

EMERGENCY FOOD & SHELTER PROGRAM

PHASE 38 FUNDING APPLICATION

Applications are due on , January 19, 2021 11:59pm

All applications must be submitted via email to <u>deana.shatley@unitedwayslc.org</u> Faxed, mailed, late, or otherwise incomplete applications will not be accepted for consideration.

The intent of this program is for the purchase of food and shelter, to supplement and expand current available resources, and not to substitute or reimburse ongoing programs and services or to start new programs. Consequently, the Local Board will only consider fully operational agencies to receive funds to supplement and expand eligible on-going services and will not fund agencies in anticipation of a needed service (i.e., fire victims, floods, tornadoes, etc.) nor for singular or special celebratory/holiday baskets, etc. The Local Emergency Food and Shelter Program (EFSP) Board will not consider applications for funding due to budget shortfalls or reductions in other funding sources.

United Way of St. Lucie County will coordinate with the Local EFSP Board to manage the process for reviewing and scoring applications. This is a competitive process with limited funding available, and submission of an application does not guarantee funding. The Local EFSP Board reserves the right to award partial or full funding requests. Applicants will receive funding notification by February 5, 2021.

Phase 38 St. Lucie County \$125,581 to allocate.

The minimum funding amount is \$1,000. Applicants may apply for funds in the following categories:

- A. Served Meals This category pertains to basic, nutritional, hot, or cold prepared meals that are served by the Local Recipient Organization (LRO) or delivered to clients. Food costs for meals served in a shelter should be included here. The per meal rate of \$2.00 may be used for agencies serving congregate meals.
- B. Other Food This category includes food vouchers for food orders, food boxes, or food purchased by food banks/pantries.
- C. Mass Shelter (on-site) This category pertains to funds to provide shelter within the LRO's own facility. Food served in a shelter is not included here. LROs may use a per diem rate of \$12.50 for housing clients in their facility.
- D. Other Shelter This category pertains to funds to provide any reasonable hotel/motel or non-profit acting as a vendor; actual charge by vendor, per night; 30-day limit.
- E. Supplies/Equipment This category pertains to Mass Feeding: pots, pans, toasters, blenders, microwave, utensils, paper products, any item essential to the preparation of food, shelving. Diapers; Mass Shelter: cots, blankets, pillows, toilet paper, soap, toothpaste, toothbrushes, cleaning materials, limited first-aid supplies, underwear/ diapers. Emergency repair of essential small equipment (\$300 limit for both mass feeding and mass shelter).
- F. Rent/Mortgage This category pertains to funds to provide clients with rent/mortgage assistance (one month only per client/family).
- G. Utilities This category pertains funds to provide clients with utility assistance (one month only per client/family/per utility).

Please direct questions to:
Deana Shatley, United Way of St. Lucie County



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ORGANIZATION INFORMATION

Legal Name of Organization:								
Agency Contact Name:_	ency Contact Name:Title:							
Email:	Phone:							
Mailing Address:								
Executive Director Name (if different than contact above):								
Agency EIN*: DUNS ID Number**:								
Type of Organization: Nonprofit Government Entity								
Is your organization debarred or suspended from receiving federal funds? Yes No								
FUNDING REQUEST								
Category/EFSP Phase 38	EFSP Amount Requested	Other Funds (Non-EFSP)	Total Program Budget	Outputs***				
Served Meals								
Other Food								
Other Food								
Mass Shelter								
Mass Shelter								
Mass Shelter Rent/Mortgage								
Mass Shelter Rent/Mortgage Other Shelter								
Mass Shelter Rent/Mortgage Other Shelter Utility Assistance								
Mass Shelter Rent/Mortgage Other Shelter Utility Assistance Supplies/Equipment Rehabilitation/								

^{*}The National EFSP Board requires all Local Recipient Organizations (LROs) to have a Federal Employer Identification Number (EIN). If an LRO does not have an FEIN, the LRO must apply to the IRS for this number. There is no charge for an FEIN, and the required form is the SS-4. All agencies funded through fiscal agents are also required to provide an FEIN to the National Board to receive a grant. Grants will be held until this information has been provided.

*** Outputs are the number of products/participants (e.g. # of meals served, # of clients served, # of shelter nights provided, etc.)						
Total Agency Operating Budget:						
Has the organization received EFSP funding in the past?	Yes	No				
If yes and requesting a funding increase, explain the rationale	for the increased f	unds:				
PROGRAM INFORMATION						
Agency Mission Statement:						
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Describe the program and services provided:						
Describe the priority populations you will serve						
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**The National Board requires all LROs to have a Data Universal Number System (DUNS) number. If an LRO does not have a DUNS number, the LRO must apply to Dun and

Bradstreet for this number. There is no charge for the DUNS number. $\label{eq:decomposition}$

How does your program serve the specialized needs of the priority populations indicated above?						
Describe the program's capacity to equitably serve people without discrimination i	s St. Lucie Co	unty:				
Describe the program's participant eligibility requirements:						
Are you currently providing services for which you are requesting EFSP funds?	Yes	No				
Are services offered to member of every community in St. Lucie County?	Yes	No				
Are all program services free of charge for recipients?	Yes	No				
Are al program services offered to clients free from discrimination?	Yes	No				

All nonprofit applicants must submit the following documents as an email attachment with completed application:

- 1. List of current Board of Directors
- 2. IRS 501 (c) 3 determination letter
- 3. IRS Form 990
- 4. Client intake form if applicable