FEMA Public Assistance Grants Available

Nonprofits experiencing additional unreimbursed expenses due to having to respond to the Coronavirus pandemic may be eligible to apply for the FEMA Public Assistance Grant Program. The Public Assistance grant program provides funds to assist with recovery and response efforts to emergencies and disasters that have been declared by the President. FEMA provides a brief overview of the program here.

- **Who is eligible to apply?** Private nonprofit (PNP) organizations that provide educational, utility, emergency, medical, or custodial care, including for the aged or disabled, and other essential social-type services to the general public (in addition to state, local, U.S. territories, and federally recognized tribal governments)—further described in Tables 1 and 2 on pages 12-13 of the Public Assistance Program and Policy Guide.

- **What expenses can be covered?** Expenses may include labor, supplies, equipment, etc. The expenses eligible for grant funding are outlined starting on page 21 of the Guide and in this Fact Sheet.

- **Coronavirus pandemic specific information:** FEMA has issued a number of fact sheets related to eligible expenses, the application process, and eligible private nonprofit (PNP) organizations. See below:
  - FEMA Coronavirus (COVID-19) Pandemic: Eligible Emergency Protective Measures Fact Sheet
  - FEMA Coronavirus (COVID-19) Pandemic: Public Assistance Simplified Application Fact Sheet
  - FEMA Coronavirus (COVID-19) Pandemic: Private Nonprofit Organizations Fact Sheet

- **For detailed guidance and eligibility requirements:** please see the Public Assistance Program and Policy Guide.

- **If you are interested in learning more or determining your own eligibility:** contact your applicable FEMA regional point of contact.