# **Pinellas CARES**

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#### **Our Vision:**

To Be the Standard for Public Service in America

## **Community Input**



### **Broad Community Input on CARES fund uses**

**Short Online Survey - June 5-14** 

Large sample size yielded no representation issues in age, gender, or race/ethnicity

Live, Online Community Conversation – June 12

#### What We Heard:

Assistance to individuals, families, and local businesses is top priority

Public health mitigation and response is a significant concern

**Opportunities to improve initial CARES programs** 

New and creative ideas

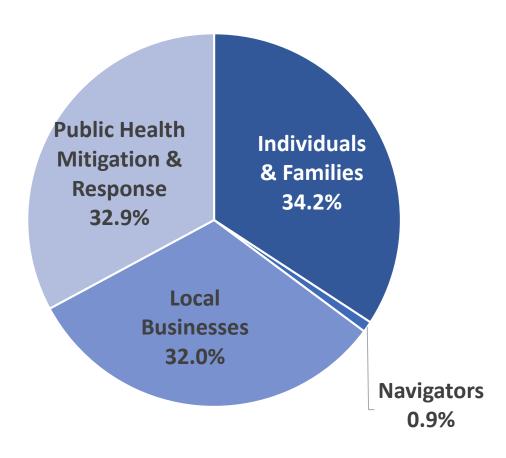
### Pinellas CARES Framework



Expand Pinellas CARES programs to equitably address the most pressing needs resulting from COVID-19:

- Economic Recovery and Resiliency for individuals, families, and local businesses
- Public Health Mitigation and Response to slow community spread

Provide flexibility to adapt and respond



## **Individuals and Families**



	Estimated Investment
Financial assistance with overdue rent/mortgage and utility payments for individuals and families that have lost income as a result of COVID-19	\$26.2M
Support not-for-profit organizations providing services directly related to COVID-19	\$30.0M
Workforce reemployment, retraining, and placement for residents that suffered economic impact due to COVID-19	\$2.0M

## **Local Businesses**



	Estimated Investment
Grants to bridge the gap for local businesses most impacted as a result of COVID-19	\$26.2M
Grants to licensed childcare facilities to mitigate impact of low enrollment & increased costs as a result of COVID-19	\$5.0M
Reimbursement matching grants up to \$10,000 to assist Target Industry businesses in implementing COVID-19 related health and safety precautions	\$5.0M
Micro-grants via Creative Pinellas to support professional artists, arts/creative businesses, and non-profit arts organizations experiencing COVID-19 related loss	\$2.5M
Business diversity micro-grant program to provide financial assistance and capacity building for businesses impacted by COVID-19 with barriers to participation	\$5.0M





	Estimated Investment
Build local capacity for testing, contact tracing, skilled nursing, personal protective equipment (PPE), community health educators, and other public health measures	\$43.0M
Reimbursement of local government costs incurred related to COVID-19 mitigation and response	\$12.9M