

TRIBAL PUBLIC NOTICE

To: Round Valley Indian Tribes - Tribal Membership

From: ^{LW} Lewis Whipple, Executive Director

Re: Indian Community Development Block Grant - American Rescue Plan Act
ICDBG-ARP

Date: September 8, 2021

The Round Valley Indian Housing Authority is hereby notifying the Tribal Community of the Round Valley Indian Tribe's intent to apply for ICDBG-ARP Funds per Notice PIH-2021-22.

All Eligible Activities under this notice are available to prevent, prepare for, or respond to COVID-19 - the same purpose as ICDBG funds provided under the Coronavirus Aid, Relief, and Economic Security (CARES) Act, or ICDBG-CARES Funds.

Round Valley Indian Tribes are eligible per regulations as a Second Tier applicant and will be considered for funding as such.

The ICDBG-ARP Application will include the following prioritized activities.

Heating Ventilation Air-Conditioning (HVAC) Units for 50 homes. Low and Moderate Income households with children, elders, and adults experiencing compromised respiratory issues will be prioritized. Homes considered for HVAC installation will include RVIHA Managed homes and others that were not constructed by RVIHA (HUD funds) that may be completely void of HVAC systems. Tribal homes will need to be retrofitted for HVAC, including vents and duct-work designed to release moisture. Wall heaters will also be considered for homes with smaller square footage.

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Emergency Tribal Food Bank – Renovations

The renovation needs include improved food storage (accessible shelving) space, electrical upgrades to accommodate commercial refrigerators and freezers and Heating Ventilation Air Conditioning system for the entire facility. This request will also include large capacity commercial refrigerators and freezers for maximum food storage.

RVIHA will accept and note comments from Tribal Members concerning this application for funding. However, due to a short timeline for funding consideration all comments will be used to develop funding eligibility and priorities if application is funded.