



**CITY OF SOUTH GATE
 ARPA FUNDED
 FOOD INSECURITY ASSISTANCE
 PROGRAM APPLICATION**

In response to the negative economic impact that the COVID-19 has had on and continues to have on residents, the City of South Gate is implementing an ARPA funded Food Insecurity Assistance Program. The South Gate Food Insecurity Program offers eligible, South Gate households food assistance via grocery deliveries from a local grocer. The program works with Northgate Market to fulfill preset lists of goods. Orders will be picked up and delivered to households once monthly. For the purposes of this program, a household consists of all people living in a residence, regardless of familial relation. The program is made possible from the City’s allocation of American Rescue Act (ARPA) funds from the United States Treasury Department; therefore, residents must meet all requirements to be eligible for the program.

Completed applications may be submitted via mail or dropped off at:

**South Gate City Hall
 Community Development Department
 8650 California Avenue, South Gate, CA 90280**

Questions can be directed to Jose Montano (323) 563-9529

**Applications will be processed on a first-come, first-served basis.
 Applications will be processed until all funding is exhausted**

CHECKLIST

STEP ONE: Determine your eligibility for the program (must be able to check **all** items below to be eligible).

- I am a resident in the City of South Gate.
- My South Gate residence is my primary residence.
- I can demonstrate that my household has been **impacted** or **disproportionately impacted** by the COVID-19 pandemic by providing at least **one** of the following:
SELECT ONLY ONE OPTION
 - My residence address is in a qualified census tract (See Attachment A); **OR**
 - My household income does not exceed the low-or-moderate income limits (See Below for Reference); **OR**
 - A household member receives at least one of the following federal benefits TANF, SNAP, Free- and Reduced- Price Lunch (NSLP), School Breakfast Programs (SBP), Supplemental Security Income (SSI), Head Start or Early Head Start, WIC, Section 8 Vouchers, Low-Income Home Energy Assistance Program (LIHEAP), and Pell Grants

300% Federal Poverty Income Program Limits (2023)								
Persons in Household								
	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8
	\$43,740	\$59,160	\$74,580	\$90,000	\$105,420	\$120,840	\$136,260	\$151,680

STEP TWO: Submit the following documents

- Completed Program Application
- Copy of Government issued Photo Identification (I.D.)
- Attachment A: Qualified Census Tract, if applicable
- Any additional supplemental and income documents requested by staff to determine eligibility

1. APPLICANT INFORMATION

DATE: _____

Applicant Name: _____

Applicant's Address: _____

E-mail: _____

Phone: _____

Household Size: _____

Household Income: _____

2. COVID IMPACT

Please check the statement that best describes how you have been impacted by the COVID-19 pandemic, past or present.

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Please write in the specific federal benefit _____

3. ASSURANCES AND SIGNATURES

I understand and by signing agree that all information I have provided in this application is true and correct to the best of my knowledge. I agree to notify you promptly in writing upon any material change in the information provided herein. You are authorized to make such inquiries, as you deem necessary and appropriate to verify the accuracy of this application.

The information supplied is used strictly for establishing eligibility for the South Gate Food Insecurity Program under ARPA funds. Applicant(s) acknowledge that personal and financial information may be subject to public disclosure under the California Public Records Act. If chosen for funding, applicant will be required to provide financial documentation, including but not limited to tax returns, paystubs, EDD information, and/or other applicable documentation.

Applicant Name

Applicant Signature

Date

Attachment A: Qualified Census Tract

Follow the steps below to determine if your address is in an eligible census tract. Eligible census tracts are determined by the federal government as low-moderate income areas that have been disproportionately affected by the COVID-19 pandemic. If your home address is not in an eligible census tract, staff will ask for additional financial documents to determine your eligibility.

Please complete all the information below.

APPLICANT INFORMATION

Applicant name: _____

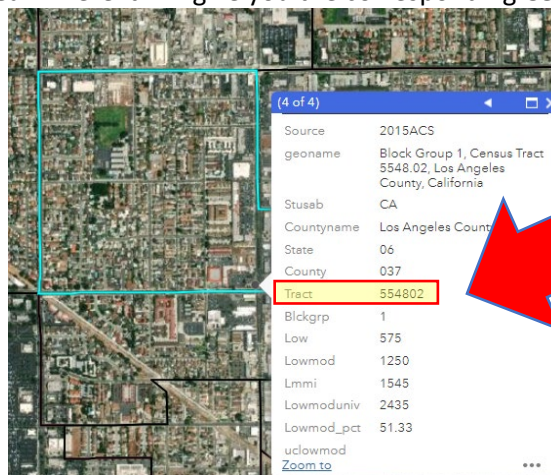
Applicant address: _____

Applicant phone number: _____

DETERMINING CENSUS TRACT & BLOCK GROUP

To determine if your business falls within an eligible census tract/block group, please complete the following steps.

1. Visit the website below:
 - bit.ly/HUD_Tracts
2. At the top, right hand corner search for the address
3. The search should return a map with a blue square. Click right outside of the square.
4. A small pop-up window will appear where it will give you the corresponding **Census Tract**.



5. Please check the corresponding census track / block group number from the list below.

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