

RENTAL ASSISTANCE FOR UNION COUNTY RESIDENTS

The Union County Freeholder Board has announced a rent relief program for eligible residents adversely impacted by COVID - 19. The Board approved funding of the program through the federal CARES Act.

Residents will be eligible to receive up to 6 months of rental assistance.

Eligibility requirements for applicants are as follows:

- Renters living in Union County;
- Household Income is at or below 80% of Median Family Income (MFI);
- Household income loss must be due to COVID 19

Residents can submit their application on one of the following non-profit websites:

- Family Promise Union County (familypromise.org/fpuc)
- Urban League of Union County (uloucnj.org)
- United Way of Greater Union County (uwguc.org)

Residents requiring information or assistance with the application process can call any of the three non-profit partners involved and schedule an appointment. Staff will inform applicants of the required documentation to bring to the appointment. Once staff has a complete application all required documentation, the application will be reviewed for eligibility. Applicants will be provided with documents proof of their filed rental assistance application for their landlord. Once the application is approved, funds will be disbursed by mailed check directly to the landlord,

If you have any other questions please reach out to Brandon Givens, Director of Community Services at 908.527.4462 or via email bgivens@ucnj.org.