

NYS Community Development Block Grant (CDBG) CARES Awards

Region	Awardee	Activity Type	Award Amount	Entitlement/Non-Entitlement	Description
Capital Region	City of Saratoga Springs	Small Business Assistance	\$250,000	Entitlement	The City will use \$250,000 in NYS CDBG-CV funding to support an additional round of its COVID-19 Small Business Grant Program to preserve jobs held by persons of low income that would otherwise be lost due to the economic consequences of COVID-19.
Capital Region	Schenectady County	Mixed: Public Facility & Housing	\$1,540,000	Non-Entitlement	The County will use \$1,540,000 in NYS CDBG CARES Act funding to make air quality improvements at four public facilities and to make improvements to housing units to remediate health hazards. This project will reduce the transmission of COVID-19 in LMI communities and improve substandard housing conditions that endanger tenants from sheltering in place during the COVID-19 pandemic.
Capital Region	Warren County	Public Facility	\$810,932	Non-Entitlement	The County will use \$810,932 in NYS CDBG CARES Act funding to upgrade the HVAC system and improve WiFi connectivity at Countryside Adult Home. This project will reduce the transmission of COVID-19 to vulnerable populations.
Central NY	City of Syracuse	Housing	\$4,000,000	Entitlement	The City will use \$4,000,000 in NYS CDBG CARES Act funding to make improvements and clear rental housing units to remediate health hazards. This project will improve substandard housing conditions that endanger tenants from sheltering in place during the COVID-19 pandemic.
Finger Lakes	Genesee County	Small Business Assistance	\$1,000,000	Non-Entitlement	The County will use \$1,000,000 in NYS CDBG CARES Act funding to assist in the establishment the "Genesee County COVID Return to Business COVID Relief Fund". The project will provide grants to eligible businesses to improve resiliency against COVID-19 and future pandemics, improving customer and staff safety, and bring employees back to the workforce. This project will help offset the negative economic impacts of the COVID-19 pandemic.
Finger Lakes	Livingston County	Small Business Assistance	\$1,000,000	Non-Entitlement	The County will use \$1,000,000 in CDBG-CV funding to provide grants to eligible businesses to support customer and staff safety, improve business resiliency, and prepare businesses to open safely in response to the pandemic. This project will help offset the negative economic impacts of the COVID-19 pandemic.

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Finger Lakes	Ontario County	Small Business Assistance	\$1,000,000	Non-Entitlement	The County will use \$1,000,000 in NYS CDBG CARES Act funding to assist in the establishment of the COVID Relief Fund. It will target businesses in the tourism, recreation, entertainment, and hospitality industries which have been hardest hit by the pandemic. This project will help offset the negative economic impacts of the COVID-19 pandemic.
Finger Lakes	Town of Sweden	Public Facility	\$500,000	Entitlement	The Town will use \$500,000 in NYS CDBG-CV funding to relocate the Senior Room, install handwashing stations, improve ventilation, and provide two single-user handicap accessible bathrooms at the Sweden/Clarkson Community Center. This project will reduce the transmission of COVID-19 to vulnerable populations.
Finger Lakes	Town of Victor	Small Business Assistance	\$500,000	Non-Entitlement	The Town will use \$500,000 in NYS CDBG-CV funding to assist in the establishment of the Small Business Assistance Program. The program will provide grants to eligible businesses to decrease crowding, increase safety, and improve business efficiency. This project will help offset the negative economic impacts of the COVID-19 pandemic.
Finger Lakes	Village of Waterloo	Public Facility	\$500,000	Non-Entitlement	The Village will use \$500,000 in NYS CDBG CARES Act funding to assist the Seneca County House of Concern in renovating and equipping the new facility the organization operates from. This project will enable the organization to increase capacity to meet the increased need for their food pantry and meal services due to the pandemic for the LMI households they serve.
Mid-Hudson	Village of New Square	Mixed: Public Facilities & Public Services	\$1,500,000	Entitlement	The Village will use \$1,500,000 in NYS CDBG CARES Act funding to assist the New Square Community Improvement Council (NSCIC) in constructing a second floor, furnish a resource room for traumatized children and an adult mental health space, and a resource library at the NSCIC Child Care Center. This project will enable the organization to increase capacity to meet the increased need for childcare and mental health resources due to the pandemic.
Mid-Hudson	Ulster County	Small Business Assistance	\$1,000,000	Non-Entitlement	The County will use \$1,000,000 in NYS CDBG-CV funding to directly support low-to-moderate income business owners who are struggling with the increasing costs of commercial rents and business spaces, as well as increased competition. This project will help offset the negative economic impacts of the COVID-19 pandemic.
Mohawk Valley	Town of Cobleskill	Public Facility	\$1,184,000	Non-Entitlement	The Town will use \$1,184,000 in NYS CDBG CARES Act funding to make physical improvements to accommodate additional social distancing, provide ADA compliant access between floors, and improve air quality in a vacant portion of a public library. This project will reduce the transmission of COVID-19 in LMI communities.

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Mohawk Valley	Fulton County	Small Business Assistance	\$500,000	Non-Entitlement	The County will use \$500,000 in NYS CDBG CARES Act funding to assist in the establishment of the Small Business Assistance Program. CDBG-CV funds will be used to purchase fixtures to guide social distancing, technology to increase efficiency and implement post-COVID business practices. This project will help offset the negative economic impacts of the COVID-19 pandemic.
Mohawk Valley	Oneida County	Mixed: Small Business Assistance & Public Services	\$1,182,563	Non-Entitlement	The County will use \$1,182,563 in NYS CDBG CARES Act funding to assist in the establishment of the Small Business Assistance Program and to conduct mobile vaccine outreach. CDBG-CV funds will be used for eligible costs from the last year such as working capital to replace previous expenditures. The vaccine outreach project will involve the purchase of a vehicle and PPE equipment. This project will help offset the negative economic impacts of the COVID-19 pandemic and, ensure communities have access to critical resources and services in response to the COVID-19 pandemic.
Mohawk Valley	Schoharie County	Mixed: Small Business Assistance & Public Facilities	\$366,000	Non-Entitlement	The County will use \$366,000 in NYS CDBG CARES Act funds to assist in the establishment of the CDBG-CV Digital Business Strategies Initiative and installation of broadband access points. The program will provide grants directly to eligible businesses by matching business with digital marketing strategists. This project will help offset the negative economic impacts of the COVID-19 pandemic.
New York City	City of New York	Mixed Use: Public Services & Public Facilities	\$3,997,840	Entitlement	The City will use \$3,997,840 to provide broadband access, furnish units for formerly homeless persons, and to provide mental health services to elderly persons. This project will reduce the transmission of COVID-19 to vulnerable populations and, ensure communities have access to critical resources and services in response to the COVID-19 pandemic.
North Country	Clinton County	Mixed: Public Services & Public Facilities	\$200,000	Non-Entitlement	The County will use \$200,000 in NYS CDBG CARES Act funding to upgrade the HVAC system at the Clinton County Nursing Home and to conduct vaccine outreach and education. This project will involve the purchase of a fully equipped trailer to conduct mobile pop-ups. This project will reduce the transmission of COVID-19 to vulnerable populations and, ensure communities have access to critical resources and services in response to the COVID-19 pandemic.
North Country	Franklin County	Small Business Assistance	\$565,000	Non-Entitlement	The County will use \$565,000 in NYS CDBG CARES Act funding to assist in the establishment of the CARES-CV Small Business Assistance Program. Proposed expenses include working capital due to lost revenues and additional expenses incurred for safety measures. This project will help offset the negative economic impacts of the COVID-19 pandemic.

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North Country	Lewis County	Mixed Use: Public Services & Public Facilities	\$747,790	Non-Entitlement	The County will use \$747,790 in NYS CDBG CARES Act funding to expand broadband access in three municipalities. This project will involve the payment for broadband service, the installation of wireless equipment, and providing WiFi equipment. This project will ensure communities have access to critical resources and services in response to the COVID-19 pandemic.
North Country	St. Lawrence County	Housing	\$580,000	Non-Entitlement	The County will use \$580,000 in NYS CDBG CARES Act funding to make improvements to single-family homeowner housing to remediate health hazards. This project will improve substandard housing conditions that endanger tenants from sheltering in place during the COVID-19 pandemic.
Southern Tier	Broome County	Small Business Assistance	\$1,000,000	Non-Entitlement	The County will use \$1,000,000 in NYS CDBG CARES Act funding to assist in the establishment of a COVID Business Recovery Fund. CDBG CV funds will be directed towards, but are not limited to: operating costs, adaptive business improvements, payroll, marketing, equipment purchases, sanitation supplies, and PPE. This project will help offset the negative economic impacts of the COVID-19 pandemic.
Southern Tier	Village of Canisteo	Public Facility	\$400,000	Non-Entitlement	The Village will use \$400,000 in NYS CDBG-CV funding to replace an emergency generator and make improvements to the HVAC system at the municipality's Police and Fire Department. This project will protect emergency response providers and those they serve from the spread of COVID-19.
Southern Tier	Chenango County	Public Facility	\$1,900,000	Non-Entitlement	The County will use \$1,900,000 in NYS CDBG-CV funding to expand wireless broadband infrastructure in the City of Norwich and Town of New Berlin. The total project cost is \$1,900,000. This project will ensure communities have access to critical virtual services and reduce transmission of COVID-19.
Southern Tier	Village of Endicott	Public Facility	\$485,000	Non-Entitlement	The Village will use \$485,000 in NYS CDBG CARES Act funding to remove and replace the emergency generator and, make improvements to the HVAC system at the Village's Police and Fire Department building. This project will protect emergency response providers and those they serve from the spread of COVID-19.
Western NY	City of Dunkirk	Public Facility	\$103,500	Entitlement	The City will use \$103,500 in NYS CDBG CARES Act funding to install mobile hotspots and solar charging stations in public spaces. This project will ensure communities have access to critical resources and services in response to the COVID-19 pandemic.

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Western NY	Town of Hamburg	Small Business Assistance	\$450,000	Entitlement	The Town will use \$450,000 in NYS CDBG CARES Act funding to assist in the establishment of the Small Business Revitalization Initiative. The program will provide grants to eligible businesses to implement technological, social distancing and indoor air quality measures and, provide working capital to allow businesses to reopen. This project will help offset the negative economic impacts of the COVID-19 pandemic.
Western NY	City of Lockport	Mixed: Public Facilities & Small Business Assistance	\$845,000	Non-Entitlement	The City will use \$845,000 in NYS CDBG CARES Act funding to establish the "Lockport Small Business Restoration Fund" and to make physical improvements to two public facilities. Grant funds for business operations will be used for but not limited to: expenses related to reopening, increase in inventory, cost for staff training, and equipment purchases. The project will also reconfigure space for increased social distancing and air quality improvements at an assisted living facility and a senior center. This project will help offset the negative economic impacts of the COVID-19 pandemic and reduce the transmission of COVID-19 to vulnerable populations.
Western NY	Niagara County	Mixed: Small Business Assistance & Public Services	\$1,766,925	Non-Entitlement	The County will use \$1,766,925 in NYS CDBG CARES Act funding to assist in the establishment of the COVID Relief for Small Business and expand broadband access. Grant funds will cover expenses related to re-opening, meeting COVID-related health requirements, and marketing a safe and healthy environment. The broadband access project will involve providing and installing broadband equipment for LMI eligible households. This project will help offset the negative economic impacts of the COVID-19 pandemic and, ensures low-to-moderate income persons access critical virtual services.
Western NY	City of North Tonawanda	Small Business Assistance	\$287,500	Non-Entitlement	The City will use \$287,500 in NYS CDBG-CV funding to provide flexible financial assistance to businesses with 25 or fewer employees who show a clear, demonstratable negative impact on their business from COVID-19. This project will help offset the negative economic impacts of the COVID-19 pandemic.
Western NY	City of Salamanca	Public Facility	\$500,000	Non-Entitlement	The City will use \$500,000 in NYS CDBG CARES Act funding to redesign the existing Police Department to prevent the spread of COVID-19 and prepare the facility for new safety protocols. This project will protect emergency response providers and those they serve from the spread of COVID-19.