



# NEWS RELEASE

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### ST. CHARLES COUNTY GOVERNMENT OFFERS NON-PROFIT AGENCIES PPE ASSISTANCE

**ST. CHARLES COUNTY, MO** – St. Charles County is making available limited quantities of Personal Protective Equipment (PPE) at no cost to non-profit organizations operating in and serving individuals within the county under the Coronavirus Aid, Relief, and Economic Security (CARES) Act. Organizations meeting the criteria below should make application to the County between June 10 and 19, 2020, at [sccmo.org/NonprofitPPE](https://sccmo.org/NonprofitPPE).

Eligible entities are:

- Non-profit organizations in good standing with the Missouri Secretary of State's Office.
- Non-profit agencies that provide direct services to vulnerable populations (elderly, disabled, disadvantaged youth, etc.) with a service provision that requires sustained and direct personal contact between the service provider and client.
- Non-profit agencies operating in, and providing services to, clients within St. Charles County; PPE must be used to assist vulnerable populations residing in St. Charles County.

Within five working days of the application closing on June 19, St. Charles County will allocate PPE to agencies based on supply, and the County will notify each agency with a pickup time and location. PPE may include masks, gloves, bouffant caps, face shields, gowns and shoe covers. The County will make every effort to fill all orders; however, due to the high volume of requests and limited supply on hand, each order may not be filled completely.

Agencies are advised to email [covid19logistics@sccmo.org](mailto:covid19logistics@sccmo.org) with any questions.

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#### **About St. Charles County:**

*Founded in 1812, St. Charles County is one of the fastest growing counties in Missouri, and the state's third largest county in both population and economic share. It is home to 15 scenic county parks encompassing more than 3,643 acres with additional land under development and more in reserve for future development.*

*With a population of 395,504, St Charles County is home to large employers including General Motors, Citi, MasterCard Worldwide and Boeing. It is ranked among the top 25 counties in the nation in high-tech job growth by the Progressive Policy Institute and consistently has the lowest unemployment rate in the Metropolitan St. Louis area.*

*St. Charles County Government employs nearly 1,100 in more than 30 departments and offices, who work to make the county an excellent place to live, work and shop. For more information, please visit [sccmo.org](https://sccmo.org).*