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**Title:** Commission District(s): All  
Appropriation of the second grant of Emergency Rental Assistance (“ERA 2”) funds to at least three (3) DeKalb County Non- Profit Agencies in the initial aggregate amount of \$600,000, but not to exceed the cumulative total amount of \$1,500,000.

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**Attachments:**

Date	Ver.	Action By	Action	Result
8/10/2021	1	Board of Commissioners		
8/3/2021	1	ERPS-Employee Relations & Public Safety Committee	recommended for approval.	Pass
8/3/2021	1	Committee of the Whole	Accepted to the BOC agenda and assigned	

**Public Hearing:** YES  NO     **Department:** Chief Executive Office

**SUBJECT:**

**Commission District(s):** All

Appropriation of the second grant of Emergency Rental Assistance (“ERA 2”) funds to at least three (3) DeKalb County Non- Profit Agencies in the initial aggregate amount of \$600,000, but not to exceed the cumulative total amount of \$1,500,000.

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**PURPOSE:**

To appropriate ERA 2 funds to at least three DeKalb County Non- Profit Agencies in the initial aggregate amount of \$600,000, but not to exceed the cumulative total amount of \$1,500,000.

**NEED/IMPACT:**

The grant funds are to assist DeKalb County residents that are struggling to pay rent and/or utilities due to the COVID-19 pandemic. The program will prevent and protect families from evictions by keeping families in their homes; and will reduce/prevent the risk of homelessness and/or home instability. Payments will be made towards rent and utilities. Funds will provide financial assistance and relief to eligible households through existing or newly created assistance programs.

**FISCAL IMPACT:**

#	Agency	Initial Funding	Maximum Funding	Services Provided
1	New Life Ministries, Inc.	\$200,000	\$500,000	Rent and Utilities
2	International Rescue Committee, Inc.	\$200,000	\$500,000	Rent and Utilities
3	Latin American Association, Inc	\$200,000	\$500,000	Rent and Utilities
	Total	\$600,000	\$1,500,000	

POETA 105828.63258.521209.01.602526; Grant Period March 11, 2021, through September 30, 2025

No impact on the County.

**RECOMMENDATION:**

To approve the appropriation of ERA 2 funds to at least three DeKalb County Non-Profit Agencies in the initial aggregate amount of \$600,000, but not to not exceed the cumulative total amount of \$1,500,000, and authorize the CEO to execute necessary agreements/documents in a form that is acceptable to the County attorney.