

## **The CARES Act Higher Education Emergency Relief Fund Report June 22, 2020**

**Student Aid 45-day Report** (ED-GRANTS-041020-003) date requested April 8, 2020. A 30-day report was made on May 8, 2020. This is the 45-day report, date for **June 22, 2020**

Report regarding Grays Harbor College participation in Section 18004(e) of the Coronavirus Aid, Relief, and Economic Security Act (“CARES Act” or the “Act”), Higher Education Emergency Relief Fund Reporting- Emergency Financial Aid Grants to Students

1. On April 8, 2020 Grays Harbor College completed and submitted to the Department the Certification and Agreement and the assurance that the institution has used, or intends to 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. (CARES Act Aid).
2. Grays Harbor College has received **\$651,697** from the Department Education Emergency Financial Aid Grants to Students.
3. As of June 22, 2020 Grays Harbor College has distributed **\$381,471.85** of the CARES Act Aid.
4. Grays Harbor College estimates that **618** 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.
5. As of June 22, 2020 Grays Harbor College has awarded CARES Act Aid to **545** students under Section 18004(a)(1) of the CARES Act.
6. Grays Harbor College uses an Emergency Assistance Application located on the Student Life web page (see below), to determine program eligibility. The amounts of student awards vary. As of June 22, 2020 the average amount award has been **\$699.95**
7. Instructions for the application are located at <https://www.ghc.edu/studentlife/emergency- assistance>

**Higher Education Emergency Relief Fund-Institutional Portion** (ED-GRANTS-042120-004) Funds requested on April 21, 2020, no reporting set by the Department of Education

**Higher Education Emergency Relief Fund-Strengthening Institutions Program** (ED-GRANTS-043020-004) Funds requested May 6, 2020, no reporting set by the Department of Education