



COVID-19 RESOURCE TRACKER

OVERVIEW

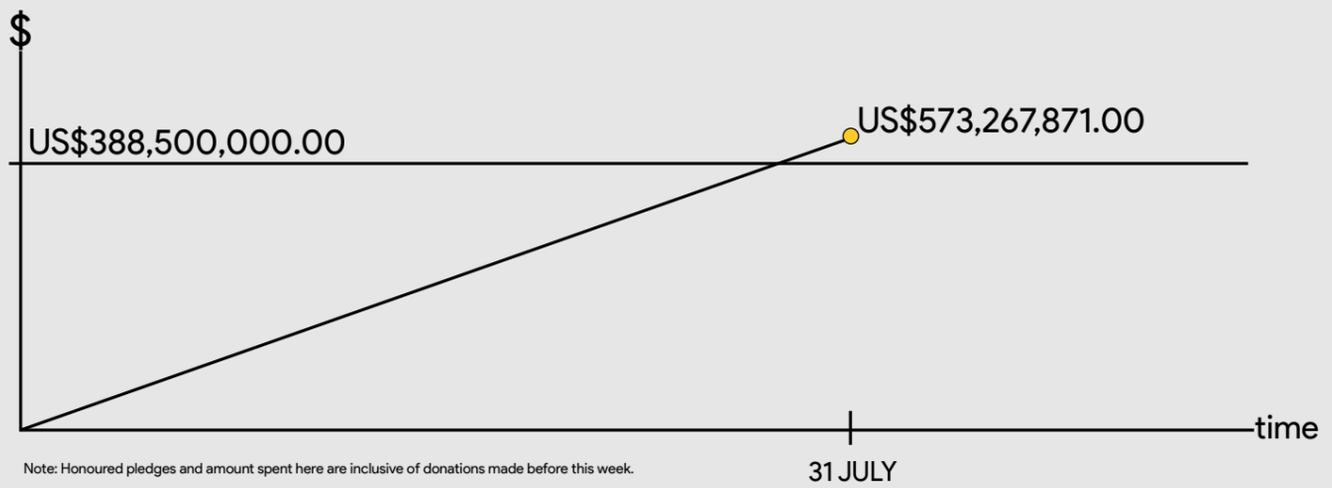
Zimbabwe has been trying to mobilise resources to respond in the best way possible to the devastating social and economic effects of corona virus. The Zimbabwe COVID-19 resource tracker is a civil society initiative by ZIMCODD to keep track of all resources pledged, received and utilised by the government of Zimbabwe in the COVID-19 response. ZIMCODD notes with concern that accountability for these resources is equally important as the resources themselves. This tracker has been developed to strengthen transparency and accountability by the government on COVID-19 resources while empowering citizens with information to hold the government to account on allocation and utilisation of COVID-19 resources. The tracker is updated on a weekly basis to show pledges honoured, resources received and resources expended.



THIS WEEK



TOTALS



Illustrated below are sources of the resources pledged, honoured and utilised, All other forms of contributions have been converted into monetary value. All currencies were converted to USD at Government of Zimbabwe interbank rate. Percentage (%) indicates resources utilized

GOVERNMENT OF ZIMBABWE

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| TREASURY | US\$38,172,000.00 | 99% |
| SOCIAL SAFETY FUND | US\$24,000,000.00 | 20.8% |
| DISASTER FUND | US\$4,850,288.00 | |
| ZIMFUND | US\$1,087.00 | 100% |

EMBASSIES

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| CHINESE EMBASSY | US\$500,000.00 | 100% |
| SWEDISH EMBASSY | US\$25,000.00 | 100% |

DEVELOPMENT AGENCIES

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| GLOBAL FUND | US\$25,000,000.00 | 76.6% |
| EUROPEAN UNION | US\$45,000,000.00 | 88% |
| FAO | US\$1,000,000.00 | |
| THE US PRESIDENT'S EMERGENCY PLAN FOR AIDS RELIEF | US\$150,000.00 | 100% |
| UNITED NATIONS | US\$17,789,611.00 | 50% |
| ILO | US\$20,000.00 | |
| WORLD FOOD PROGRAMME | US\$5,250,000.00 | 100% |
| INTERNATIONAL COMMITTEE OF RED CROSS | US\$200,000.00 | 90% |
| WORLD HEALTH ORGANISATION | US\$40,000.00 | 100% |
| UNITED NATIONS DEVELOPMENT PROGRAM | US\$4,153,940.00 | 60% |
| GLOBAL PARTNERSHIP FOR EDUCATION | US\$7,000,000.00 | |
| WORLD BANK | US\$7,400,000.00 | 32.4% |
| CHINESE FOUNDATION | US\$5,000,000.00 | 70% |

Note: Projected Need was calculated using ZIMCODD financial modelling
Find the projection at: <http://zimcodd.org/wp-content/uploads/2020/04/COVID-19-Response-Mechanism.pdf>

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| ANGEL OF HOPE FOUNDATION | US\$63,133.00 | 100% |
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| AMERICAN FRIENDS SERVICE COMMITTEE | US\$7,193.00 | 100% |
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| USAID | US\$3,045,000.00 | |
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OTHER GOVERNMENTS

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| UNITED KINGDOM GOVERNMENT | US\$46,373,340.00 | 4.5% |
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| UNITED STATES GOVERNMENT | US\$ 17,970,000.00 | 48% |
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| SWISS GOVERNMENT | US\$1,530,000.00 | |
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| CHINA (NANNING CITY) | US\$172,000.00 | 100% |
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| INDIA | US\$400,000.00 | 100% |
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| NAMIBIA | US\$157,465.00 | 100% |
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| CANADA | US\$2,938,020.00 | |
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| GERMANY | US\$1,180,000.00 | |
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| CHINA GVT <small>(state owned companies)</small> | US\$55,000.00 | 100% |
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| JAPAN | US\$15,300,000.00 | |
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CORPORATES

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| HIGHER LIFE FOUNDATION | US\$6,925,000.00 | 9.7% |
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| TONGAAT HULLET | US\$480,000.00 | 100% |
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| AFRICAN MEDALLION | US\$5,000,000.00 | 100% |
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| LOCAL PRIVATE COMPANIES | US\$1,734,000.00 | 100% |
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| TRANSPORT ASSOCIATION OF ZIMBABWE | US\$472,000.00 | |
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| KING DAVID GLOBAL | US\$2,000,000.00 | 100% |
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| ARAB BANK FOR ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT IN AFRICA | US\$10,000,000.00 | 25% |
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| ECONET | US\$29,230.00 | 100% |
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| AFRICA DEVELOPMENT BANK | US\$13,700,000.00 | 8% |
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| GAVI | US\$1,016,560.00 | 100% |
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| STANDARD CHARTERED GROUP | US\$444,000.00 | |
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| CBZ & SOLIDARITY TRUST ZIM | US\$330,000.00 | 27% |
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CITIZEN INITIATIVES

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| GOFUNDME | US\$36,000.00 | 82% |
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| OTHER INDIVIDUALS | US\$164,206.00 | 100% |
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MAJOR CONCERNS

- In the context of a failing health system, limited COVID-19 testing capacity against surging cases, prolonged industrial action by nurses and doctors, rising food insecurity levels and absence of social safety nets, citizens bemoan the systematic looting of COVID-19 donations with no action and commitment from the government to stop the rot and hold those responsible accountable.
- Citizens have condemned the lack of transparency and accountability in COVID-19 resource allocation and expenditure in the recent 2020 Mid-Term Budget and Economic Review. While the Finance Ministry is commended for publishing development partner cash support received (US\$202million) in the COVID-19 fight, the report fails to itemise, beyond the 8 pillars of response plan, the priority areas funded by the US\$26.9million disbursed so far.
- Criminalisation of anti-corruption whistle-blowers has remained a key issue of concern which interfere with citizens' oversight role of safeguarding public resources including COVID-19 funds.

RECOMMENDATIONS TO THE GOVERNMENT

- Prioritise the health sector by disbursing COVID-19 funds to revamp the capacity and infrastructure of the entire health system and address the plight of health professionals.
- Strengthen the oversight and anticorruption institutions such as the Parliament of Zimbabwe, Procurement Regulatory Authority of Zimbabwe (PRAZ) and the Zimbabwe Anti-Corruption Commission (ZACC) to safeguard COVID-19 earmarked resources against abuse and misuse.
- Thoroughly investigate cases of grand corruption, prosecute those implicated and institute restitution mechanisms so that the country recovers from resource leakages and grand looting.
- Regularly publish COVID-19 funds received from all sources including a clear breakdown of allocations and disbursements.
- Urgently enact a fit for purpose whistle-blowers' protection legislation as a mechanism to enhance and promote reporting of economic crimes.



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