



St. Thomas-Elgin Social Services
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Community Emergency Support Related to COVID – 19 Pandemic

To all our community partners, organizations non-profit agencies and to those who support the most vulnerable in our community, we would like to hear from you as to how the City of St. Thomas may financially assist you in order for you to offer the best support to our community in these trying times.

On March 23, 2020, the Provincial government announced a \$200 Million investment in Social Services Relief Funding to help protect the health and safety of the province's most vulnerable people in response to the outbreak of COVID-19.

If you are experiencing direct added costs or if you are providing new or enhanced support or services for vulnerable persons in St. Thomas-Elgin with respect to homelessness, shelter, food security, seniors, youth, etc., as a result of COVID-19, we would ask that you complete the attached document and return by April 15, 2020.

Please send your request to the attention of Ralph West, Housing Services Manager, at rwest@stthomas.ca. For any questions, call 519-631-9350 ext 7171.

Please note the submission of a request does not guarantee funding assistance in part or full as all requests will need to be reviewed.