



TUSCALOOSA COUNTY HAS BEEN AWARDED FEDERAL FUNDS UNDER THE EMERGENCY FOOD AND SHELTER NATIONAL BOARD PROGRAM.

Tuscaloosa County has been chosen to receive \$101,959 to supplement emergency food and shelter programs in the county.

The selection was made by a national Board that is chaired by the U. S. Department of Homeland Security's Federal Emergency Management Agency and consists of representatives from American Red Cross; Catholic Charities, USA; National Council of the Churches of Christ in the USA; The Jewish Federations of North America; The Salvation Army; and United Way Worldwide. The Local Board was charged to distribute funds appropriated by Congress to help expand the capacity of food and shelter programs in high-need areas around the country.

A Local Board made up of representatives from emergency preparedness agencies, faith-based organizations, FEMA and social service agencies will determine how the funds awarded to Tuscaloosa County are to be distributed among the emergency food and shelter programs run by local service agencies. The Local Board is responsible for recommending agencies to receive these funds and any additional funds made available under this phase of the program.

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 with financial records and procedures of the agency audited annually by an independent public accountant, 4) practice nondiscrimination, 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.

Each agency must provide a copy of the **most recent annual audit/review**, along with the agency's **Board of Directors roster**. Applications (available on next page) must be submitted to Holly Beck by **November 15, 2017**. A pdf version can be emailed to holly@uwwa.org; faxed to 205-345-6681; or mailed to United Way of West Alabama, P. O. Box 2291, Tuscaloosa, AL 35405. For questions please contact Holly Beck at holly@uwwa.org or 205-345-6640.

Tuscaloosa County
Emergency Food and Shelter Program

Application for Funding
(Please do not use handwriting for the information.)

Agency Information

Agency Legal Name:

Agency Mailing Address:

Agency Physical Address:

Agency Phone Number:

Agency Fax Number:

Agency Website:

FEIN:

DUNS Number:

Staff Information

Executive Director of Agency:

ED Phone Number:

Executive Director Email:

Agency Contact for Application Questions:

Phone Number:

Email Address:

Agency Contact for EFSP (if funded):

Miscellaneous Information

Is agency non-profit or unit of government?

Agency total operating budget:

Agency budget for the program area requested (food, rent, utilities, etc.):