Economic Relief Resources

Government Resources

- **Stimulus Package.** Most Americans will receive a one-time payment of $1200; more people will qualify for unemployment benefits; and small businesses, hospitals and industries like airlines may receive financial assistance. The bill was passed on Friday, March 27. For a summary of the bill, click here.

- **Families First Coronavirus Response Act.** This package responds to the growing health and economic crises with provisions for paid sick leave, free testing and expanded unemployment benefits. See congress.gov , irs.gov and NPR for more details.

- **HUD/FHA.** The U.S. Department of Housing and Urban Development (HUD) authorized the Federal Housing Administration (FDA) to implement an immediate foreclosure and eviction moratorium for single family home owners with FHA-insured mortgages for the next 60 days. Click here for more details.

- **Small Business Assistance.** See sba.gov for more details, or visit our dedicated SBA Disaster Assistance Loans webpage.

- **FEMA.** The Federal Emergency Management Agency. Nevada Covid-19: Emergency Declaration declared for Nevada on March 13, 2020**.**

- **Taxes**. The Treasury Department has announced that Tax Day will be moved from April 15 to July 15. No interest or penalties will be charged for filing during this extended window, but any American expecting refunds or credits may claim now to get their money sooner.

- **Food Assistance.** Check the USDA's website for the latest on food and nutritional service programs.

- **Student Loans**. The Department of Education is temporarily waiving all interest on federally held student loans. Secretary Betsy DeVos has also directed federal lenders to allow borrowers to suspend their student loan payments without penalty for at least the next 60 days.

- **Lower Rates**. The US Fed lowered interest rates, which means you can get better borrowing terms when you buy or refinance a house. Credit card and other interest rates may also be lower. See what Bankrate has to say about lowered interest rates.