



Southwest Michigan Planning Commission

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EDA American Rescue Plan Act Funding Consideration Submission Form (v3 -2021)

Email completed forms to Jerrid Burdue, burduej@swmpc.org

1. Applicant

2. Project Title

3. Project Contact (designated individual)

Name

Email Address

Phone Number

4. Proposed project location (city, village, or township)

5. Briefly explain how the proposed project would "prevent, prepare for, and respond to coronavirus" or respond to "economic injury as a result of coronavirus."

6. Which EDA investment priorities does this project address? (<https://www.eda.gov/about/investment-priorities/>)

- ☐ Recovery & Resilience
- ☐ Critical Infrastructure
- ☐ Workforce Development & Manufacturing
- ☐ Exports and Foreign Direct Investment
- ☐ Opportunity Zones

7. Explain how this project addresses the investment priorities listed in Q6.

8. Which goals outlined in the Comprehensive Economic Development Strategy (CEDS) does this project address? (https://www.swmpc.org/eda_eaa.asp)

Livability for Talent Attraction - promote a diverse environment that creates an excellent quality of life for talent

Education & Training - attract, retain, and develop a high-quality workforce

Infrastructure - create, improve, and maintain services and infrastructure

Support Business - support and meet the needs of current, new, and emerging businesses

Coordination - promote better coordination among different economic development groups

9. Which actions or objectives outlined in the CEDS are addressed by the project?

10. Projected number of permanent jobs created (do not count contractors for design/construction work)

11. If job creation is expected, please elaborate (average wages, sectors, etc.)

12. Projected number of jobs retained

13. Identify employment impacts of project

Community

Adjacent communities

County

Region

14. Will the proposed project lead to private investment?

Yes

No

15. Have matching funds been secured?

Yes

No

16. Who owns the site's property?

17. Total Project Cost

18. EDA Share

19. Local Share

18. Project Description (if you have drawing, tables, or other graphics, please include them in the email with this form)