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GUSTAVUS SMALL BUSINESSES AND NONPROFITS: GRANT PROGRAM ANNOUNCEMENT

The City of Gustavus is accepting applications from LOCALLY-OWNED & OPERATED small businesses and nonprofits that have experienced economic injury from the COVID-19 pandemic. The City Council has established the grant fund at \$150,000 and has allotted a fixed rate of \$1,650 for each approved grant application. Please read the Grant Guidance Document for information about the grant program. Grant funds must be spent no later than December 31, 2020.

Attached are the application and a guidance document. Applications can be submitted to City Hall by e-mailing to treasurer@gustavus-ak.gov (include “economic grant” in the subject line); mailing to the above address; or dropping-off in the mailbox at City Hall. Applications will be accepted until all funds have been used.

Applications will be reviewed weekly. Applications received by 11a.m. on Monday mornings will be reviewed on Thursday of that week. Applications will be given to the Mayor with approval recommendations; applicants will be notified within 10 working days.

If an applicant is deemed ineligible for grant funding under this program, they may appeal that decision to the Gustavus City Council. In the event of an appeal, the applicant will be responsible to provide information, in writing, on why they disagree with the determination and why they should be eligible for funding. Appeals MUST address the specific criteria that was used to determine the application ineligible. Appeals MUST be received by the city within 10 calendar days of notification of ineligibility.