

STATE OF NEW HAMPSHIRE OFFICE OF THE GOVERNOR

June 9, 2021

Taylor Caswell Director Governor's Office of Emergency Relief and Recovery 100 North Main Street, Suite 100 Concord, N.H. 03301

Dear Director Caswell,

Pursuant to my authority under RSA 21-P:43; RSA 4:45; RSA 4:47; and Executive Order 2020-04, as extended by Executive Orders 2020-05, 2020-08, 2020-09, 2020-10, 2020-14, 2020-15, 2020-16, 2020-17, 2020-18, 2020-20, 2020-21, 2020-23, 2020-24, 2020-25, 2021-01, 2021-02, 2021-04, 2021-05, 2021-06, 2021-08, and 2021-10 I have approved your written request, in attachment, to take the following actions related to the CARES Act Coronavirus Relief Funds:

- 1. Authority for the Governor's Office for Emergency Relief and Recovery (GOFERR) to expend \$10,000,000 in Coronavirus Aid, Relief, and Economic Security (CARES) Act Coronavirus Relief Funds (CRF) for the purpose of facilitating the COVID Expense Relief Program and disburse funds to award recipients. Budgeted consistent with the request, in attachment, effective through December 31, 2021. (100% Federal Funds)
- 2. Authority for GOFERR to expend up to an additional \$15,000,000 in CARES Act funding returned to the State through recoupment in the Main Street Relief Program and Self-Employed Livelihood Fund programs, as of September 1, 2021, for the purpose of bolstering and extending the Business Expenses Relief Program. Budgeted consistent with the request, in attachment, effective through December 31, 2021. (100% Federal Funds)

The Department of Administrative Services is authorized to take the actions necessary to effectuate this authorization.

Sincerely,

Christopher T. Sununu

Governor

CC: Charles Arlinghaus, Commissioner, Department of Administrative Services