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Supporting the Public Health Response

Top 3	Programming Impact Area <i>Programs and projects that...</i>	Urgency	Assistance Level			
*	Promote access to healthcare for traditionally underserved individuals	1	■	■	■	■
*	Support mental and emotional health	1	■	■	■	■
*	Retain, develop, and attract a qualified and diverse workforce	2	■	■	■	■
	Support universal access to healthy food and nutrition education	2	■	■	■	■
	Improve access to healthcare for people experiencing homelessness <i>(Consensus achieved to add into the first Impact Area above)</i>	3	■	■		
	Mitigate public health risk for essential workers	3	■			





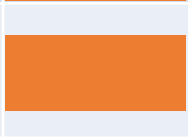
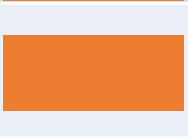
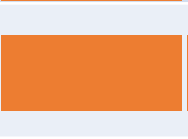
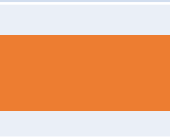


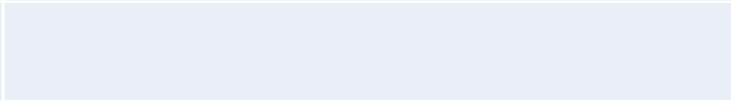

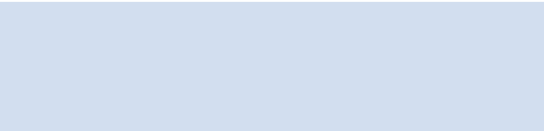
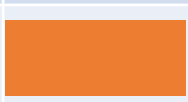
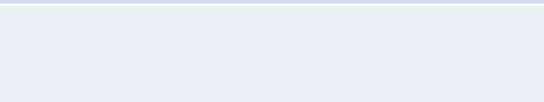




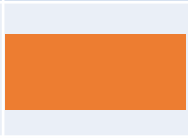
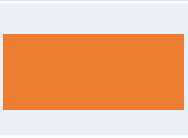
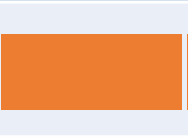
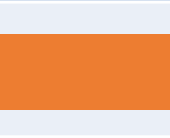
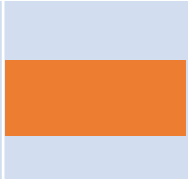

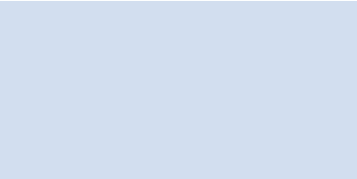
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Assistance to Workers and Families – Education/Workforce/Human Services

Top 3	Programming Impact Area <i>Programs and projects that...</i>	Urgency	Assistance Level			
*	Expand access to affordable, high-speed broadband throughout the City of Albany	1	■	■	■	■
	Increase awareness of, support navigation of and improve access to available services and financial resources		■	■	■	
	Provide mental health support and address social-emotional impacts of the pandemic		■	■	■	
*	Retain, develop and attract a qualified and diverse workforce and emerging/expanding industries and job opportunities		■	■	■	
*	Create efficiency for or sustainability of existing programs producing impactful results	1	■	■	■	■
	Increase access to and affordability of quality, holistic childcare options		■	■	■	

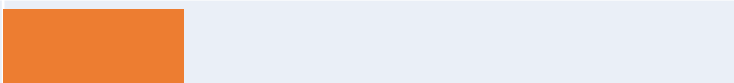




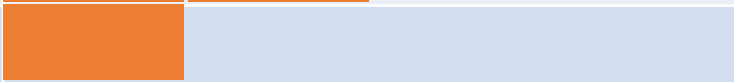

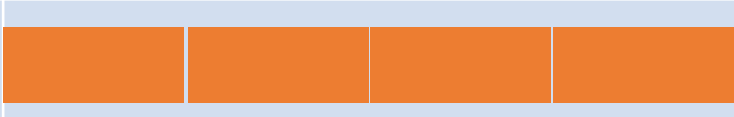
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Assistance to Workers and Families – Housing/Transportation/Community Revitalization

Top 3	Programming Impact Area <i>Programs and projects that...</i>	Urgency	Assistance Level			
	Invest in implementation of neighborhood revitalization strategies	2				
*	Target public infrastructure improvements in distressed census tracts and disinvested neighborhoods	1				
	Encourage use of and spending at local businesses	1				
	Retain, develop and attract a qualified and diverse workforce	3				
	Increase awareness of, support navigation of and improve access to available services and financial resources	2				
	Improve public safety	1				
	Support quality and affordable housing opportunities <i>(Highlighted text was recommended by Working Group)</i>	1				
*	Support local real estate development investments that advance community revitalization goals	2				
*	Enhance alternative transportation use and increase accessibility and equity in transportation options <i>(Highlighted text was recommended by Working Group)</i>	1				

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Small Business Support

Top 3	Programming Impact Area <i>Programs and projects that...</i>	Urgency	Assistance Level
	Provide technical and access to information for small businesses and entrepreneurs <i>(Consensus achieved to combine this with the 2nd Impact Area below)</i>	1	N/A – combined with next Impact Area
*	Provide flexible financial assistance for a diverse array of small business needs	1	
	Support entrepreneurship opportunities and start-up businesses, particularly for individuals unemployed due to the pandemic	2	
	Focus on financial support for businesses with ongoing reopening restrictions challenges <i>(Highlighted text was recommended by Working Group)</i>	3	
	Retain, develop and attract a qualified and diverse workforce	1	
	Stabilize inventory costs resulting from supply chain disruption/market gaps	2	
	Encourage use of and spending at local businesses	3	
*	Develop supportive and flexible legislation, regulations and code	2	
*	Improve the quality of place in Albany’s commercial districts, including gateways and all connecting streets <i>(Highlighted text was recommended by Working Group)</i>	1	
	Expand access to commercial kitchen space for entrepreneurs or expanding businesses <i>(Consensus achieved to add this into the 2nd Impact Area above)</i>	1	N/A – combined with second Impact Area

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Tourism/Travel/Hospitality/Arts Recovery

Top 3	Programming Impact Area <i>Programs and projects that...</i>	Urgency	Assistance Level			
*	Provide flexible financial assistance and technical support for hospitality, arts & cultural entities <i>(Highlighted text was recommended by Working Group)</i>	1	■	■	■	■
*	Increase awareness of and equitable access to existing arts and cultural venues for residents of all ages	2	■	■	■	■
	Focus on marketing and financial support for businesses and organizations with ongoing reopening restrictions challenges <i>(Highlighted revisions to text were recommended by Working Group)</i>	2	■			
*	Promote public safety and Enhance the connectivity and navigability from destination-to-destination and promote public safety <i>(Highlighted revisions to text were recommended by Working Group)</i>	1	■	■	■	■
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