

# HAMILTON COUNTY CARES Rent & Utility Relief Program



HAMILTON COUNTY, OHIO

## HAMILTON COUNTY COMMISSIONERS ARE OFFERING RENT RELIEF TO FAMILIES WHO LOST INCOME DUE TO COVID-19

**Hamilton County, OH (July 22, 2020)** The Hamilton County CARES Rent and Utility Relief Program uses CARES Act funds to provide short-term assistance to renters who live in Hamilton County and can document income loss due to the COVID-19 pandemic.

The Freestore Foodbank, Talbert House and Community Action Agency were awarded the competitively bid contracts totaling \$3.5 million.

The County will pay up to three months' rent and utilities payments with a maximum of \$2,500 for households at or below 80% of the Area Median Income:

Number of People in Household	1	2	3	4	5	6
Max Income 80% of Area Median Income	\$48,350	\$55,250	\$62,150	\$69,050	\$74,600	\$80,100

### How to Apply:

Please contact one of the three providers:

- **Community Action Agency** @ <https://www.cincy-caa.org/> or call (513) 569-1840 option #4, or email [epa@cincy-caa.org](mailto:epa@cincy-caa.org)
- **Talbert House** @ <https://www.talberthouse.org/> or call the 24-hour Housing Hotline at (513) 338-8596, or email [rap@talberthouse.org](mailto:rap@talberthouse.org)
- **Freestore Foodbank** @ <https://freestorefoodbank.org/> (Click on the COVID-19 Update tab) or call (513) 357-4687, or e-mail Ryan Luckie at [rluckie@freestorefoodbank.org](mailto:rluckie@freestorefoodbank.org)