Hunger Solutions Minnesota secured $250,000 in emergency COVID-19 funds in April from the Minnesota Disaster Recovery Fund through the Minnesota Council on Foundations and Saint Paul & Minnesota Foundation.

Funds were made available to food shelves and community-based hunger relief partners working to address emerging community needs and service gaps due to the COVID-19 crisis. An equity lens was applied to the grant review process to address food system inequities that have been exacerbated by this current crisis. The purpose of these funds was to address the most pressing and immediate needs statewide.

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