



*Strengthening the resiliency and vibrancy of New Hampshire's communities*

## NEW HAMPSHIRE NONPROFIT EMERGENCY RELIEF FUND

Established by Governor Sununu through the Governor's Office for Emergency Relief and Recovery in May 2020. The State of New Hampshire partnered with CDFA, the New Hampshire Center for Nonprofits, the New Hampshire Charitable Foundation to administer the program.

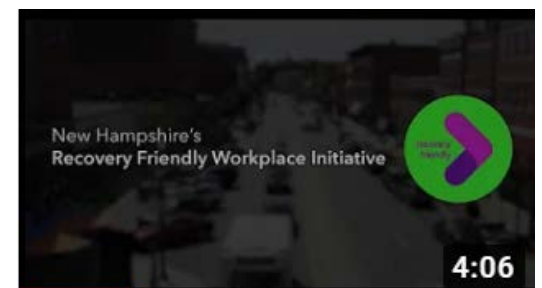
- 599 applications were submitted from June 11 – 25. The three partner organizations provided intensive technical assistance to applicants.
- Following intensive review by the three partners, in addition to review and adjustments by GOFERR, in August the Governor announced 496 awards granted to New Hampshire nonprofit organizations totaling \$39,792,601.
- Grants will enable nonprofit organizations with a wide variety of missions to continue to serve tens of thousands of New Hampshire residents who have been impacted by the coronavirus epidemic.
- Read the [full grant program summary](#) for additional insights.

## RECOVERY FRIENDLY WORKPLACE (RFW) INITIATIVE

CDFA was allocated a one-time, \$1 million appropriation in June 2018 to support nonprofits in delivering RFW programming.

- Leveraged experience designing programs and deploying resources that encourage public-private partnerships to develop a community-based pilot program.
- Since its launch in March 2018, 279 workplaces from across NH, representing more than 70,000 employees, have joined the RFW initiative in strengthening our workforce.
- A robust overview of the Recovery Friendly Workplace initiative, community-based pilot program and outcomes are in the [September 2020 report](#).

### New Hampshire's Recovery Friendly Workplace Initiative



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## COMMUNITY DEVELOPMENT BLOCK GRANT CARES ACT FUNDS

Approximately \$14 million in federal funds will be deployed under the Community Development Block Grant program administered by CDFA for the prevention of, preparation for, and response to COVID-19.

CDFA is deploying the funds based on an assessment of community needs and broad public input from various stakeholders.

### Microenterprise Technical Assistance Program

- Modeled on the successful deployment of grant funds earlier in the pandemic ([detailed here](#)) CDFA awarded approximately \$850,000 to support direct grants to microenterprises in August 2020.

guidance is forthcoming.

### Public Services

- Nine municipalities across the state applied for CDBG-CV funds to support eligible, high-priority public services in late September. High-priority services include homelessness services, childcare, food banks, as well as health, mental health and substance abuse services, among others.
- CDFA awarded \$3.1 million for these critical services to support the needs of low-and-moderate income people across the state in November 2020.

Additional guidance on the availability of funding and program

### Microenterprise Support During COVID-19



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