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Dear Rose Mortuary & Crematory Families,

This last year has certainly been a challenging and extremely difficult one for all of us. For those who have lost a loved one due to the pandemic, you have our sincere condolences on their passing. Please know that we are here for you if you need guidance in any way.

This letter is to inform you of the Federal Emergency Management Agency (FEMA) Coronavirus & Relief Supplemental Appropriations Act of 2021 and the American Rescue Plan Act 2021. FEMA is providing financial assistance up to \$9,000 for COVID-19 related funeral expenses incurred after January 20, 2020. This includes both mortuary and cemetery expenses as described and outlined on the FEMA website, which is listed below:

<http://www.fema.gov/disasters/coronavirus/economic/funeral-assistance>

The website outlines the eligibility requirements for funeral assistance which are:

- The death must have occurred in the United States, including the U.S territories and the District of Columbia.
- The death certificate must indicate the death was attributed to COVID-19
- The applicant must be a U.S. citizen, non-citizen national, or qualified alien who incurred funeral expenses after January 20, 2020.
- There is no requirement for the deceased person to have been a U.S citizen, non-citizen national or qualified alien.

If you are interested in applying for reimbursement, you must go to the FEMA website link (listed above) to obtain information for filing a claim.

We hope this information will be helpful to you and your family.

Respectfully,



Tamara Vradenburg, Manager