

City of St. Helens  
**RESOLUTION NO. 1896**

A RESOLUTION TO AUTHORIZE APPLICATION FOR COMMUNITY  
DEVELOPMENT BLOCK GRANT FUNDS FOR COVID-19 EMERGENCY  
ASSISTANCE: PUBLIC SERVICES AND EMERGENCY SMALL BUSINESS  
& MICRO-ENTERPRISE ASSISTANCE GRANT PROGRAMS

**WHEREAS**, the City Council of St. Helens is committed to maintaining an effective and efficient organization, serving our community in adherence to our Vision: To provide quality, effective and efficient service to our community; and

**WHEREAS**, the City Council recognizes that during the current COVID-19 pandemic, public service providers and small businesses are impacted and in need of support so that our communities may reopen under the State of Oregon and Columbia County frameworks; and

**WHEREAS**, the City Council intends to apply for Community Development Block Grant (CDBG) funds for COVID-19 Public Services and Emergency Small Business & Micro-Enterprise Assistance and desires to enter into partnerships to serve our residents and those of Columbia County.

**NOW, THEREFORE, IT IS HEREBY RESOLVED** that the City of St. Helens City Council adopts this Resolution to apply for Community Development Block Grant funds for COVID-19 Public Services and Emergency Small Business & Micro-Enterprise Assistance Grants with the objective to secure these CDBG funds for county-wide support to small business and micro-enterprise.

**Approved and adopted** by the City Council on July 15, 2020, by the following vote:

Ayes: Locke, Carlson, Morten, Topaz, Scholl

Nays: None

  
Rick Scholl, Mayor

ATTEST:

  
Kathy Payne, City Recorder