

RESOLUTION

COVID-19 URGENT NEED PROGRAM

COMMUNITY DEVELOPMENT BLOCK GRANT APPLICATION

WHEREAS, financial assistance is available to units of local government through the Commonwealth of Virginia Community Development Block Grant (VCDBG); and

WHEREAS, in compliance with VCDBG requirements, two public hearings were advertised in a newspaper with general circulation in the County, posted on County social media sites, and the hearings were held on May 20, 2020, and May 27, 2020; and

WHEREAS, James City County wishes to apply for \$348,104 in VCDBG funds to be used for emergency payment of past due rent and utilities related to the COVID-19; and

WHEREAS, James City County is not expected to provide any local funds; and

WHEREAS, the project is anticipated to benefit approximately 83 households, by providing payments of past due rent and utilities for renter occupied housing units, which will meet the Housing and Community Development Act of 1974 Section 104(b) National Objective of addressing urgent community needs.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED by the Board of Supervisors of James City County, Virginia, pursuant to two public hearings, the County of James City, Virginia, hereby wishes to apply for \$348,104 of VCDBG funds for an Urgent Need Community Development Block Grant program.

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that the Board of Supervisors of James City County, Virginia, hereby authorizes the County Administrator to contract with the Virginia Department of Housing and Community Development, and to sign other agreements and documents necessary to participate in and implement the Program.

James O. Icenhour, Jr.
Chairman, Board of Supervisors

ATTEST:

Teresa J. Fellows
Deputy Clerk to the Board

	VOTES		
	<u>AYE</u>	<u>NAY</u>	<u>ABSTAIN</u>
SADLER	_____	_____	_____
MCGLENNON	_____	_____	_____
LARSON	_____	_____	_____
HIPPLE	_____	_____	_____
ICENHOUR	_____	_____	_____

Adopted by the Board of Supervisors of James City County, Virginia, this 9th day of June, 2020.