

A map of the Eastern United States showing hurricane tracks and intensity. The map includes state boundaries and labels for IL, IN, OH, PA, NY, NJ, MA, CT, and MS. Two hurricane systems are visible: one in the upper right (off the coast of New England) and a larger one in the lower right (off the coast of Florida). The intensity is represented by a color scale from green (weaker) to yellow, orange, and red (stronger).

Florida Housing Coalition Hurricane Member Update Webinar

July 10, 2020

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AGENDA

- Announcements and Handouts
- CARES and other COVID Funding
- Amanda Rosado, FHC Director of Ending Homelessness



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ESG-CV2 Allocations

- **4/2 ESG-CV1 (\$1 billion)**

FL Total - \$45,381,064

- State (DCF) - \$20,384,797
- Metropolitan Cities, Urban Counties, Territories - \$24,996,267

- **6/9 ESG-CV2 (\$2.96 billion)**

FL Total - \$143,461,821

- State (DCF) - \$65,511,297
- Metropolitan Cities, Urban Counties, Territories - \$77,950,524



State & Local CARES Act Monies

- **Coronavirus Relief Fund**

- The State of Florida has nearly \$6 billion through the CRF
- \$1.275B going to 55 counties through DEM
- 12 big counties received their own allocation
- \$250M went to FHFC

- **CDBG-CV**

- DEO received nearly \$80 million for entitlement and non-entitlement communities.
- No update to how DEO will distribute these funds.
- The funds can be used to "prevent, prepare for, and respond to coronavirus."



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Reminder - there are 3 tranches of CDBG-CV

- 1. \$2B to entitlement communities (completed)

Coronavirus Relief Fund Update

The state will disburse \$1.275 billion for the 55 counties that did not receive the direct CRF payment.

Notes:

- **DEM** will administer.
- Counties must sign a funding agreement stating: 1) will use funds on eligible expenses; 2) agrees to repay the State for unused funds or ineligible uses; 3) submits quarterly reports to DEM on expenditures.
- Based on population.
- Counties to receive 25% initial allocation and will need to apply for more.
- Seminole - \$20.6M; Osceola - \$16.4M; Lake – \$16M

CRF – Florida Housing Finance Corporation

- **Rental Assistance for Affordable Rental Housing Tenants**

\$120 million will be provided in short-term rental assistance for COVID-19 impacted households residing at multifamily rental properties in FHFC's portfolio. **FHFC will reimburse participating properties to subsidize eligible households' rents for each impacted month.** The rental assistance will be available to help pay a household's rent for eligible months from July through December 2020. The household may be eligible for assistance to pay rent arrearages accrued during the months of April, May and June 2020.

- **Rent and Mortgage Assistance**

A separate pool of \$120 million **will be released to counties based on a county's reemployment assistance rate** for the determined disbursement period. These funds would be used for rental and homeowner assistance programs such as new construction, rehabilitation, mortgage buy downs, down payment and closing cost assistance, emergency repairs and homeownership counseling for individuals impacted by COVID-19.



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Resources and Tools

- [Homeless System Response Rehousing Activation Planning and Implementation Tips](#) (HUD)
- [Targeting Prevention](#) (Center for Evidence Based Solutions)
- [Predicting and Preventing Homelessness in LA](#) (California Policy Lab)
- [Five Things to Consider When Investing in ESG Homelessness Prevention](#) (HUD)
- [Coordinated Investment Planning for Rental Assistance](#) (FHC Webinar)



HUD Office Hours

- Targeting Homeless Prevention in the Midst of COVID-19 (June 10)
- Let's Talk: Rehousing Strategy, Service Delivery and System Reform (June 11)
- Rehousing Strategy in the Midst of COVID-19 (June 4)



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Policy Workgroup

- **Each Tuesday at 1:30-2:30pm**, we host a Policy Workgroup to discuss advocacy for COVID-19 Housing & Homelessness Response
- Contact glazer@flhousing.org to be added to the Workgroup.



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Upcoming Training

July 17 Hurricane Member Update Floodproofing

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