NOTICE OF AVAILABILTY OF FUNDS Phase 40 Emergency Food and Shelter Program Hartford County Jurisdiction

The Local Board for the Emergency Food and Shelter Program in Hartford County announces the availability of new funding through Phase 40 in the amount of \$459,199. The funding originates from FEMA (the Federal Emergency Management Agency) and is administered locally by United Way of Central and Northeastern Connecticut. The purpose of funding is to supplement the work of local social service organizations to help people in need of emergency assistance.

Funds will be allocated for the following purposes: Emergency Shelter; Food (distributed through Connecticut Foodshare); and Emergency Rent/Mortgage/Energy Assistance.

Under the terms of the grant from the National Board, local agencies chosen to receive funds must: 1) be private voluntary non-profits or units of government, 2) be eligible to receive Federal funds, 3) have an accounting system, 4) practice non-discrimination, 5) have demonstrated the capability to deliver emergency food and/or shelter programs and 6) if they are a private voluntary organization, have a voluntary board. Qualifying agencies are urged to apply. The deadline to submit proposals is March 3, 2023 at 5:00 p.m.

Applications are available

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