

PROGRAM: Emergency Solutions Grant (ESG) Program

Notice of Funding Availability under the Emergency Solutions Grant Program

Mississippi Home Corporation hereby notifies interested organizations of the availability of funds for the Emergency Solutions Grant (ESG) to assist individuals and families quickly regain stability in permanent housing after experiencing a housing crisis or homelessness. The ESG program is a competitive grant that awards funds to private nonprofit organizations, cities, and counties in the State of Mississippi. The ESG program is funded by the U.S. Department of Housing and Urban Development (HUD) and is administered by Mississippi Home Corporation (MHC).

Applying for Funding

- Applicants can submit one application for ESG and one application for ESG-CV.
- Eligible applicant organizations include units of general-purpose local governments and private nonprofit organizations with a 501(c)(3) tax-exempt status.
- Interested organizations must provide proof of financial viability. While this is an open solicitation, preference will be given to projects that exhibit a collaborative effort among different service providers.
- In response to the coronavirus pandemic, applications will be accepted for ESG-CV, a component of ESG (see application manual for details on ESG-CV)
- NEW applicants are encouraged to apply and may be considered for MATCH exemption (see application manual for details).
- Returning applicants may have the option to apply for one to two-year ESG grant funding (see application manual for details).

2021 EMERGENCY SOLUTIONS GRANT APPLICATION TIMELINE						
Notice of Funding Availability (NOFA)	Application Open	Application Seminar	Application Deadline	Application Review and Scoring	Board Recommendation	Awards Announced
May 21, 2021	May 21, 2021	<u>June 2, 2021</u>	June 11, 2021	June 11 – July 11, 2021	August 11, 2021	August 23, 2021

ESG manuals, applications and forms may be downloaded from MHC's website at http://www.mshomecorp.com

Applications must be submitted electronically and by mail.

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