

RESOLUTION NO. OF 2021

BY THE CADDO PARISH COMMISSION:

A RESOLUTION AUTHORIZING ENTITIES TO ADMINISTER THE COVID-19 EMERGENCY RENTAL ASSISTANCE PROGRAM FOR THE PARISH OF CADDO, AND TO OTHERWISE PROVIDE RESPECT THERETO

WHEREAS, COVID19 is a national pandemic in the United States; and

WHEREAS, national, state and local health emergencies have been declared due to the COVID 19 pandemic; and

WHEREAS, the pandemic has affected individuals' ability to work and maintain a secure income, thus affecting their ability to maintain housing; and

WHEREAS, the U.S. Department of the Treasury has made available \$25 billion dollars in rental assistance; and

WHEREAS, these funds will be directly available to local governments with a population over 200,000 persons; and

WHEREAS, Caddo Parish has applied for and anticipates receiving funds for rental assistance; and

WHEREAS, upon receipt of funds, Caddo Parish would like designate local entities with experience with housing to distribute the funds in accordance with terms outlined by the U.S. Department of the Treasury (Exhibit A).

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT ORDAINED, by the Caddo Parish Commission in due, legal and regular session convened that the Caddo Parish Commission hereby appoints the following local agencies to administer the rental assistance funds:

Organizations	Services	Amount
Providence House	Direct Rental Assistance	\$1,300,000
Grace Project CDC	Direct Rental Assistance	\$1,300,000
Northwest La CDC	Direct Rental Assistance	\$1,300,000
United Way of NW La	Direct Rental Assistance & 2-1-1Call Triage	\$1,400,000
Housing Authority-Shv		\$525,000
Legal Aid of North La.	Indigent Eviction Assistance	\$100,000
Parish of Caddo	Education & Information	\$100,000
Spanish Translation Services	Spanish Translation Services	\$25,000
Inspections	Inspections for Quality Assurance	150,000
Total		6,500,000

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, that this resolution is effective immediately upon its Passage.

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, that all resolutions or parts thereof in conflict herewith are hereby repealed.

Approved as to legal form:

Parish Attorney

Date