

Utility Hardship Waiver Application

The City of Sand Point Utility Hardship Relief program is intended to assist and support city utility residential customers who are unable to pay their utilities due to financial hardship caused by the COVID-19 pandemic. The program is not competitive nor first-come, first-served. All applicants meeting all eligibility criteria shall be entitled to a waiver of or reduction in their September through December 2020 city utility bills. The City of Sand Point anticipates a total of \$56,135 will be available for relief to city utility residential customers suffering such financial hardship. Waivers will be for the full monthly utility amount, but the City reserves the right to limit the waiver to stay within the funds available. Applications must be received or postmarked by **5pm September 4**th, **2020.**

Section 1 - Applicant Infor	mation			
Name on account:				
	City:	State:	Zip:	
Contact phone number: Contact email address:				
Section 2 – Applicant Inform	mation			
Are you experiencing an economic hardship due to the COVID-19 public health emergency and in need of assistance with your City of Sand Point utility payments for the months of September through December?				
			□ Yes □ No	

Applications must be received or postmarked by <u>5 p.m. on September 4th</u>, and may be submitted by email to: <u>grants@sandpointak.org</u> or hand-delivered or mailed to Sand Point City Hall at 249 Main Street, Sand Point, AK 99661, Attn: Grant Review Committee. Applications may be amended

before the deadline. Incomplete applications will be rejected. Applicants will be notified of the status of their application via email to the contact person listed on the application. Questions about the grant program, application process, or application status must be directed to Jordan Keeler, City Administrator, 274-7561, or email ikeeler@sandpointak.org. If the demand for relief exceeds the City's available funds, the City reserves the right to prorate utility relief to all eligible applicants to stay within available funding. It is the sole responsibility of the applicant to determine or to seek independent advice as to the tax implications of receiving the grant funds.

I certify that the information provided in this application is true and accurate. I also understand that a person commits a misdemeanor crime if, with the intent to mislead a public servant in the performance of a duty, the person submits a false written or recorded statement that the person does not believe to be true in an application for a benefit.

Signed:	Date:		
Print Name:			