## **CRRSAA INFORMATION**

- Minnesota West Community and Technical College (MWCTC) completed the required certification to receive funding from the Coronavirus Response and Relief Supplemental Appropriations Act (CRRSAA).
- 2. MWCTC has received \$2,583,493 in CRRSAA funding. \$536,047 of these funds will be distributed to students through Emergency Financial Aid Grants.
- 3. As of March 16th, 2021, MWCTC has distributed \$537,800 in the form of direct and emergency grants to students with demonstrated need according to their calculated Estimated Family Contribution (EFC) as determined by their completed 2020-2021 Free Application for Federal Student Aid (FAFSA).
- 4. Direct grants of \$500 were distributed to 746 students with EFCs below \$18,616 (the cost of attendance for 2 semesters at MWCTC). Of those students, 513 were Pell-eligible.
- 5. Students with a calculated Estimated Family Contribution (EFC) of \$351 to \$18,616 received a supplemental award. This resulted in 402 students receiving a supplemental award.
- 6. The supplemental awards were divided into 2 tiers. Tier 1 were eligible students who as of March 1<sup>st</sup> were registered for 6-10 credits. Tier 2 were eligible students who as of March 1<sup>st</sup> were registered for 11+ credits.
- 7. Supplemental Tier 1 awards were awarded for the amount of \$250. Supplemental Tier 2 awards were awarded for the amount of \$400. Students falling into the Supplemental Tier 1 category were awarded a total of \$750 and students falling into the Supplemental Tier 2 category were awarded a total of \$900. Students with questions about receiving direct grant funds may contact the MWCTC Financial Aid office at <a href="mailto:financialaid@mnwest.edu">financialaid@mnwest.edu</a>.
- 8. The remaining \$18,747 will be distributed to students through application-based Student Emergency Fund grants. Funds are being prioritized to serve students with exceptional need as related to the Cost of Attendance at the College (tuition, food, housing, health care, and childcare) for an amount up to \$500.
- 9. Beginning March 8th, students may apply for CRRSAA emergency funds. The emergency grant application can be found on the COVID-19 informational page https://www.mnwest.edu/covid
- 10. Students with questions about applying for the Student Emergency Fund may e-mail financialaid@mnwest.edu.
- 11. Eligibility criteria for CRRSAA funding was determined based on guidance from the U.S. Department of Education and the Minnesota State Colleges and Universities Office of General Counsel.

	Number of Awards	Amount of Award	Total Spent
Base Award	746	\$500	\$373,000
Supplemental Award #1	110	\$250	\$27,500
Supplemental Award #2	292	\$400	\$116,800
		Total Amount Awarded	\$517,300
Emergency Grant Awards 3/16/2021	42 - Award ID 10307 - Student Funds	18,747	\$536,047
Emergency Grant Awards 3/19/2021	79 - Award ID 10309 - Institutional Funds	\$39,253.00	\$575,300
Emergency Grant Awards 3/22/2021	9 - Award ID 10309 - Institutional Funds	\$4,500.00	\$579,800
Emergency Grant Awards 3/23/2021	2 - Award ID 10309 - Institutional Funds	\$1,000.00	\$580,800
Emergency Grant Awards 3/25/2021	18 - Award ID 10309 - Institutional Funds	\$9,000.00	\$589,800
Emergency Grant Awards 3/30/2021	6 - Award ID 10309 - Institutional Funds	\$3,000.00	\$592,800
Emergency Grant Awards 4/6/2021	3 - Award ID 10309 - Institutional Funds	\$1,500.00	\$594,300
Emergency Grant Awards 4/12/2021	3 - Award ID 10309 - Institutional Funds	\$1,500.00	\$595,800
Emergency Grant Awards 4/14/2021	2 - Award ID 10309 - Institutional Funds	\$1,000.00	\$596,800
Emergency Grant Awards 4/19/2021	1 - Award ID 10309 - Institutional Funds	\$500.00	\$597,300
Emergency Grant Awards 4/22/2021	3 - Award ID 10309 - Institutional Funds	\$1,500.00	\$598,800
Emergency Grant Awards 4/27/2021	2 - Award ID 10309 - Institutional Funds	\$1,000.00	\$599,800

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		Total Amount Awarded	636,300	
Summer Emergency Grant Awards 6/17/2021	49 - Award ID 10309 - Institutional Funds	\$24,500.00	\$636,300	
Summer Emergency Grant Awards 5/24/2021	23 - Award ID 10309 - Institutional Funds	\$11,500.00	\$611,800	
Emergency Grant Awards 4/29/2021	1 - Award ID 10309 - Institutional Funds	\$500.00	\$600,300	