

COVID-19 RESOURCE TRACKER

OVERVIEW

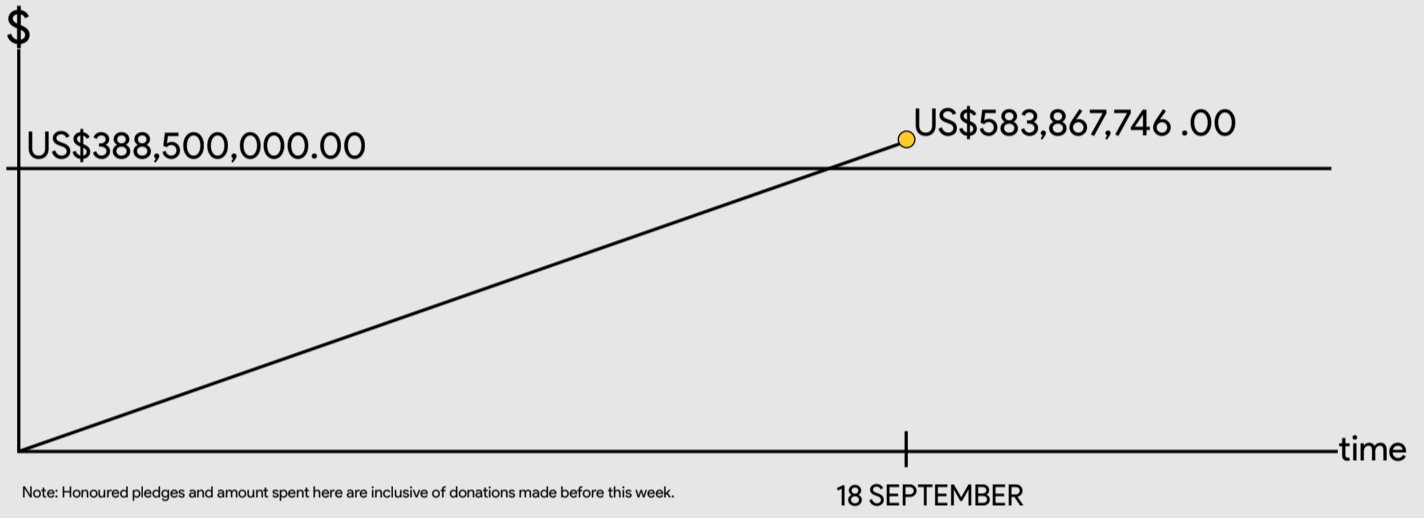
Zimbabwe has been trying to mobilise resources to respond in the best way possible to the devastating social and economic effects of corona virus. The Zimbabwe COVID-19 resource tracker is a civil society initiative by ZIMCODD to keep track of all resources pledged, received and utilised by the government 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

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

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

DEVELOPMENT AGENCIES

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	100%

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>

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	65.6%
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OTHER GOVERNMENTS

UNITED KINGDOM GOVERNMENT	US\$46,373,340.00	4.5%
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UNITED STATES GOVERNMENT	US\$ 78,500,000.00	100%
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SWISS GOVERNMENT	US\$1,530,000.00	50%
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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

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\$722 926.00	100%
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CITIZEN INITIATIVES

GOFUNDME	US\$40,000.00	75%
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OTHER INDIVIDUALS	US\$164,206.00	100%
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MAJOR CONCERNS

- The deplorable state of public service delivery in Zimbabwe is a cause for concern in the COVID-19 context. Unavailability of safe, clean and portable water and deplorable sanitation infrastructure is exposing citizens to more infectious diseases.
- Citizens are concerned about how the health sector continues to be underfunded in spite of the trickling in of resources both in cash and in-kind donations. The incapacity of health institutions to manage COVID-19 and shortage of PPEs remains worrying as it exposes citizens to the novel virus.
- The poor management and embezzlement of COVID-19 funds has aggravated poverty, inequalities and untold suffering for citizens whose livelihoods have been ravaged by COVID-19 and related lockdown measures.
- Citizens bemoan government profligacy, the lack of integrity, transparency and accountability in COVID-19 resource allocation and expenditure at both central and local government level which has been the breeding ground for corruption, resource leakages and abuse of COVID-19 earmarked resources.

RECOMMENDATIONS TO THE GOVERNMENT

- To prioritise effective public service delivery as it plays a greater role in protecting citizens from the deadly coronavirus. This will ensure that citizens' right to quality healthcare, safe and portable water are guaranteed.
- To increase resources to fund the health sector so as to address the capacity, equipment and infrastructure gaps in the health sector. Personal protective equipment should be prioritised for frontline workers.
- Strengthen oversight and accountability institutions and anticorruption agencies to alleviate the abuse of COVID-19 earmarked resources.
- Government to publish all COVID-19 funds received to date including a clear breakdown of allocations, disbursements and outstanding pledges. All COVID-19 resources disbursed to provinces and districts should be properly accounted for.
- The government must disclose and publish all the beneficial owners of the companies that won COVID-19 related contracts in order to track down on corruption.



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