

DEFRA Emergency Assistance Grant for Food and Supplies

District / Borough / City

Tendring District Council

Amount allocated

Item	Planned month of spend (12 weeks to 26th October)	Provider used	Type of support provided	Planned spend £	% of planned spend on admin costs
1	September	Morrisons & Tesco. Stores located across the district and large stores with good selection.	Shopping vouchers purchased & held by TDC. Allocated to those who have been required to self isolate for surgery or test & Trace. Only where they do not meet any of the criteria for priority delivery slots and are in financial hardship	8,390	0
2	September	Tendring Eldercare	Provided emergency food packages during lockdown and will continue in the event of local lockdowns	6,000	0
3	September	Jaywick Resource Centre	Supporting families in Jaywick during lockdown with ready meals, particularly the elderly	4,000	0
4	September	Harwich Helps	Provided food packages during lockdown. Supporting local families with food parcels	4,000	0

5	September	CVS	Supporting local families with food parcels throughout Covid	5,000	0
6	September	Local food banks	support with anticipated increased demand	3000	0
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Guidelines

<https://www.gov.uk/government/publications/coronavirus-covid-19-local-authority-emergency-assistance-grant-for-food-and-essential-supply>

Timeline

Spending plan to be returned by 19th August

Final spend analysis to be returned by 26th October

Please send returns to clare.alexander@essex.gov.uk

£30,390

Criteria used to assess claims	Level of demand for support before lockdown	Processes used to maintain equality and reduce fraud
Triage at point of call into hubs	none	Max allowance £50 per household. Unused vouchers at the end of financial year will be donated to local food bank or suitable charity. Confirmation of voucher spent will be added to TDC app so that allowance is not breached.
Triage at point of call into hubs	operating as a day centre	Signed SLA which will include spend analysis. Trusted partner throughout lockdown. Unused funds may be used to support their lunch club after Covid or for costs already incurred during lockdown.
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To cover costs already incurred & moving forwards	Charity providing support work, assisted with food parcels during lockdown	Signed SLA which will include spend analysis. Trusted partner throughout lockdown. To support costs already incurred and any additional costs throughout winter
pick ups from local food bank & deliver if required	none	Trusted Partner.

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