/Accessibility

**2** Affordability

**3** Sustainability

**Service Area Determination:** Community Wide, Address, Census Tract/Block Group, & Survey or LMI Data. Attach map of project area.

702 3rd Ave South, Virginia, MN 55792

Primary purpose of the project is to help: ☐ the Homeless, ☐ Persons with HIV/AIDS, ☐ Persons with Disabilities, ☐ Public Housing

Objective Number SL-1	Project ID
HUD Matrix Code 05	CDBG Citation 570.201(e)
Type of Recipient Nonprofit	CDBG National Objective 570.208(a)(2) LMC
Start Date (mm/dd/yyyy) 03/27/2020	Completion Date 04/30/2022
Performance Indicator People	Annual Units 50
Local ID 202007-CV2	Units Upon Completion

Funding Sources	
CDBG	\$25,093
ESG	
HOME	
HOPWA	
Total Formula	\$25,093
Other Federal	
State/Local Funds	
Private/Applicant Funds	\$19,082
Other Funding	\$68,740
Total	\$112,915

**Accomplishment Narrative:**

**COVID-19 Impact:** With the fear of catching the virus and quarantine requirements, it has become difficult for people to see their doctors, apply for jobs, attend school, and tend to their mental health.

**COVID-19 Response:** Provide computers and internet access to 50 people at 200% below poverty level so they attend appointments virtually.

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### Consolidated Plan Listing of Projects

**Applicant's Name:** East Range Developmental Achievement Center

**Priority Need**

☐ Housing
 ☐ Economic Development
 ☐ Physical Improvement
 ☒ Public Service

**Project Title**

Return to Work

**Project Description:**

Project will consist of providing work accommodations to meet social distancing requirements. Accommodations will involve modular workstations to increase the number of clients able to work and to allow safe distance between clients, converting open storage shelving to closed shelving to aide in general sanitizing, and an electrostatic disinfecting system to aide in sanitizing surfaces.

**Objective SL**

**DH** Provide decent affordable housing

**SL** Create suitable living environments

**EO** Create economic opportunities

**Outcome 1**

**1** Availability/Accessibility

**2** Affordability

**3** Sustainability

**Service Area Determination:** Community Wide, Address, Census Tract/Block Group, & Survey or LMI Data. Attach map of project area.

800 A Avenue, Eveleth, MN 55734

Primary purpose of the project is to help: ☐ the Homeless, ☐ Persons with HIV/AIDS, ☒ Persons with Disabilities, ☐ Public Housing

Objective Number SL-1	Project ID
HUD Matrix Code 05B	CDBG Citation 570.201(c)
Type of Recipient Nonprofit	CDBG National Objective 570.208(a)(2)
Start Date (mm/dd/yyyy) 03/27/2020	Completion Date 04/30/2022
Performance Indicator People	Annual Units 1
Local ID 202008-CV2	Units Upon Completion

Funding Sources	
CDBG	\$15,799
ESG	
HOME	
HOPWA	
Total Formula	\$15,799
Other Federal	
State/Local Funds	
Private/Applicant Funds	\$500
Other Funding	
Total	\$16,299

**Accomplishment Narrative:**

COVID-19 Impact: Inability to safely bring clients up to full capacity.

COVID-19 Response: Create more flexible work environment to safely distant and keep surfaces clean.

## St. Louis County Table 3

### Consolidated Plan Listing of Projects

**Applicant's Name:** Floodwood Services & Training, Inc.

**Priority Need**

☐ Housing
 ☐ Economic Development
 ☐ Physical Improvement
 ☒ Public Service

**Project Title**

Safety/PPE

**Project Description:**

Floodwood Services and Training provides day services to older adults and individuals with disabilities along with community recycling and Meals on Wheels programs. Funding will be used for ongoing increase to transportation costs; personal protective equipment; and cleaning supplies.

**Objective SL**

**Outcome 3**

**DH** Provide decent affordable housing

**1** Availability/Accessibility

**SL** Create suitable living environments

**2** Affordability

**EO** Create economic opportunities

**3** Sustainability

**Service Area Determination:** Community Wide, Address, Census Tract/Block Group, & Survey or LMI Data. Attach map of project area.

601 Ash Street, Floodwood, MN 55736

Primary purpose of the project is to help: ☐ the Homeless, ☐ Persons with HIV/AIDS, ☒ Persons with Disabilities, ☐ Public Housing

Objective Number SL-3	Project ID
HUD Matrix Code 05B	CDBG Citation 507.201(e)
Type of Recipient Nonprofit	CDBG National Objective 570.208(a)(2) LMC-Presumed
Start Date (mm/dd/yyyy) 03/27/2020	Completion Date 04/30/2022
Performance Indicator People	Annual Units 35
Local ID 202009-CV2	Units Upon Completion

Funding Sources	
CDBG	\$25,500
ESG	
HOME	
HOPWA	
Total Formula	\$25,500
Other Federal	
State/Local Funds	
Private/Applicant Funds	\$17,000
Other Funding	\$20,000
Total	\$62,500

**Accomplishment Narrative:**

COVID-19 Impact: Increase cost to transport clients due to distance requirements, increase costs for cleaning and PPE supplies.

COVID-19 Response: Assistance allowing transportation costs to be offset and purchase of cleaning and PPE supplies.

## St. Louis County Table 3

### Consolidated Plan Listing of Projects

**Applicant's Name:** Hibbing HRA

**Priority Need**

☐ Housing
 ☐ Economic Development
 ☐ Physical Improvement
 ☒ Public Service

**Project Title**

Moving to Wellness Coordinator

**Project Description:**

The project consists of financing the wage for the Moving to Wellness Coordinator position and other administrative responsibilities. The Coordinator will serve as the central liaison for all efforts to protect resident health. Duties will include: assist in telehealth services, manage preventative screenings and free clinics for residents, educate residents to prevent the further spread of COVID-19, meet with all work able tenants to understand employment struggles, refer them to supportive services, and empower residents to succeed.

**Objective SL**

**Outcome 1**

**DH** Provide decent affordable housing

**1** Availability/Accessibility

**SL** Create suitable living environments

**2** Affordability

**EO** Create economic opportunities

**3** Sustainability

**Service Area Determination:** Community Wide, Address, Census Tract/Block Group, & Survey or LMI Data. Attach map of project area.

3115 7th Ave E, Hibbing, MN 55746

Primary purpose of the project is to help: ☐ the Homeless, ☐ Persons with HIV/AIDS, ☐ Persons with Disabilities, ☐ Public Housing

Objective Number SL-1	Project ID
HUD Matrix Code 05M	CDBG Citation 570.201(e)
Type of Recipient Nonprofit	CDBG National Objective 570.208(a)(2) LMC
Start Date (mm/dd/yyyy) 03/27/2020	Completion Date 04/30/2022
Performance Indicator People	Annual Units 54
Local ID 202010-CV2	Units Upon Completion

Funding Sources	
CDBG	\$73,000
ESG	
HOME	
HOPWA	
Total Formula	\$73,000
Other Federal	
State/Local Funds	
Private/Applicant Funds	\$20,000
Other Funding	
Total	\$93,000

**Accomplishment Narrative:**

COVID-19 Impact: Residents physical and economic health threatened because of pandemic.  
 COVID-19 Response: Create opportunities for residents to get health care and employment.



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### Consolidated Plan Listing of Projects

**Applicant's Name:** Iron Range Partnership for Sustainability

**Priority Need**

☐ Housing
 ☐ Economic Development
 ☐ Physical Improvement
 ☒ Public Service

**Project Title**

Garden

**Project Description:**

Iron Range Partnership for Sustainability operates a community food forest and garden adjacent to the largest subsidized housing site in the community. The food is available to anyone who wishes to access it and is a renewable resource. With the increased food insecurity as a result of COVID-19, it is more important than ever to invest in edible local healthy produce that reinforces a resilient local food supply into the future. The funds will be used to hire a gardener to tend to the food forest, garden plot, and to assist the public in harvesting when the fruits and vegetables are ripe. A small portion will pay for extra time promoting and advertising of the garden by the Growing Together Coordinator.

**Objective SL**

**DH Provide decent affordable housing**

**SL Create suitable living environments**

**EO Create economic opportunities**

**Outcome 1**

**1 Availability/Accessibility**

**2 Affordability**

**3 Sustainability**

**Service Area Determination:** Community Wide, Address, Census Tract/Block Group, & Survey or LMI Data. Attach map of project area.

442 Pine Mill Court, Virginia, MN 55792

Primary purpose of the project is to help: ☐ the Homeless, ☐ Persons with HIV/AIDS, ☐ Persons with Disabilities, ☐ Public Housing

Objective Number SL-1	Project ID
HUD Matrix Code 05W	CDBG Citation 570.201(e)
Type of Recipient Nonprofit	CDBG National Objective 570.208(a)(2) LMC
Start Date (mm/dd/yyyy) 03/27/2020	Completion Date 04/30/2022
Performance Indicator People	Annual Units
Local ID 202011-CV2	Units Upon Completion

Funding Sources	
CDBG	\$18,520
ESG	
HOME	
HOPWA	
Total Formula	\$18,520
Other Federal	
State/Local Funds	
Private/Applicant Funds	\$1,000
Other Funding	
Total	\$19,520

**Accomplishment Narrative:**

COVID-19 Impact: Increased food insecurity as a result of COVID-19.

COVID-19 Response: Create a renewable/free food source for those in need.

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### Consolidated Plan Listing of Projects

**Applicant's Name:** Project Care Free Clinic

**Priority Need**

☐ Housing
 ☐ Economic Development
 ☐ Physical Improvement
 ☒ Public Service

**Project Title**

Medical Care

**Project Description:**

Funding assistance for the administrator and site coordinator salaries. The program provides healthcare access and outreach to people who are uninsured or under insured while networking with other community-based organizations to facilitate continued treatment, screenings, and education. Due to COVID-19, they have not been able to conduct their typical fundraising events. They will be coordinating with Essentia to organize buses to get patients to vaccination sites. Offices are located in Hibbing and Virginia.

**Objective SL**

**DH** Provide decent affordable housing

**SL** Create suitable living environments

**EO** Create economic opportunities

**Outcome 1**

**1** Availability/Accessibility

**2** Affordability

**3** Sustainability

**Service Area Determination:** Community Wide, Address, Census Tract/Block Group, & Survey or LMI Data. Attach map of project area.

3112 6th Ave East, Hibbing, MN 55746

230 1st Street, Virginia, MN 55792

Primary purpose of the project is to help: ☐ the Homeless, ☐ Persons with HIV/AIDS, ☐ Persons with Disabilities, ☐ Public Housing

Objective Number SL-1	Project ID
HUD Matrix Code 05M	CDBG Citation 570.201(e)
Type of Recipient Nonprofit	CDBG National Objective 570.208(a)(1) LMC
Start Date (mm/dd/yyyy) 03/27/2020	Completion Date 04/30/2022
Performance Indicator People	Annual Units 1800
Local ID 202012-CV2	Units Upon Completion

Funding Sources	
CDBG	\$10,000
ESG	
HOME	
HOPWA	
Total Formula	\$10,000
Other Federal	
State/Local Funds	
Private/Applicant Funds	\$156,650
Other Funding	
Total	\$166,650

**Accomplishment Narrative:**

COVID-19 Impact: Higher operational cost due to COVID-19 for PPE and building modifications.

COVID-19 Response: Offset fundraising disparities to operate and continue to keep patients healthy and drive patients to vaccine sites.

## St. Louis County Table 3

### Consolidated Plan Listing of Projects

**Applicant's Name:** The Salvation Army - Hibbing

**Priority Need**

☐ Housing
 ☐ Economic Development
 ☐ Physical Improvement
 ☒ Public Service

**Project Title**

Food Shelf and Melting Pot Meals Program

**Project Description:**

The program provides one meal per day to homeless and low income individuals and families in the Hibbing area and operates a food shelf for families. Funds will support operating costs, food purchases and serving supplies resulting from COVID-19 impacts. The meals program is experiencing increased usage and require use of "to-go" serving materials to accommodate curb side pick up and take out options.

**Objective SL**

**DH** Provide decent affordable housing

**SL** Create suitable living environments

**EO** Create economic opportunities

**Outcome 1**

**1** Availability/Accessibility

**2** Affordability

**3** Sustainability

**Service Area Determination:** Community Wide, Address, Census Tract/Block Group, & Survey or LMI Data. Attach map of project area.

Community Wide

Location: 107 West Howard Street, Hibbing, MN 55746

Primary purpose of the project is to help: ☐ the Homeless, ☐ Persons with HIV/AIDS, ☐ Persons with Disabilities, ☐ Public Housing

Objective Number SL-1	Project ID
HUD Matrix Code 05W	CDBG Citation 570.201(e)
Type of Recipient Nonprofit	CDBG National Objective 570.208(a)(2) LMC
Start Date (mm/dd/yyyy) 03/27/2020	Completion Date 04/30/2022
Performance Indicator People	Annual Units 3,000
Local ID 202013-CV2	Units Upon Completion

Funding Sources	
CDBG	\$6,000
ESG	
HOME	
HOPWA	
Total Formula	\$6,000
Other Federal	
State/Local Funds	
Private/Applicant Funds	\$65,810
Other Funding	\$10,000
Total	\$81,810

**Accomplishment Narrative:**

COVID-19 Impact: Growth in meals served each day due to area unemployment, underemployment, and rising costs for food.

COVID-19 Response: Purchase of additional food and carry-out supplies for meals.

## St. Louis County Table 3

### Consolidated Plan Listing of Projects

**Applicant's Name:** The Salvation Army - Virginia

**Priority Need**

☐ Housing
 ☐ Economic Development
 ☐ Physical Improvement
 ☒ Public Service

**Project Title**

Virginia Supper Club - COVID-19 Response

**Project Description:**

The Salvation Army Supper Club was closed for sit down meals but has continued to serve meals five days a week during the pandemic through carry-out. Plans are in process to reopen for sit down serving along with continued carry-out meals. Meals served each day has grown from 80 to greater than 100. The special Thanksgiving and Christmas meals served 250 and 275 respectively compared with pre-COVID numbers of 80 - 100. CDBG-CV2 funding will be used to purchase additional food and carry-out supplies for meals.

**Objective SL**

**DH** Provide decent affordable housing

**SL** Create suitable living environments

**EO** Create economic opportunities

**Outcome 1**

**1** Availability/Accessibility

**2** Affordability

**3** Sustainability

**Service Area Determination:** Community Wide, Address, Census Tract/Block Group, & Survey or LMI Data. Attach map of project area.

Community wide

Contact: 507 12th Avenue West, Virginia, MN 55792

Primary purpose of the project is to help: ☐ the Homeless, ☐ Persons with HIV/AIDS, ☐ Persons with Disabilities, ☐ Public Housing

Objective Number SL-1	Project ID
HUD Matrix Code 05W	CDBG Citation 570.201(e)
Type of Recipient Nonprofit	CDBG National Objective 570.208(a)(2) LMC
Start Date (mm/dd/yyyy) 03/27/2020	Completion Date 04/30/2022
Performance Indicator People	Annual Units 3,000
Local ID 202014-CV2	Units Upon Completion

Funding Sources	
CDBG	\$20,000
ESG	
HOME	
HOPWA	
Total Formula	\$20,000
Other Federal	
State/Local Funds	
Private/Applicant Funds	
Other Funding	
Total	\$20,000

**Accomplishment Narrative:**

COVID-19 Impact: Growth in meals served each day, 100+, due to area unemployment, underemployment, and rising costs for food.

COVID-19 Response: Purchase of additional food and carry-out supplies for meals.

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### Consolidated Plan Listing of Projects

**Applicant's Name:** United Way of Northeastern Minnesota

**Priority Need**

☐ Housing
 ☐ Economic Development
 ☐ Physical Improvement
 ☒ Public Service

**Project Title**

Buddy Backpacks Program

**Project Description:**

The Buddy Backpacks program provides a meal kit each Friday filled with nutritious, nonperishable, child-friendly food items to food-insecure children who would otherwise suffer from hunger over the weekends. COVID-19 has impacted the program through increased demand for services, reduced donations to the program, and rising costs for food provided.

**Objective SL**

**Outcome 1**

**DH Provide decent affordable housing**

**1 Availability/Accessibility**

**SL Create suitable living environments**

**2 Affordability**

**EO Create economic opportunities**

**3 Sustainability**

**Service Area Determination:** Community Wide, Address, Census Tract/Block Group, & Survey or LMI Data. Attach map of project area.

Community Wide

Contact: United Way of NE MN: 608 East Drive, Chisholm, MN 55719

Primary purpose of the project is to help: ☐ the Homeless, ☐ Persons with HIV/AIDS, ☐ Persons with Disabilities, ☐ Public Housing

Objective Number SL-1	Project ID
HUD Matrix Code 05L	CDBG Citation 570.201 (e)
Type of Recipient Nonprofit	CDBG National Objective 570.208 (a) (2) LMC
Start Date (mm/dd/yyyy) 03/27/2020	Completion Date 04/30/2022
Performance Indicator People	Annual Units
Local ID 202015-CV2	Units Upon Completion

Funding Sources	
CDBG	\$50,000
ESG	
HOME	
HOPWA	
Total Formula	\$50,000
Other Federal	
State/Local Funds	
Private/Applicant Funds	\$20,415
Other Funding	\$224,816
Total	\$295,231

**Accomplishment Narrative:**

COVID-19 Impact: Reduced family income increasing eligibility for the program. Reduced donations to the program and rising costs for the food provided to the children.

COVID-19 Response: Additional funding will increase delivery of the program and aid with its increased costs.

## St. Louis County Table 3

### Consolidated Plan Listing of Projects

**Applicant's Name:** United Way of Northeastern Minnesota

**Priority Need**

☐ Housing
 ☐ Economic Development
 ☐ Physical Improvement
 ☒ Public Service

**Project Title**

COVID-19 Relief

**Project Description:**

Delivery of a program to provide financial assistance with mortgage, rent, and utilities payments to eligible families impacted by COVID-19. The program will be coordinated with Range Transitional Housing to enable serving homelessness clients with ESG-CV resources.

**Objective DH**

**Outcome 1**

**DH Provide decent affordable housing**

**1 Availability/Accessibility**

**SL Create suitable living environments**

**2 Affordability**

**EO Create economic opportunities**

**3 Sustainability**

**Service Area Determination:** Community Wide, Address, Census Tract/Block Group, & Survey or LMI Data. Attach map of project area.

County wide: 608 East Drive, Chisholm, MN 55719

Primary purpose of the project is to help: ☐ the Homeless, ☐ Persons with HIV/AIDS, ☐ Persons with Disabilities, ☐ Public Housing

Objective Number DH-1	Project ID
HUD Matrix Code 05Q	CDBG Citation 570.201 (e)
Type of Recipient Nonprofit	CDBG National Objective 570.208 (a) (2) LMC
Start Date (mm/dd/yyyy) 03/27/2020	Completion Date 04/30/2022
Performance Indicator People	Annual Units 150
Local ID 202016-CV2	Units Upon Completion

Funding Sources	
CDBG	\$200,000
ESG	
HOME	
HOPWA	
Total Formula	\$200,000
Other Federal	
State/Local Funds	
Private/Applicant Funds	
Other Funding	
Total	\$200,000

**Accomplishment Narrative:**

COVID-19 Impact: Reduced income due to unemployment, reduced work hours, business closures, and increasing living costs.

COVID-19 Response: Financial assistance with rent, mortgage, and utility bills.

## St. Louis County Table 3

### Consolidated Plan Listing of Projects

**Applicant's Name:** United Way of Northeastern Minnesota

**Priority Need**

☐ Housing
 ☐ Economic Development
 ☐ Physical Improvement
 ☒ Public Service

**Project Title**

Smiles United Program

**Project Description:**

Smiles United is a preventive and restorative dental program that provides care for uninsured and underinsured individuals of all ages. Services are normally provided through a mobile unit that travels to area schools. COVID-19 has prevented use of the mobile unit and increased demand for services because of job loss, reduced income, and loss of insurance benefits to area residents. United Way will use CDBG-CV2 funding to provide services at its Chisholm office location. Funding will be used for staffing, supplies, and space costs.

**Objective SL**

**DH Provide decent affordable housing**

**SL Create suitable living environments**

**EO Create economic opportunities**

**Outcome 1**

**1 Availability/Accessibility**

**2 Affordability**

**3 Sustainability**

**Service Area Determination:** Community Wide, Address, Census Tract/Block Group, & Survey or LMI Data. Attach map of project area.

Community Wide

Contact: United Way of NE MN: 608 East Drive, Chisholm, MN 55719

Primary purpose of the project is to help: ☐ the Homeless, ☐ Persons with HIV/AIDS, ☐ Persons with Disabilities, ☐ Public Housing

Objective Number SL-1	Project ID
HUD Matrix Code 05M	CDBG Citation 570.201 (e)
Type of Recipient Nonprofit	CDBG National Objective 570.208 (a) (2) LMC
Start Date (mm/dd/yyyy) 03/27/2020	Completion Date 04/30/2022
Performance Indicator People	Annual Units
Local ID 202017-CV2	Units Upon Completion

Funding Sources	
CDBG	\$30,000
ESG	
HOME	
HOPWA	
Total Formula	\$30,000
Other Federal	
State/Local Funds	
Private/Applicant Funds	\$10,000
Other Funding	\$11,329
Total	\$51,329

**Accomplishment Narrative:**

COVID-19 Impact: Loss of job, income, and insurance benefits has created increased program demand. Inability to deliver the program through mobile unit. UW is also unable to conduct fund raising events necessary to support the program.

COVID-19 Response: Delivery of service and increased capacity at on-site location.

## St. Louis County Table 3

### Consolidated Plan Listing of Projects

**Applicant's Name:** St. Louis County

**Priority Need**

☐ Housing
 ☐ Economic Development
 ☐ Physical Improvement
 ☒ Public Service

**Project Title**

Future COVID-19 Response Fund

**Project Description:**

Reservation of funding to allow response to additional activities impacted by COVID-19. Pandemic impacts are expected to continue and create future opportunities for use of CDBG-CV funding. Awards will be made using the St. Louis County COVID-19 public participation process including CDBG Advisory Committee review and recommendation.

**Objective SL**

**Outcome 1**

**DH Provide decent affordable housing**

**1 Availability/Accessibility**

**SL Create suitable living environments**

**2 Affordability**

**EO Create economic opportunities**

**3 Sustainability**

**Service Area Determination:** Community Wide, Address, Census Tract/Block Group, & Survey or LMI Data. Attach map of project area.

County-wide

St. Louis County Planning and Community Development Department, 201 S 3rd Ave W, Virginia, MN 55792

Primary purpose of the project is to help: ☐ the Homeless, ☐ Persons with HIV/AIDS, ☐ Persons with Disabilities, ☐ Public Housing

Objective Number SL-1	Project ID 57
HUD Matrix Code 03 - public services	CDBG Citation 570.201(e)
Type of Recipient Nonprofit	CDBG National Objective 570.208(a)(2) LMC
Start Date (mm/dd/yyyy) 03/27/2020	Completion Date 04/30/2022
Performance Indicator People	Annual Units
Local ID 202018-CV2	Units Upon Completion

Funding Sources	
CDBG	\$121,048
ESG	
HOME	
HOPWA	
Total Formula	\$121,048
Other Federal	
State/Local Funds	
Private/Applicant Funds	
Other Funding	
Total	\$121,048

**Accomplishment Narrative:**

Clients and programs funded must demonstrate COVID-19 impact



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### Consolidated Plan Listing of Projects

**Applicant's Name:** St. Louis County

**Priority Need**

☐ Housing
 ☐ Economic Development
 ☐ Physical Improvement
 ☐ Public Service

**Project Title**

Program Administration

**Project Description:**

Provide for general administration of the COVID-19 funding received for the CDBG-CV and ESG-CV programs.

**Objective**

**DH** Provide decent affordable housing

**SL** Create suitable living environments

**EO** Create economic opportunities

**Outcome**

**1** Availability/Accessibility

**2** Affordability

**3** Sustainability

**Service Area Determination:** Community Wide, Address, Census Tract/Block Group, & Survey or LMI Data. Attach map of project area.

201 S 3rd Ave W, Virginia, MN 55792

Primary purpose of the project is to help: ☐ the Homeless, ☐ Persons with HIV/AIDS, ☐ Persons with Disabilities, ☐ Public Housing

Objective Number 21A	Project ID 58
HUD Matrix Code	CDBG Citation 570.206
Type of Recipient Local Government	CDBG National Objective
Start Date (mm/dd/yyyy) 03/27/2020	Completion Date 09/30/2022
Performance Indicator Organizations	Annual Units 1
Local ID 202019-CV2	Units Upon Completion

Funding Sources	
CDBG	\$131,349
ESG	\$94,861
HOME	
HOPWA	
Total Formula	\$226,210
Other Federal	
State/Local Funds	
Private/Applicant Funds	
Other Funding	
Total	\$226,210

**Accomplishment Narrative:**

## St. Louis County Table 3

### Consolidated Plan Listing of Projects

**Applicant's Name:** Institute for Community Alliances

**Priority Need**

☐ Housing
 ☐ Economic Development
 ☐ Physical Improvement
 ☒ Public Service

**Project Title**

ESG-CV Homeless Management Information System (ESG-CV)

**Project Description:**

Allocation of funding from the ESG-CV entitlement for homeless management information system (HMIS) services provided to agencies receiving ESG-CV funding. HMIS reporting is mandated by HUD to provide nation wide consistency in reporting on homelessness clients and services. ICA is the agency chosen by the state wide HMIS governance group to provide services for all agencies in Minnesota.

**Objective SL**

**DH** Provide decent affordable housing

**SL** Create suitable living environments

**EO** Create economic opportunities

**Outcome 1**

**1** Availability/Accessibility

**2** Affordability

**3** Sustainability

**Service Area Determination:** Community Wide, Address, Census Tract/Block Group, & Survey or LMI Data. Attach map of project area.

1111 9th Street, #245, Des Moines, IA 50314

Primary purpose of the project is to help: ☒ the Homeless, ☐ Persons with HIV/AIDS, ☐ Persons with Disabilities, ☐ Public Housing

Objective Number SL-1	Project ID
HUD Matrix Code	CDBG Citation
Type of Recipient Nonprofit	CDBG National Objective
Start Date (mm/dd/yyyy) 03/27/2020	Completion Date 09/30/2022
Performance Indicator People	Annual Units
Local ID 202020-CV2	Units Upon Completion

Funding Sources	
CDBG	
ESG	\$4,744
HOME	
HOPWA	
Total Formula	\$4,744
Other Federal	
State/Local Funds	
Private/Applicant Funds	
Other Funding	
Total	\$4,744

**Accomplishment Narrative:**

HMIS costs for services provided to agencies receiving ESG-CV funding.

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**Applicant's Name:** Arrowhead Economic Opportunity Agency, Inc.

**Priority Need**

☐ Housing
 ☐ Economic Development
 ☐ Physical Improvement
 ☒ Public Service

**Project Title**

COVID-19 Emergency Shelter (ESG-CV)

**Project Description:**

Rehabilitation of the Bill's House shelter facility. Bill's House was originally constructed in 2000 and has been the primary shelter site in northern St. Louis County since that time. Historically, Bill's House serves approximately 125 households annually but has seen 222 households in 2020. Wear and tear on the facility over the past 20 years necessitates its improvement to continue providing shelter services.

**Objective SL**

**DH** Provide decent affordable housing

**SL** Create suitable living environments

**EO** Create economic opportunities

**Outcome 1**

**1** Availability/Accessibility

**2** Affordability

**3** Sustainability

**Service Area Determination:** Community Wide, Address, Census Tract/Block Group, & Survey or LMI Data. Attach map of project area.

AEOA - Bill's House Emergency Shelter:

Primary purpose of the project is to help: ☒ the Homeless, ☐ Persons with HIV/AIDS, ☐ Persons with Disabilities, ☐ Public Housing

Objective Number SL-1	Project ID
HUD Matrix Code	CDBG Citation
Type of Recipient Nonprofit	CDBG National Objective
Start Date (mm/dd/yyyy) 03/27/2020	Completion Date 04/30/2022
Performance Indicator Public Facilities	Annual Units 1
Local ID 202021-CV2	Units Upon Completion

Funding Sources	
CDBG	
ESG	\$365,884
HOME	
HOPWA	
Total Formula	\$365,884
Other Federal	
State/Local Funds	\$255,110
Private/Applicant Funds	\$10,000
Other Funding	
Total	\$630,994

**Accomplishment Narrative:**

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### Consolidated Plan Listing of Projects

**Applicant's Name:** Legal Aid Service of Northeastern Minnesota

**Priority Need**

☐ Housing
 ☐ Economic Development
 ☐ Physical Improvement
 ☒ Public Service

**Project Title**

COVID-19 Hotline Project (ESG-CV)

**Project Description:**

ESG funds will be used by Legal Aid Service of NE MN (LASNEM) to fund staffing of a hotline. Individuals/families needing legal assistance will call LASNEM to complete an intake. The individual/family will receive called back by an attorney/paralegal. If the household only needs questions answered, the attorney will provide the advice and close the file. If the household needs ongoing representation, the local office will continue to represent the household as needed. The hotline is a means to respond quickly so that individuals/families have information and advice they can rely on to make decisions that are best for them during the pandemic and in response to issues/concerns arising from the pandemic.

**Objective SL**

**DH** Provide decent affordable housing

**SL** Create suitable living environments

**EO** Create economic opportunities

**Outcome 1**

**1** Availability/Accessibility

**2** Affordability

**3** Sustainability

**Service Area Determination:** Community Wide, Address, Census Tract/Block Group, & Survey or LMI Data. Attach map of project area.

Legal Aid: 820 N 9th Street, Suite 200, Virginia, MN 55792

Primary purpose of the project is to help: ☐ the Homeless, ☐ Persons with HIV/AIDS, ☐ Persons with Disabilities, ☐ Public Housing

Objective Number SL-1	Project ID
HUD Matrix Code	CDBG Citation
Type of Recipient Nonprofit	CDBG National Objective
Start Date (mm/dd/yyyy) 03/27/2020	Completion Date 04/30/2022
Performance Indicator People	Annual Units
Local ID 202022-CV2	Units Upon Completion

Funding Sources	
CDBG	
ESG	\$67,150
HOME	
HOPWA	
Total Formula	\$67,150
Other Federal	
State/Local Funds	
Private/Applicant Funds	\$188,850
Other Funding	
Total	\$256,000

**Accomplishment Narrative:**

## St. Louis County Table 3

### Consolidated Plan Listing of Projects

**Applicant's Name:** Range Transitional Housing

**Priority Need**

☐ Housing
 ☐ Economic Development
 ☐ Physical Improvement
 ☒ Public Service

**Project Title**

COVID-19 Homeless Prevention Assistance (ESG-CV)

**Project Description:**

Direct financial assistance and case management services to persons impacted by COVID-19 to prevent evictions, foreclosures, and utility disconnect that will prevent homelessness. Range Transitional Housing (RTH) is partnering with United Way of NE Minnesota (UW) to serve both homeless eligible and non-homeless eligible clients. RTH will handle the homelessness referrals and UW will assist the non-homeless referrals. The program covers all St. Louis County outside Duluth.

**Objective SL**

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**3 Sustainability**

**Service Area Determination:** Community Wide, Address, Census Tract/Block Group, & Survey or LMI Data. Attach map of project area.

Range Transitional Housing: 220 5th Street N, Virginia, MN 55792

Primary purpose of the project is to help: ☒ the Homeless, ☐ Persons with HIV/AIDS, ☐ Persons with Disabilities, ☐ Public Housing

Objective Number SL-1	Project ID
HUD Matrix Code	CDBG Citation
Type of Recipient Nonprofit	CDBG National Objective
Start Date (mm/dd/yyyy) 03/27/2020	Completion Date 04/30/2022
Performance Indicator People	Annual Units
Local ID 202023-CV2	Units Upon Completion

Funding Sources	
CDBG	
ESG	\$415,976
HOME	
HOPWA	
Total Formula	\$415,976
Other Federal	
State/Local Funds	\$200,000
Private/Applicant Funds	
Other Funding	
Total	\$615,976

**Accomplishment Narrative:**

Clients must be impacted by COVID-19