



## Coronavirus Aid, Relief, and Economic Security (CARES) Act Treasury Funding Comparison to Potential FEMA Category B: Emergency Protective Measures.

### Department of Treasury CARES Act Funding (100% Federal Cost Share)

- Covers necessary expenditures incurred due to the public health emergency with respect to COVID-19
- Instructions for State Agencies:
  - [Apply through the Virginia Department of Planning and Budget](#) by **May 18<sup>th</sup>**
- Instructions Local Governments:
  - [Apply through the Virginia Department of Accounts](#) by **May 22<sup>nd</sup>**
- Timeframe
  - Costs must be incurred between March 1, 2020 and December 30, 2020
- For Additional Information
  - <https://home.treasury.gov/policy-issues/cares/state-and-local-governments>

### FEMA Public Assistance Funding (75% Federal Cost Share)

- Is a reimbursement program
- Is limited to those emergency protective measures taken in response to the COVID-19 Emergency at direction or guidance of public health officials
- Instructions to Apply:
  - Submit your request for public assistance: <https://grantee.fema.gov> - **no deadline**
- Timeframe (incident period)
  - Work must be performed between January 20, 2020 and ongoing (end date TBD)
- For Additional Information
  - <https://www.vaemergency.gov/coronavirus/disaster-grants-and-loans/gov-ngo/>

Description of Costs	CARES ACT	
	Treasury Eligibility	FEMA PA Eligibility
COVID-19-related expenses of public hospitals, clinics, and similar facilities	Yes	Yes
Expenses of establishing temporary public medical facilities and other measures to increase COVID-19 treatment capacity, including related construction costs.	Yes	Yes
Costs of providing COVID-19 testing, including serological testing	Yes	Yes
Emergency medical response expenses related to COVID-19 - including EOC costs	Yes	Yes
Emergency medical transportation related to COVID-19	Yes	Yes



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Description of Costs	CARES ACT Treasury Eligibility	FEMA PA Eligibility
Expenses for establishing and operating public telemedicine capabilities for COVID-19- related treatment.	Yes	Yes
Expenses for communication and enforcement by State, territorial, local, and Tribal governments of public health orders related to COVID-19	Yes	Yes
Expenses for acquisition and distribution of medical and protective supplies, including sanitizing products and personal protective equipment,	Yes	Yes
Expenses for disinfection of public areas and other facilities, e.g., nursing homes, in response to the COVID-19 public health emergency.	Yes	Yes
Expenses for technical assistance to local authorities or other entities on mitigation of COVID-19-related threats to public health and safety	Yes	Yes
Expenses for public safety measures undertaken in response to COVID-19	Yes	Yes
Expenses for quarantining individuals	Yes	Yes*
Payroll expenses for public safety, public health, health care, human services, and similar employees whose services are substantially dedicated to mitigating or responding to the COVID19 public health emergency	Yes	Yes**
Expenses for food delivery to residents, including, for example, senior citizens and other vulnerable populations, to enable compliance with COVID-19 public health precautions	Yes	Yes***
Expenses to facilitate distance learning, including technological improvements, in connection with school closings to enable compliance with COVID-19 precautions.	Yes	No
Expenses to enable telework capabilities for public employees to enable compliance with COVID-19 public health precautions	Yes	Yes****
Expenses of providing paid sick and paid family and medical leave to public employees to enable compliance with COVID-19 public health precautions	Yes	No
COVID-19-related expenses of maintaining state prisons and county jails, including as relates to sanitation and improvement of social distancing measures, to enable compliance with COVID-19 public health precautions	Yes	Yes

FEMA PA Reimbursement is at 75% with 25% Non-Federal (State/Local cost share based on local government fiscal stress index)  
 CARES Act is %100 Federally Funded for eligible expenses



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Expenses for care for homeless populations provided to mitigate COVID-19 effects and enable compliance with COVID-19 public health precautions.	Yes	Yes
Expenditures related to the provision of grants to small businesses to reimburse the costs of business interruption caused by required closures	Yes	No
Expenditures related to a State, territorial, local, or Tribal government payroll support program	Yes	No
Unemployment insurance costs related to the COVID-19 public health emergency if such costs will not be reimbursed by the federal government pursuant to the CARES Act or otherwise.	Yes	No
Any other COVID-19-related expenses reasonably necessary to the function of government that satisfy the Fund’s eligibility criteria	Yes	Potentially
Law Enforcement and Security directly related to COVID-19	Yes	Yes
Expenses for the State share of Medicaid	No	No
Damages, work, or costs covered by insurance	No	No
Payroll or benefits expenses for employees whose work duties are not substantially dedicated to mitigating or responding to the COVID-19 public health emergency	No	No

- \* Only applies to non-congregate sheltering of first responder workforce and homeless populations
- \*\* Only overtime costs are eligible and must be tied to performing eligible emergency protective measures in response to COVID-19
- \*\*\* Public Assistance Funding is limited to 30 days with potential for 30 day time extension with FEMA Regional Administrator approval.
- \*\*\*\* Only applies to emergency protective measures and at the direction of a public health order