

AGENDA

SPECIAL MEETING OF THE MOBILE COUNTY COMMISSION

9:00 A.M., July 6, 2020

- 1) HOLD a public hearing to consider the recommendation from the Small Business Relief Grant Program Committee to award grants to twenty-one (21) local businesses that are experiencing financial hardship with the COVID-19 Public Health Crisis located within Mobile County, Alabama for the purpose of promoting the economic and industrial development of the County in accordance with Amendment No. 772 of the Constitution of Alabama.

- 2) CONSIDER awarding grant funds to the following twenty-one (21) businesses in the following amounts that are experiencing financial hardship with the COVID-19 Public Health Crisis within Mobile County for the purpose of promoting the economic and industrial development of the County in accordance with Amendment No. 772 of the Constitution of Alabama:
 - Kingdom Finance, LLC in the amount of \$4,000.00, to be used for business expenses and business loans for one (1) employee for the next three (3) months.

 - Elite Coverage, LLC in the amount of \$24,187.00, to be used for rent, utilities and payroll expenses for two (2) to three (3) employees for the next four (4) months.

 - Fitkits, Inc. in the amount of \$25,000.00, to be used for rent, loans, and payroll expenses for five (5) to six (6) employees for the next six (6) months.

- Miller Mae Freight Lines, LLC in the amount of \$19,041.00, to be used for loans, business expenses, and payroll for one (1) employee for the next three (3) months.
- Chic Jolie Boutique, LLC in the amount of \$10,000.00, to be used for rent and payroll expenses for four (4) to five (5) employees for the next six (6) months.
- Computer Hospital in the amount of \$10,278.00, to be used for payroll, rent, utilities, and business expenses for one (1) to two (2) employees for the next three (3) to six (6) months.
- Coffee Monster, LLC in the amount of \$13,000.00, to be used for payroll and business expenses for five (5) to six (6) employees for the next four (4) months.
- Trademark Promotions, LLC in the amount of \$25,000.00, to be used for inventory expenses for two (2) to three (3) employees for the next six (6) months.
- Strands Hair and Design in the amount of \$2,520.00, to be used for loss of revenue and business expenses for four (4) to five (5) employees for the next three (3) months.
- Ephriam & Associates Environmental Consulting, LLC the amount of \$16,015.00, for payroll, utilities, lease payments, and other business expenses for two (2) to three (3) employees for the next six (6) months.

- Kazoola Eatery and Entertainment, LLC in the amount of \$25,000.00, for lease payments, payroll, utilities, and maintenance for nine (9) to ten (10) employees for the next two (2) months.
- Oculo-Facial Consultants in the amount of \$25,000.00, for loan payments, payroll, and business expenses for six (6) to seven (7) employees for the next six (6) months.
- Dog Dreams, LLC in the amount of \$25,000.00, for rent, utilities, and insurance for twenty (20) to twenty-one (21) employees for the next two and one-half (2.5) months.
- Akridge Family Dental in the amount of \$25,000.00, for loans and payroll for six (6) to seven (7) employees for the next three (3) months.
- West Mobile Dental Care Corporation in the amount of \$25,000.00, for payroll, lease, loans and utilities for six (6) to seven (7) employees for the next two (2) months.
- Unique Destinations in the amount of \$2,940.00, for utilities for one (1) employee for the next two (2) months.
- ellenJAY, LLC in the amount of \$25,000.00, for payroll and business expenses for eight (8) to nine (9) employees for the next three (3) months.
- The Way To Go, LLC in the amount of \$21,040.00, for payroll for four (4) to five (5) employees for the next two and one-half (2.5) months.

- Bare aEsthetics, LLC in the amount of \$1,400.00, for lease, utility, and business expenses for one (1) employee for the next month.
 - Frogmore Boutique in the amount of \$19,083.00, for payroll and business expenses for two (2) to three (3) employees for the next six (6) months.
 - Paula's Hair Unlimited in the amount of \$10,000.00, for rent, utilities, and maintenance for four (4) to five (5) employees for the next six (6) months.
- 3) ACCEPT grant award from the U. S. Department of Housing and Urban Development (HUD), for the Community Development Block Grant (CDBG) Program in the amount of \$1,622,148.00 with no local match, and authorize the President of the Commission to execute all documents associated with this award.
- 4) ACCEPT grant award from the U. S. Department of Housing and Urban Development (HUD), for the HOME Program in the amount of \$580,826.00, with a 25.0% in-kind or cash match (subject to a waiver by HUD), and authorize the President of the Commission to execute all documents associated with this award.
- 5) Commission announcements and/or comments.
- 6) APPROVE request for motion to adjourn until July 13, 2020.