CARES Act HEERF Reporting Disclosure – February 22, 2021 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 also received a 2<sup>nd</sup> round of funds on January 17, 2021 to be distributed to students.

HLGU was awarded \$1,973,908 from 18004(a)(1) in both Student Aid (\$759,488) and Institutional Aid (\$1,214,420) and \$37,647 from 18004(a)(2) SIP for a total of \$2,011,555.

HLGU signed the Certification and Agreement for these funds provided for under Section 18004(a)(1) on April 20, 2020.

HLGU signed the Certification & Agreement for the second half of these funds on April 23, 2020. These funds have been accounted and used for instructional equipment and supplies, purchasing additional equipment or software to enable distance learning, campus safety and operations, PPE due to coronavirus and lost revenue from tuition and non-tuition sources.

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.

HLGU will be distributing CARES Act Grants to eligible full-time and part-time students in March 2021 for the spring semester. Eligibility will be determined by those eligible for federal aid.

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