

## **State Technical College of Missouri Higher Education Emergency Relief Fund Reporting**

On May 6, 2020, the Office of Postsecondary Education published requirements for Higher Education Emergency Relief Fund (HEERF) reporting. Reporting for HEERF funds distributed to the State Technical College of Missouri will begin 30 days from the U.S. Department of Education awarded grant documents and each 45 days thereafter.

### **Reporting: 30-DAY REPORT: September 30, 2020**

1. On April 9, 2020, the Certification and Agreement were signed and returned to the Department of Education. State Technical College of Missouri will use no less than 50 percent of the funds received under Section 18004(a)(1) of the CARES Act to provide Emergency Financial Aid Grants to students. The College's Higher Education Emergency Relief Funding was awarded on April 24, 2020. The College began awarding Higher Education Emergency Relief Funding on May 8, 2020 and all funds were disbursed as of May 27, 2020.
2. The total amount of funds that the institution will receive from the Department pursuant to the institution's Certification and Agreement [for] Emergency Financial Aid Grants to Students is \$1,364,179.
3. As of May 27, 2020, the total amount of Emergency Financial Aid Grants distributed to students under Section 18004(a)(1) of the CARES Act is \$682,090. All funds were drawn as of May 27, 2020. No funds were available to be drawn in the third quarter 2020.
4. The total number of students at the institution eligible to participate in programs under Section 484 in Title IV of the Higher Education Act of 1965 and thus eligible to receive Emergency Financial Aid Grants to students under Section 18004(a)(1) of the CARES Act is 1,216. These students received a survey to indicate they had a need for funding.
5. The total number of students who have received an Emergency Financial Aid Grant to students under Section 18004(a)(1) of the CARES Act is 628.
6. The method(s) used by the institution to determine which students receive Emergency Financial Aid Grants and how much they would receive under Section 18004(a)(1) of the CARES Act.

- The State Technical College of Missouri CARES Act grant provided an opportunity to apply for an emergency one-time grant. Eligible students must be full-time Title IV eligible Pell students enrolled in the spring term. Eligible students had the ability to complete a survey weighting the percentage of distribution to each individual student. Only students enrolled full-time as of March 22, 2020 and eligible to receive Title IV aid based on implementation guidance provided by the U.S. Department of Education met the criteria to receive the survey
  - April 22, 2020 and April 30, 2020, students received e-mails explaining the process to receive the grant and the May 1, 2020 deadline to complete the survey.

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1. Any instructions, directions, or guidance provided by the institution to students concerning the Emergency Financial Aid Grants.

