

SHEPHERDSTOWN GRANT COMMITTEE

MINUTES - February 3, 2021, 10:00am - Zoom

*CALL TO ORDER: 10:00am

*Chris Stroeck, Mary Fortuna, D.W. Gregory

*VISITORS: Marianne Davis - Shepherdstown Shares

*NEW BUSINESS:

*Discussion regarding CARES Act / Community Block Grant funding

*The committee had preliminary discussions regarding the COVID relief funding available pursuant to the CARES Act.

*M. Davis reported that the food pantry is serving 29 adults who reside in Town. Pantry opened in Oct. 2020 - will grant be retroactive? Need data from Shares for applications.

*No amount is too small - residents have been impacted by COVID - restaurant closures, CATF, tourism, etc.

*Housing Grant - Can Shares administer? Can we ask for \$10K / month? Need to research requirements of Citizen Participation Plan. Shares to consider this program and get back with us.

*Emergency Services Grant - will not apply at this time.

*ADJOURN: 11:00am