

The following is a list of resources that can be useful to community members in times of navigating the COVID-19 circumstances. Please call ahead to verify service hours.



General Assistance Resources

AGENCY	ADDRESS/PHONE NUMBER	INFORMATION
Department of Human Assistance	Human Assistance 1725 28th Street Sacramento, CA 95816 311 or 916-875-4311	The General Assistance (GA) Program is a loan program designed to provide short-term assistance to indigent adults who are at least eighteen (18) years of age, unemployed or verified unemployable and who have no other means of support.
Department of Human Assistance	916-874-3100 Apply for Cal Fresh online. https://www.mybenefitscalwin.org/	Cal Fresh can help you and your family. Expanding Cal Fresh Benefits to SSI Recipients. Beginning June 1, 2019, SSI Recipients may also receive Cal Fresh food benefits on an EBT card. Cal Fresh (formerly Food Stamps) enables you to buy more food, improve health and nutrition, and stretch your grocery budget,
Department of Human Assistance	https://ha.saccounty.net/benefits/Documents/EBTRestMealsFactSheet.pdf	EBT Restaurant Meals Program The Sacramento County Department of Human Assistance (DHA) is implementing the EBT Restaurant Meals Program on May 1, 2006. With this new program, more than 4,000 elderly, disabled, or homeless people, who receive food stamp benefits in Sacramento County, will be able to purchase prepared hot meals in addition to making their grocery store purchases using their Electronic Benefit Transfer (EBT) card.

Utility Resources

AGENCY	ADDRESS/PHONE NUMBER	INFORMATION
SMUD	6301 S St. Sacramento, CA 95817 Residential customers (English): 1-888-742-7683 Residential customers (Español): 1-866-651-4420	Get help with your bill- We will not disconnect power due to non-payment for all customers. We also offer payment arrangements to help pay your bill. Visit our Website for more information at - https://www.smud.org/en/Corporate/About-us/News-and-Media/Coronavirus-COVID-19
PG&E	Residential Customer Service Center English or Español: 1-877-660-6789	For customers <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • We have implemented a series of billing and service modifications to support customers who have been impacted by the pandemic: <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Suspending service disconnections for non-payment and waiving security deposits. 2. Implementing flexible payment plan options; and 3. Providing additional support for low-income and medical baseline customers. • Go to pge.com/covid19consumerprotections to learn more about our support for customers during these difficult times. Visit our Website for more information at – pge.com
Home Internet	You may qualify for home internet. Only \$10-\$23 a month with some providers offering 60 days of free service.	https://www.everyoneon.org/find-offers?partner=CETF

Economic Relief

Program	INFORMATION
SMALL BUSINESS EMERGENCY ECONOMIC RELIEF LOAN PROGRAM	The City of Sacramento established a \$1 million economic relief fund for businesses affected by COVID-19. Due to the overwhelming response, the City is no longer accepting new applications. If additional funding become available, the application portal will reopen. The City is reviewing applications received and will respond to applicants the week of March 30 https://www.cityofsacramento.org/Economic-Development/Economic-Relief
SMALL BUSINESS HOTLINE	If you have a question about how or where to find business assistance, please contact the City's Office of Innovation and Economic Development staff through the Small Business Hotline at (916) 808-7196 or by emailing smallbusiness@cityofsacramento.org .
TEMPORARY BAN ON RESIDENTIAL & COMMERCIAL TENANTS	The Sacramento City Council adopted an ordinance on March 17 to establish a temporary ban on evicting residential and commercial tenants unable to pay rent due to a loss of income caused by COVID-19. Learn more about the Tenant Protection Program and download delay of rent payment forms.