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RENTAL ASSISTANCE

In partnership with the County of Santa Barbara and the City of Santa Barbara, United Way is offering rental assistance grants to eligible individuals and families impacted by COVID-19. Eligible applicants must meet specific requirements.

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INDIVIDUAL FINANCIAL ASSISTANCE

United Way, the Santa Barbara Foundation, and Hutton Parker Foundation are leading a countywide collaborative to provide cash relief grants for individuals, families, and nonprofits impacted by COVID-19. United Way is also partnering with Family Service Agency in this effort.

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CITY OF GOLETA FINANCIAL ASSISTANCE

To support COVID-19 relief efforts in Goleta, United Way has partnered with the City of Goleta to award assistance grants to city residents of up to $1,000 for individuals and up to $2,000 for families who are experiencing hardship related to COVID-19.

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