

**City of Mesquite**  
**CDBG-CV FY20 Round 3 Project Summaries**

**NON-PROFIT AGENCIES**

<b>The Family Place</b>	Amount Requested: \$11,500	Recommended Funding: \$11,500
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The Family Place is the largest family violence service provider in North Texas, with three emergency shelters, including the state's only shelter for men and children. Funding will provide for staff salary, rent and utilities in the three counseling centers that serve Mesquite residents.

- Funding will provide counseling services for a minimum of 165 Mesquite residents.

<b>AZAR Foundation</b>	Amount Requested: \$45,000	Recommended Funding: \$25,000
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The AZAR Foundation, founded in early 2011, is a non-profit organization that provides various programs and services to Mesquite's low-income population, including the "Heathy Heart Health Mind Program", "Parenting 101 Program" and "Youth Economics Program". AZAR has employed two licensed therapists who will work with Mesquite residents to triage needs and provide sessions or referrals as needed. AZAR would also work with Mesquite PD to accept direct referrals of families and individuals suffering mental health disorders.

- Funding will provide counseling and/or referrals services for a minimum of 1,600 households.

<b>Mesquite ISD</b>	Amount Requested: \$40,000	Recommended Funding: \$25,000
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MISD McKinney-Vento Staff provides technical assistance to all MISD campuses, as well as support and services to the children and families identified as homeless. MISD employs two full time social workers to assist children and families in obtaining services. Program will provide funding for MISD and Eastfield students suffering homelessness.

- Funding will provide up to 30-days of motel or hotel housing assistance for up to 10 MISD and Eastfield students.
- MISD staff will assist students with locating a positive housing solution during the 30-day program.

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<b>Sharing Life Community Outreach – Housing and Water Utility Assistance</b>	Amount Requested: \$280,000	Recommended Funding: \$200,000
<p>Sharing Life Community Outreach is a non-profit organization that provides various programs and services to Mesquite's low-income population. Sharing Life will use the additional funds on emergency payments for rent/mortgage, water bills and hotel payments for low-income and COVID-19 impacted individuals and families.</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• A maximum of \$80,000 is allocated for water utilities and the remaining \$120,000 will be used to provide housing assistance (rent/mortgage/hotel).</li></ul>		