

City of Lakewood, OH
CARES Act CDBG-CV & ESG-CV
Funding Allocations, Programs & Community Impact

The City of Lakewood, an inner-ring suburb of Cleveland, is a CDBG/ESG Entitlement Community with a population of approximately 52,000 and a poverty rate of 14%. The City's housing stock is comprised of more than 55% rental units.

Lakewood CARES Act-Funded Program Descriptions		
Program	Source	Description
Emergency Food Assistance	CDBG-CV	Capacity-building and operating support for Lakewood Community Services Center's (LCSC) Emergency Food Program in order to meet dramatically increased demand among LMI households adversely impacted by the pandemic. CDBG-CV funds facilitated the transition of LCSCs food service delivery model from pick-up to delivery to accommodate pandemic public health/safety and social distancing requirements.
Emergency Rent Assistance	CDBG-CV	Short-term (up to 6 months) rent assistance designed to maintain housing stability and prevent eviction among LMI households adversely impacted by the pandemic.
Emergency Small Business Assistance	CDBG-CV	Rent/payroll reimbursement grants up to \$7,000 for small businesses adversely impacted by the pandemic. <i>Phase I:</i> Microenterprise Assistance under CDBG Low-Mod Clientele National Objective for businesses owned by low-mod persons with 5 or fewer employees. <i>Phase II</i> , under CDBG Low-Mod Job Retention National Objective, for small businesses that retain one or more FTE jobs, 51% of which must be low-mod eligible per criteria established in the CARES Act CDBG-CV Notice (FR-6218-N-01) issued 8.20.20.
Homelessness Prevention Assistance	ESG-CV	Short-term (up to 6 months) homelessness prevention assistance designed to maintain housing stability and prevent eviction among VLI households adversely impacted by the pandemic.

City of Lakewood CARES Act Allocations	
CDBG-CV I & II	
Emergency Food Assistance	\$192,145
Emergency Rent Assistance	\$465,871
Emergency Small Business Assistance	\$832,615
Total CDBG-CV Allocations	\$1,490,631
ESG-CV I & II	
Homelessness Prevention Assistance	\$1,075,148
Grand Total CARES Act Allocations	\$2,565,779

Lakewood CARES Act Eviction Prevention Programs Community Impact			
Metric	ESG-CV Homeless Prevention	CDBG-CV Emergency Rent Assistance	Total CARES Act
Funds Allocated	\$1,075,148	\$465,871	\$1,541,019
Households Served	521	237	758
Individual Beneficiaries	986	424	1,410
Assistance Distributed (\$)	\$979,875	\$382,874	\$1,362,749
Program Delivery Costs	\$95,273	\$91,212	\$178,270

Lakewood CARES Act Small Business Assistance Program Community Impact			
Metric	Microenterprise Assistance	Job Retention Assistance	Total
Businesses Assisted (#)	55	84	139
Assistance Distributed (\$)	\$148,294	\$564,494	\$712,788