

MINUTES
Emergency Assistance Committee
March 5, 2020

Present: Carolyn Bottum, Lorraine Fiore, Jane Thomas, Wendy Kusik, Joan Ingersoll, Jennifer Coon

The meeting was called to order by Carolyn Bottum at 3:15 pm.

The minutes of February 14, 2020 were approved.

One request for assistance was approved.

The following new guidelines were approved:

- There will be no more household limits
- Each person will be eligible for \$1500 per year and \$2000 per lifetime. Expenses that are truly household – such as rent or utilities – will be divided among the adult members of the household equally and this amount will count towards their annual and lifetime limits.
- These limits will increase automatically each year by the Social Security COLA but may be increased more by vote of the Committee.

The meeting was adjourned at 3:30 pm.