Texas Department of Housing and Community Affairs (TDHCA) Resources

As the COVID-19 pandemic progresses, we know that an increasing number of Texans may need affordable housing and/or community services assistance. While the Texas Department of Housing and Community Affairs (TDHCA) does not serve persons directly, we do partner at the local level with many local governments and nonprofit organizations to provide needed housing and services. Examples of potential services include rental assistance, homeless prevention, and energy bill assistance. TDHCA has an online portal called “Help for Texans” which enables a person to search in their communities for needed help. It can be found at this link:

Those without Internet access may call (800) 525-0657.

As well, TDHCA has a webpage devoted to COVID-19 information as it relates to affordable housing and our programs. It can be found here:

Please know that all of these resources are contingent upon funding availability. However, TDHCA will be receiving federal disaster funding in the months ahead and will expedite delivery of these critical resources to those entities with whom we work at the local level.

Should you need further assistance or have questions, please contact Scott Stier, District Director, at 817-849-4900 or scott.stier@house.texas.gov