

CERTIFICATION OF LOCAL GOVERNMENT APPROVAL

FOR NONPROFIT ORGANIZATIONS APPLYING FOR

EMERGENCY SOLUTIONS GRANT (ESG) FUNDS FOR SHELTER

ESG Nonprofit Recipient:	Hope Haven Ministries
ESG Shelter Project:	Men & Women's Homeless Shelter & Case Management Services
Unit of General Purpose Local Government for the geographic area served (city or county):	Kingsport, TN / Sullivan County, TN / Tri-Cities Metropolitan Area
Project Description (2-3 sentences):	Continue case management and shelter services for homeless individuals; Expand Hope Haven's job training program to include adult education/GED program; Renovate common's area and laundry room at the men's shelter; Refloor basement of the women's shelter; purchase appliances for both shelters.

I certify that I am duly authorized to act on behalf of the unit of general purpose local government named above, and that I hereby approve* of this project.

By: _____
Signature Date

Printed Name and Title of Signatory Local Official

* This approval is made to carry out 24 CFR Part 576.202(a), which states the following:
"... The recipient must subgrant the remaining funds in its fiscal year grant to:
(1) Units of general purpose local government in the State, which may include metropolitan cities and urban counties that receive ESG funds directly from HUD; or
(2) Private nonprofit organizations, provided that for emergency shelter activities the recipient obtains a certification of approval from the unit of general purpose local government for the geographic area in which those activities are to be carried out."