

Gov Ron DeSantis – Federal Stimulus continued.....

The federal stimulus package provides \$1.9 trillion in new spending in response to the COVID-19 pandemic. The Act includes “Coronavirus State and Local Recovery Funds,” which provides \$195.3 billion to the States and the District of Columbia.

The Governor’s recommendations include providing assistance to Floridians in need and making major investments in critical areas such as infrastructure, education, and workforce development to continue Florida’s rapid economic recovery.

A top priority of the Governor remains the support and celebration of pandemic first responders and their role in serving the state. The Governor’s recommendations include a one-time \$1,000 direct payment to full-time sworn law enforcement officers, firefighters, paramedics, and emergency medical technicians. The Governor’s recommendations further support Floridians by putting in place a modernized reemployment assistance system to correct critical design flaws and improve the delivery of services to Floridians.