



COVID-19 RESOURCE TRACKER

OVERVIEW

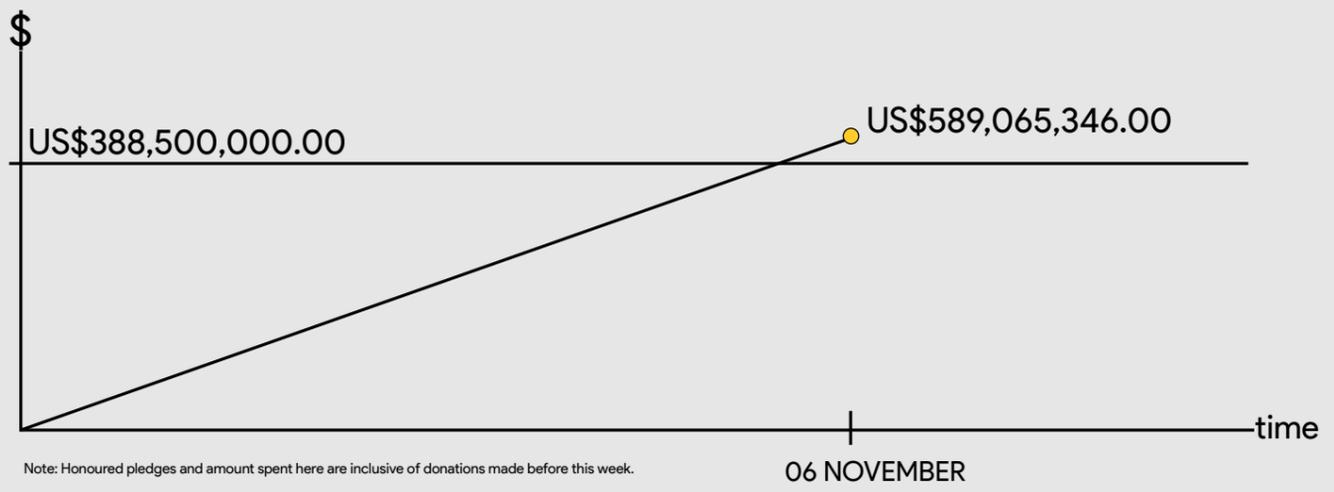
Zimbabwe has been trying to mobilise resources to respond in the best way possible to the devastating social and economic effects of corona virus. The Zimbabwe COVID-19 resource tracker is a civil society initiative by ZIMCODD to keep track of all resources pledged, received and utilised by the government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

EMBASSIES

SOUTH KOREA EMBASSY	US\$300,000.00	100%
INDIAN EMBASSY	US\$350,000.00	100%
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	60%
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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 (state owned companies)	US\$55,000.00	100%
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JAPAN	US\$19,100,000.00	
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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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TELONE AND NETONE	US\$121,065.00	
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AFRICA DEVELOPMENT BANK	US\$13,700,000.00	8%
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NATIONAL SOCIAL SECURITY AUTHORITY	US\$614,250.00	100%
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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\$735 211.00	
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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

- Citizens continue to pin their hopes for socioeconomic recovery on the 2021 national budget. The call is for the government to provide clear guidelines in the budget to address COVID-19 impacts.
- Citizens have bemoaned the impact of COVID-19 on food security. United Nations reported that Zimbabwe is facing a severe hunger crisis in 2020, with over 60% of the population i.e. 8.6million people[1] food insecure, the majority of whom are in urban areas.
- The deplorable state of service delivery continue to pose a health risk in the face of the COVID-19 second wave.
- Citizens also anticipate the much awaited findings of the COVID-19 resources audit which the Office of the Auditor General has just commenced. The hope is that the process will unearth and address irregularities in the mismanagement and misappropriation of public funds in disaster contexts.

RECOMMENDATIONS TO THE GOVERNMENT

- The 2021 national budget must make a clear and strong commitment to alleviate socioeconomic impacts of COVID-19 including reducing household poverty, hunger and food insecurity, a situation which was exacerbated by the COVID-19 pandemic.
- The government must prioritise channelling COVID-19 resources towards improving public healthcare system and service delivery in general.
- To ensure public accountability, the government should develop and implement clear public resource monitoring mechanisms that will minimize resource leakages, and ensure that COVID-19 resources reach all the intended beneficiaries particularly the disadvantaged and marginalised.
- The government must expedite the uptake and implementation of the Auditor General's findings and recommendations to safeguard public resources. This will inculcate transparency and accountability in public resource governance and ensure progressive realisation of social and economic justice.



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