

# Emergency Rental Relief



*Did you have a COVID-related financial impact that left you unable to pay your rent since April 2020?*

If so, you may be eligible for assistance to pay the rent that is owed to your landlord from the

## SOMERSET COUNTY CDBG-CV EMERGENCY RENTAL RELIEF PROGRAM

### In order to be eligible, you must:

- Be a resident of any Somerset County municipality (except Franklin Township) and have a current 12 month lease or rent agreement.
- Have a household income that is less than the following income limits, based on family size:

1 Person	\$66,900	2 People	\$76,500
3 People	\$86,100	4 People	\$95,600
5 People	\$103,200	6 People	\$110,900

- Be able to prove that your rent payments were current as of March 2020.
- Provide documentation of a COVID-related loss of income after March 9, 2020.

Examples include:

- Layoff or reduced work hours
- Unpaid leave to take care of children due to school and daycare closure
- Self-quarantine for 14 days resulting in a loss of income
- Other consequence of the virus that led to a reduction of income



### *In order to receive assistance, you must submit an application.*

**You can complete and submit the application and required documentation online by visiting the following link: <https://www.co.somerset.nj.us/CDBG-CVERR>**

*On most web browsers, the County link provides full translation features: at the top right of each County webpage bring cursor to "translate tab" and user will be able to choose to read page content readily translated into various different languages.*

**You can also print the application from that link and submit the printed copy via email to: [commdevelop@co.somerset.nj.us](mailto:commdevelop@co.somerset.nj.us)**

**You can request a paper copy of the application to be mailed to you by using the email address or by calling the Community Development Office at: 908-541-5756.**