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Alliance on Aging, Inc.	Outreach Services	AOA provides outreach & benefits assistance to seniors in multiple senior venues throughout South County. In addition, since April of 2021, AOA has had a weekly presence at Taylor Farms/SVMH Health & Wellness Center in Gonzales where staff offer information and benefits assistance. AOA has invited other senior providers to join them on site and the clinic is becoming a hub for the patients as well as other seniors and their families seeking information and resources. Alliance on Aging has been and will be participating with Meals on Wheels in their new South County Socials Initiative.	The target population for the AOAs Outreach Program are rural residents of Monterey County. Primarily its South Countys seniors; many are agricultural workers. They dont earn much and what they earn must pay many bills. Aging brings additional impacts to seniors and their families. Their health deteriorates, they or their friends/spouses start to suffer disabling conditions or die, housing conditions need to be adapted, medical/drug costs escalate, and transportation needs change.	Free options available to seniors can be explained, in simple terms, by our trained staff/volunteers, The Alliance on Aging offers services that can help lower health care coverage costs, provide financial relief with income tax refunds, and information about benefits and discount programs. We also partner with other agencies/services and can direct seniors to their programs. This allows seniors to remain in their homes, be engaged in their local communities, be independent and healthy.	Free options available to seniors can be explained, in simple terms, by our trained staff/volunteers, The Alliance on Aging offers services that can help lower health care coverage costs, provide financial relief with income tax refunds, and information about benefits and discount programs. We also partner with other agencies/services and can direct seniors to their programs. This allows seniors to remain in their homes, be engaged in their local communities, be independent and healthy.
Boys & Girls Clubs of Monterey County	South County Youth Programs & Services	South County Youth Programs & Services provides hundreds of youth and their families with Girls' Health in Girls Hands' programming and summit attendance, back to school supplies, and special event opportunities such as the Chevron Soccer Academy and Adopt-A-Family holiday program. The residents of Camphora Apartments (Unincorporated Salinas Valley), Alta and Tower Apartments (Gonzales) are predominantly Latino heritage and identify as extremely low to moderate-income persons.	South County Youth Programs & Services supports Gonzales youth residing in key low income and family apartments, students at Fairview Middle School, Gonzales High School, and Butler Continuation School. We also serve families at Camphora Apartments (Salinas Valley Unincorporated) and middle and high school students in Greenfield. Youth beneficiaries are largely residing in low income housing and/or qualify for their free/reduced lunch meal program.	Today, families in Monterey County need Boys & Girls Clubs more than ever. The COVID-19 pandemic continues to labor uncertain and stressful times for the kids and families we serve. Facing food insecurity, economic turmoil and job loss, and unknown academic loss from gaps in distance learning, the anxiety felt by families is overwhelming. We know first-hand the difference it makes for a kid to have a caring, trusted, trained adult in their corner.	Today, families in Monterey County need Boys & Girls Clubs more than ever. The COVID-19 pandemic continues to labor uncertain and stressful times for the kids and families we serve. Facing food insecurity, economic turmoil and job loss, and unknown academic loss from gaps in distance learning, the anxiety felt by families is overwhelming. We know first-hand the difference it makes for a kid to have a caring, trusted, trained adult in their corner.

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Catholic Charities Diocese of Monterey	Family Supportive Services	Catholic Charities requests \$255,177 to expand the Hope in Home program from a seasonal (November-December) program to year-round. The Hope in Home program complements other Family Supportive Services (FSS) wrap-around services such as, CalFresh, Medical, and P-EBT Outreach and Enrollment. This funding will help provide one-time emergency financial assistance to 132 low-moderate income eligible households living in Unincorporated North Monterey County, Unincorporated Salinas Valley, and Cities of Gonzales and Greenfield. Our primary outcome is homeless prevention.	Catholic Charities of the Diocese of Monterey will provide one-time financial assistance (up to \$1,500 per household) for rent and utilities year-round to low-moderate income households living in Unincorporated North Monterey County, Unincorporated Salinas Valley, and Cities of Gonzales and Greenfield. This funding support will ensure that low- and moderate-income persons remain housed and obtain the resources and tools needed to build long-term economic stability.	Our Hope in Home program reduces homelessness in our community by providing short and long term stability to people on the verge of homelessness. According to the last Monterey Homeless Census, 59% of the people surveyed mentioned that their primary reason for losing their house was job loss or change in income. Our focus is to address this issue. We provide financial rental assistance to people at risk of eviction due to an unforeseen reduction in their income or due to extraordinary expenses.	Our Hope in Home program reduces homelessness in our community by providing short and long term stability to people on the verge of homelessness. According to the last Monterey Homeless Census, 59% of the people surveyed mentioned that their primary reason for losing their house was job loss or change in income. Our focus is to address this issue. We provide financial rental assistance to people at risk of eviction due to an unforeseen reduction in their income or due to extraordinary expenses.
Central Coast Center for Independent Living (CCCIL)	Housing and Independent Living Services to Promote Independence for People with Disabilities	CCCIL is requesting funding to fund south county staff to provide housing and independent living services. Due to the current COVID Pandemic we are predicting we will be receiving more request for services in regarding to housing, disability and financial benefits. By having a dedicated staff to south county it will allow CCCIL to expand services to more underserve areas.	CCCIL will provide services to people with disabilities. By accessing CCCIL services consumers will have more opportunities to increase access to services such as social services, financial benefits, housing supports and housing assistance. CCCIL will assist consumer to live more independently in our community by accessing services and supports they might need to be independent or to secure affordable and accessible housing.	Consumer accessing services from CCCIL will have the opportunity to access services and supports to assist them to improve their living and housing conditions. As well as to increase access to medical program and financial supports.	Consumer accessing services from CCCIL will have the opportunity to access services and supports to assist them to improve their living and housing conditions. As well as to increase access to medical program and financial supports.

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Central Coast YMCA	Pajaro Park Programs	Central Coast YMCA will provide year-round organized sports leagues for children and youth at Pajaro Park, including soccer, T-ball and basketball.	Central Coast YMCAs Pajaro Park youth sports leagues will benefit 260 total youth/192 low income youth who are residents of Pajaro. Census data shows that of roughly 3,000 Pajaro residents, 94.1% are Hispanic/Latino, and 34.8% of the population is under 18. Pajaro lacks community spaces to exercise, and many residents live in crowded housing. Young people in Pajaro will benefit from safe spaces to exercise, leading to improved health and wellness, and lower rates of obesity and diabetes.	Youth Sports leagues including soccer, T-ball and basketball allow youth to enjoy healthy activity, teamwork, and fun and age-appropriate competition in a supportive environment. Through structured activity at Pajaro Park, children and families feel safe in their neighborhood and gain a sense of pride. Programs at the park help develop youth through positive role models, constructive activities, and healthy pastimes that create a more unified, safer community.	Youth Sports leagues including soccer, T-ball and basketball allow youth to enjoy healthy activity, teamwork, and fun and age-appropriate competition in a supportive environment. Through structured activity at Pajaro Park, children and families feel safe in their neighborhood and gain a sense of pride. Programs at the park help develop youth through positive role models, constructive activities, and healthy pastimes that create a more unified, safer community.
Court Appointed Special Advocates (CASA) of Monterey County	CASA CV Program	CASA of Monterey County requests public service funds to support its court-appointed advocacy program for children and youth placed in foster care due to abuse and neglect. Funds will support the efficacy of the program as we expand services to both infants/toddlers and older youth. Funds will help us recruit, train, and support community volunteers who become court-appointed advocates assigned to work with a child referred to the court. Last, funds will support our continuing education program, which ensures that volunteers are equipped to handle changing needs of our children/youth.	CASA of Monterey County provides services to the most vulnerable Monterey County children and youth between the ages of birth to 21 years who have been placed in foster care due to severe abuse, neglect and abandonment. Foster youth ages 18 to 21 years are also known as non-minor dependents and by law may remain in foster care with continued benefits if eligibilities are being met. Children/youth are placed in temporary foster care, until they can secure a permanent, safe home environment.	In the short term CASA volunteers are a reliable adult who the child learns to trust and count on. CASAs teach and model valuable life skills and appropriate social interactions, connect children and youth with educational and community resources, and help youth think about and prepare for the future. In the long term, children with CASAs have better outcomes and stay on track to graduate high school, Positive interactive can help to stem the legacy of abuse and positively impact community	In the short term CASA volunteers are a reliable adult who the child learns to trust and count on. CASAs teach and model valuable life skills and appropriate social interactions, connect children and youth with educational and community resources, and help youth think about and prepare for the future. In the long term, children with CASAs have better outcomes and stay on track to graduate high school, Positive interactive can help to stem the legacy of abuse and positively impact community

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Covia Foundation	Home Match	HM leverages existing housing stock. HM matches ELMI older adults who have a home or apartment with ELMI adults who need an affordable place to live. Elders at risk of losing their homes earn income, gain companionship and help with essential chores enabling them to age in place. Renters attain affordable, vetted and secure housing. In exchange for added chores, rents can be lowered further. All this is achieved at a fraction the cost and time it takes to build or preserve affordable units. The proposed project will safely house 10 at risk older adults.	Our target group is older adults, primarily single females who often live with at least one disability and struggle to maintain or obtain affordable housing. We assist two distinct ELI to MI groups: 1) homeowners/master tenants who are housing insecure, disabled, and/or isolated; 2) home seekers with unstable housing and at risk of homelessness. The vast majority are disproportionately cost burdened and people of color. Benefits are: stabilized and more affordable housing and reduced isolation.	4 unduplicated extremely low to moderate income people age 62+ will have safe, affordable housing. 77% of participants will feel less worried about money, 70% will report having their housing stabilized, 61% will realize monthly savings of \$600+ and 98% percent will recommend the program to a friend or relative.	4 unduplicated extremely low to moderate income people age 62+ will have safe, affordable housing. 77% of participants will feel less worried about money, 70% will report having their housing stabilized, 61% will realize monthly savings of \$600+ and 98% percent will recommend the program to a friend or relative.
Eden Council for Hope and Opportunity	Fair Housing and Tenant/Landlord Services	ECHO proposes to provide fair housing information and education to renters and housing providers, investigate suspected cases of housing discrimination, conduct a systemic audit to uncover housing discrimination, and provide counseling and conciliation to renters and housing providers regarding their rights and responsibilities in rental housing. Additionally, ECHO will conduct presentations, participate in TV/radio interviews, distribute flyers by email and newsletter, and advertise via mass media throughout Monterey County.	Fair Housing and Tenant/Landlord Services help low-income tenants with counseling and investigation regarding discrimination based on federal and state protected classes, or counseling and mediation regarding rental housing rights and responsibilities. ECHO's response to inquiries and complaints may result in amicable resolution or legal enforcement, help tenants make informed decisions regarding their housing, and provides education to landlords regarding legal business practices.	ECHO's goal is to assist renters to access or maintain, housing. The benefits to the community are to: Create awareness of fair housing and tenant/landlord laws; Empower tenants through counseling; Provide education to non-compliant owners; Facilitate dispute resolution for renters and landlords via conciliation or mediation; Foster opportunities for fair housing choice; Preserve and promote accessibility of affordable housing for tenants.	ECHO's goal is to assist renters to access or maintain, housing. The benefits to the community are to: Create awareness of fair housing and tenant/landlord laws; Empower tenants through counseling; Provide education to non-compliant owners; Facilitate dispute resolution for renters and landlords via conciliation or mediation; Foster opportunities for fair housing choice; Preserve and promote accessibility of affordable housing for tenants.

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Girls Inc. of the Central Coast	After School Program	Provide youth development and prevention services to low-income girls, ages 9-18, in North Monterey County and Greenfield through a series of after-school programs at 7 school sites. We will offer 5 age-appropriate programs that (1) encourage girls to pursue a college education and plan for future careers; (2) provide paid internships to program graduates to develop leadership and employment skills, while mentoring younger girls; (3) develop skills in resisting pressure from others to engage in risky behaviors; and (4) promote positive, open communication between mothers and daughters.	Girls Inc. will provide developmentally appropriate after-school programming for girls, ages 9 -18, at 7 elementary, middle and high school sites in North Monterey County and Greenfield. We will hire teens that have graduated from prior years' programs as facilitators and mentors to younger girls. 93% of girls served have been Latina, whose families work in the agricultural or tourist industry. For 90%, the home language is Spanish. A minimum of 85% of families has incomes below \$50,000/year.	High school girls graduate from high school, apply to college, identify a career path and avoid risky behaviors. Teen facilitators develop leadership and mentoring skills, while acquiring tangible job skills and experience. Middle school girls learn how to resist pressure to engage in unwanted sex and drug and alcohol use, gain knowledge on developing healthy relationships, and safely handling stress. Mothers and daughters improve their relationships, communication, and problem-solving skills.	High school girls graduate from high school, apply to college, identify a career path and avoid risky behaviors. Teen facilitators develop leadership and mentoring skills, while acquiring tangible job skills and experience. Middle school girls learn how to resist pressure to engage in unwanted sex and drug and alcohol use, gain knowledge on developing healthy relationships, and safely handling stress. Mothers and daughters improve their relationships, communication, and problem-solving skills.
Interim, Inc.	MCHOME (Street Outreach)	This particular funding will focus on outreaching those homeless individuals in the unincorporated areas of the county as well as in Sand City, Del Rey Oaks, Gonzales, and Greenfield. The homeless population in these areas will benefit as they will get access to mental health services as well as increased access to motel rooms to limit congestion in homeless encampments, and get on the path to housing.	MCHOME is a Full Service Partnership (FSP) program serving adults, age 18 and older, who have psychiatric disabilities, are homeless, & who are extremely or very low income. The goal of a FSP is to provide wrap-around services for individuals with mental illness to enable them to reach their personal goals. Stabilization and housing are the main goals for all clients. Services include: case management, counseling, assistance w social social services apps (Medi-Cal, benefits), referrals, etc.	Interim's MCHOME program will work to outreach the hard to reach mentally ill homeless population, and provide them with the tools to not only stabilize their mental health, but get on the path to housing. A total of 200 bed nights will be provided to those who are receiving needed mental health services, while they prepare for appointments with housing providers, and other medical professionals.	Interim's MCHOME program will work to outreach the hard to reach mentally ill homeless population, and provide them with the tools to not only stabilize their mental health, but get on the path to housing. A total of 200 bed nights will be provided to those who are receiving needed mental health services, while they prepare for appointments with housing providers, and other medical professionals.

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Legal Services for Seniors	Legal Services for Seniors	LSS is proposing to provide direct legal services to 300 low-income seniors in Unincorporated Monterey County and the Cities of Gonzales, Greenfield and Sand City and provide 4 workshops in those locations educating seniors, their families and caregivers, and the general public on issues related to housing security.	LSS provides legal services seniors need but, cannot afford. Many seniors forego legal advice because they cannot pay an attorney up to \$350 per hour in addition to basic necessities of food, clothing, shelter and medical care. Given seniors lack of discretionary funds for legal assistance, equal access to justice remains out of their grasp. LSS helps level the playing field by providing legal representation in courts settings at no charge to our senior clients.	Conditions for seniors will be improved: seniors will feel more secure in their housing and better able to age in place. Extremely low-, very low- and low-income seniors will have access to, and assistance by, licensed, professional attorneys at no cost, which will help maintain and protect seniors consumer and civil rights. Community conditions will be improved: Seniors with secure income and stable housing are less likely to become homeless.	Conditions for seniors will be improved: seniors will feel more secure in their housing and better able to age in place. Extremely low-, very low- and low-income seniors will have access to, and assistance by, licensed, professional attorneys at no cost, which will help maintain and protect seniors consumer and civil rights. Community conditions will be improved: Seniors with secure income and stable housing are less likely to become homeless.
Meals on Wheels Monterey Peninsula Inc.	Home Delivered Meals	To help support Home Delivered Meals program services for low-income, frail, elderly, veteran, and disabled homebound clients and isolating Covid-positive families in Sand City, Del Rey Oaks and Big Sur, Meals on Wheels of the Monterey Peninsula respectfully seeks a CDBG grant at the \$66,477 level. MOWMP anticipates that it will provide 2.5 meals per day to approximately 75+ homebound residents in all areas of Sand City, Del Rey Oaks and Big Sur. The program also includes a daily wellness check from a caring volunteer and daily socialization with that volunteer.	MOWMP anticipates it will serve 75+ frail, elderly, veteran, and disabled homebound clients and isolating Covid-positive families who reside in Sand City, Del Rey Oaks and Big Sur. In 2021, MOWMP made 11,960 deliveries of 2.5 meals (29,900 individual meals) to 46 clients in in these communities. Of those clients, 67% of clients served were women and 33% men. 74% lived alone. Ethnicity: 44% - Caucasian; 26% African American; 11% - Hispanic; and 19% - Other.	The Home Delivered Meals program addresses food insecurity among clients in Monterey County, 73% of whom cite food as their number one need. The program benefits low-income clients who cannot shop or cook for themselves and who have no full-time caregiver in the home to prepare meals. 94% of clients will be low-income and will not have the requisite income to meet their basic needs.	The Home Delivered Meals program addresses food insecurity among clients in Monterey County, 73% of whom cite food as their number one need. The program benefits low-income clients who cannot shop or cook for themselves and who have no full-time caregiver in the home to prepare meals. 94% of clients will be low-income and will not have the requisite income to meet their basic needs.

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Meals on Wheels of the Salinas Valley, Inc.	Meals on Wheels of the Salinas Valley: Home-delivered meal program	We will serve approx. 14 homebound seniors their choice of either 5 or 7 main meals every week for a year. We offer a supplement to the main meals which consists of a large bag of fresh fruits and vegetables, bread, pasta, peanut butter and other non-perishables items such as tuna fish, cereal, soups, and other available items.	Our home-delivered meal program serves homebound seniors, 62 and older, who can't shop or cook for themselves. They live in Gonzales, Greenfield and other unincorporated areas of the Salinas Valley. This service area meets the CDBG National Objective because over 90 percent of our clients in our Rural program (the geographic areas referenced above) live below the Federal Poverty Level. Approx. 14 seniors will have a choice or receiving either 5 or 7 main meals ever week for a year with funding.	Clients are home-bound, low-income seniors who'll benefit from our home-delivered meal service because we deliver a basic need: food. Many of these elderly and isolated community members do not have access to, or the ability to eat nutritious meals on a consistent basis which is essential to their overall health. Receiving regular, nutritious meals weekly will improve their lives by increasing their health and overall well-being, providing that an essential need is being met on a regular basis.	Clients are home-bound, low-income seniors who'll benefit from our home-delivered meal service because we deliver a basic need: food. Many of these elderly and isolated community members do not have access to, or the ability to eat nutritious meals on a consistent basis which is essential to their overall health. Receiving regular, nutritious meals weekly will improve their lives by increasing their health and overall well-being, providing that an essential need is being met on a regular basis.