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## Hopi Tribe Pandemic Recovery Committee Announcement

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## Submitted by Racheal Povatah, HTPRC Secretary

**Kykotsmovi**, **Ariz.-July 20**, **2023** The Hopi Tribe Pandemic Recovery Committee (HTPRC) announcement on July 14 was to inform folks about the progress the Committee is making which included:

- Funding provided to Villages or other entities that propose to undertake projects using the Fiscal Recovery Fund (FRF). Funding is still available and HTPRC is continuing to accept applications. Applications and Eligible Cost guidelines are on <a href="https://hopi-nsn.us">https://hopi-nsn.us</a>.
- The Hopi Tribal Council approved electronic (on-line) submission of applications for the General Welfare Emergency Assistance Program (GWEAP) which is funds for eligible enrolled Tribal members. This may make it easier to apply.
  - o The on-line submission <u>was not</u> utilized during the disbursement of the CARES funds. Paper applications will also be available & accepted.
  - Eligibility determination: Must be age 18 years old by December 31, 2022
  - o Applications <u>ARE NOT</u> available at this time. Committee is working on the details of developing the application, amount to be distributed, etc.
- Announcements will be made through different media: Hopi Tribe webpage, FMCV
  The Crier, Hopi Tutuveni, KUYI Hopi Radio and by sharing through your own social
  media, Facebook, etc.

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