# Coronavirus Aid, Relief, and Economic Security Act ("CARES Act"): Update

**December 8, 2020** 



#### **CARES Act**

- ✓ Established the Coronavirus Relief Fund
- **✓** Appropriated \$150 Billion
- ✓ Funds to be used to make payments for specified uses to States and certain local governments



### **CARES Act**

- ✓ Jackson County was allocated \$122.7 million from the State
- ✓ Jackson County appropriated \$36.9 million to cities within its borders
- ✓ Lee's Summit was appropriated \$5,921,527



### **CARES Act Funds**

- ➤ May only be used to cover costs that:
  - are necessary expenditures incurred due to the public health emergency with respect to the Coronavirus Disease 2019 (COVID-19)
  - were not accounted for in the budget most recently approved as of March 27, 2020 (the date of enactment of the CARES Act) for the State or government; and
  - were incurred during the period that begins on March 1, 2020, and ends on December 30, 2020



# Prior Expenses, Requests, Budget Recommendation

Expense Category	Original Budget		Reallocated Budget (09.14.2020)		Act	Actual To Date Expenses (12.08.2020)		Projected Final Expenses (12.30.2020)	
Medical Expenses	\$	243,089	\$	243,089	\$	257,235	\$	257,235	
Public Health	\$	3,412,018	\$	3,262,018	\$	3,328,784	\$	3,478,198	
Payroll Expenses	\$	656,000	\$	656,000	\$	497,093	\$	656,000	
Compliance with Public Health Measures	\$	279,220	\$	279,220	\$	285,681	\$	336,981	
Economic Support	\$	560,000	\$	710,000	\$	662,152	\$	706,555	
Other Related Expenses	\$	771,200	\$	771,200	\$	411,558	\$	486,558	
Total	\$	5,921,527	\$	5,921,527	\$	5,442,503	\$	5,921,527	



# **CARES Act Economic Support**

- **√**\$710,000 was allocated to provide Small Business Assistance and Non-Profit Assistance
  - **✓**\$467,608.28 in Non-Profit Assistance
  - **✓**\$242,391.72 in Small Business Assistance



# QUESTIONS



# **CARES Act LSM0 Time Line**

- ✓ June 22, 2020: JACO approved LSMO appropriation of \$5,921,527
- ✓ June 2020: City staff continued to research Federal guidance
- ✓ June-Nov 2020: City staff conduct search for qualified vendors and firms to fulfill COVID 19 operations needs



# **CARES Act LSM0 Time Line**

- ✓ August 18, 2020: Council was presented with proposed distribution plan and intergovernmental agreement between LSMO and JACO
- ✓ August 28-September 8: Original solicitation of applications from local non-profits for relief funding occurred



# **CARES Act LSM0 Time Line**

- ✓ September 1, 2020: Council approved intergovernmental agreement with JACO
- ✓ September 14, 2020: Presentation to Council of disbursement plan including community based awards
- ✓ October 13, 2020: Council approved an Ordinance reallocating funds to increase support of non-profit entities

