PUBLIC NOTICE

USE OF ESG-CV FUNDS FOR TEMPORARY EMERGENCY SHELTERS

The Department of Housing and Urban Development (HUD) has allocated over \$1.9 million to the City of El Paso in Emergency Solution Grant COVID-19 (ESG-CV) funds. ESG-CV funds are to be used to prevent, prepare and respond to the COVID-19 pandemic among individuals and families who are homeless or are receiving homeless assistance; and to support additional homeless assistance and homelessness prevention activities to mitigate the impacts of COVID-19.

The City of El Paso's Department of Community and Human Development will be utilizing \$500,000 in ESG-VC funds to support the operating costs of two temporary shelters. The two facilities will assist the homeless population by providing adequate space and resources to comply with the Health Authority's safety guidance. The two facilities are:

Delta Welcome Center at the Hilos De Plata Senior Center 4451 Delta Dr., El Paso, TX 79905 Delta Haven at the Chalio Acosta Sports Center 4321 Delta Dr., El Paso, TX 79905

The Delta Haven will accommodate approximately 80 people, and the Delta Welcome Center, which is located near but separate from the Delta Haven facility, will serve as the primary intake facility for all homeless individuals during the crisis. The operation of these two facilities will allow for appropriate screening, isolation, and safety of this vulnerable population.

This project will be approved by City Council on Tuesday, April 28, 2020 through an amendment to the City's 2019-2020 Annual Action Plan. If you have any questions or would like to comment on the proposed project, contact the Department of Community and Human Development by email at DCHDServices@elpasotexas.gov, Monday – Friday from 8:00 a.m. to 5:00 p.m.