

CARES Act HEERF Reporting Disclosure – August 24, 2020 Hannibal-LaGrange University – Department of Education – CARES Act – Higher Education Emergency Relief Fund (HEERF) Section 18004 Reporting Disclosure As provided for by the Department of Education (DOE) as a provision of the CARES Act, Hannibal-LaGrange University (HLGU) has received funds and distributed those funds directly to students to assist them with emergency financial relief related to the disruption of campus operations due to the coronavirus. These grants are intended to be used by students for food, housing, course materials, technology, health care, and childcare.

HLGU was awarded \$759,488 from the DOE under this program on 4/26/2020. The DOE has required institutions to use no less than 50 percent (\$379,744) of the total funds received from Section 18004 provisions to go directly to students to provide emergency relief as described above.

HLGU signed the Certification and Agreement for the first 50% (\$379,744) of these funds provided for under Section 18004(a)(1) on April 20, 2020 and these funds were received from the DOE on April 26, 2020.

HLGU signed the Certification & Agreement for the second half of these funds (\$379,744) on April 23, 2020. These funds were drawn down on July 1, 2020 and have been accounted and used for lost revenue. HLGU will also utilize these funds to cover costs associated with significant changes to the delivery of instruction, PPE for the opening of the Fall 2020 semester and to accommodate both in seat and approved remote instruction for HLGU students.

HLGU sent checks directly to 201 full-time residential eligible students with notification to each student that a grant was being distributed on May 1, 2020.

The Department of Education allows each institution to set up their own criteria for these awards. HLGU's criteria for CARES Act funds specify that eligible students are those who had filed a Free Application for Federal Student Aid (FAFSA) for the 2019-2020 academic year and were eligible for federal aid. HLGU sent a second distribution on May 11, 2020, to full-time commuter eligible students with notification to each student that a grant was being distributed.

A total of 212 residential students and 210 commuter students have now received a grant. The residential student grant was \$1,500 as their need due to COVID-19 disruption required additional housing and food costs. The commuter student grant was \$300. HLGU has distributed a total of \$381,000.

Information concerning this program and HLGU's distribution can be found via the following link to HLGU's website: <http://www.hlg.edu/student-life/coronavirus>