CITY OF MESA
2021 Emergency Rental and Utility Assistance Program

The City of Mesa Rental and Utility Assistance Program provides financial assistance to households financially impacted by COVID for rent and utility assistance to prevent eviction and homelessness.

Who Qualifies:
- City of Mesa Resident (cannot assist if you live on a County Island in Mesa)
- Impacted by COVID (loss of job, reduced hours, medical expenses, etc.)
- Household Monthly Gross Income is at or below 80% median as shown below:

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<tr>
<th>Number of Household Members</th>
<th>Gross Income not to exceed (50% AMI)</th>
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Priority will be given to households whose income falls within one of the following:
- any adult household member has been unemployed for the last 90 days or longer due to COVID
- the total household income is at or below 50% Area Median Income

Required documentation that will need to be submitted with the completed application:
**please gather your documentation before you start your application**
- Picture ID for Applicant
- Proof of income for all household members (last 60-days)
  - Current and consecutive paystubs
  - Self-employment income - business ledger
  - Social Security or Disability – current benefit letter
  - Retirement/Pension Income – statement
  - Unemployment – award letter and printout of payment history
  - Child Support and Alimony current history print out
  - Cash Assistance – DES benefit letter
  - Other (home daycare, support from family/friends) – statement from the provider
- Current Lease Agreement (all pages)
- Addendum for any expired leases noting the month-to-month terms
- Current Utility Bill (City of Mesa utilities, SRP, and/or Southwest Gas)

The online application and paper applications are available at [https://www.mesaaz.gov/government/mesa-cares](https://www.mesaaz.gov/government/mesa-cares).
For the best experience, please use a modern browser like Edge, Chrome, or Firefox.

If you need assistance to complete the application or prefer a paper application, you may visit MesaCAN:
635 E Broadway Rd, Mesa, AZ 85204 | Monday – Friday, 8:00am-5:00pm.

If you have questions, please call 480-644-5440 or email ERAPinfo@mesaaz.gov for assistance.