Need Help Paying Rent?

A NEW CDBG COVID-19 Rental Assistance Program

Fort Bend County has approved additional funding to assist households that are unable to pay rent due to the COVID-19 pandemic.

Fort Bend County has established a <u>NEW</u> CDBG COVID-19 Rental Assistance program, in compliance with federal, state and local guidelines, to provide assistance to eligible households through this new rental assistance program.

This is a **NEW** program, therefore applicants should complete the application on the County's website to enroll in the program.

www.fortbendcountytx.gov

Click on the "CDBG Rental Assistance" link in the banner

You only need to enter the information once for your entire household. Assistance is available until the funds are exhausted.



Rental Applications are on-line NOW! www.fortbendcountytx.gov

Phone 281-238-CARE (281-238-2273)

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Qualifications:

- Must be a Fort Bend County resident. (Excluding residents of Houston, Katy, Missouri City, Pearland and Weston Lakes.)
- 2020 / 2021 household income less than 80% of the area's average median income.
- Inability to pay due to employment loss/reduction or loss of income due to economic impact of COVID-19.
- Past due rent notice or pending eviction .
- You have <u>not</u> received rental assistance from any other source for the same period of time as requested from this program or six months of CDBG-CV assistance previously.
- Your landlord must agree to participate in the program.
- This assistance is for up to six (6) months.

Required Documentation:*

- Completed application
- Photo ID
- Social security cards (for all household members)
- Valid ID (for all Household Members 18 and older)
- 2020 Tax return or proof of household income
- Current Rent/lease agreement
- Most recent pay stubs
- TWC statement of benefits received
- Proof of COVID related income loss
- Late notice or eviction notice (if applicable)
 *other documents may be requested

Online Applications launched June 22nd www.fortbendcountytx.gov

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