Client: _____ Phone #: _____

FINANCIAL ASSISTANCE RULES & INSTRUCTIONS

The application process is to determine eligibility for temporary emergency financial assistance. To best serve clients, you are required to have all the documents identified below printed and/or original bills at the time of the interview.

Please bring household income & expenses paid 30 days back from the day of your interview for assistance.

INCOME:

Lump sum settlement in past 5 yrs. Checking / Saving (Print-out from ___/___ to ___/___) Pay Stubs VA Compensation / Pension Social Security / SS Disability Child Support / Alimony Retirements / Drill Pay ALL School Stipends: VocRehab, Post 911, etc. Income Tax Return Disability Pay / Workers Compensation Rental Property / AMHA Stipend Annuity / 401K, etc. **Government Assistance** ALL Other Loans / Pay Day Loans Unemployment Cash App, Venmo, Zelle or any online money transfers Other_____

File:

Photo I.D.(s) DD214 / Discharge Paper(s) Proof of residency in Summit County for 90 days Marriage Certificate / Domestic Partner paper(s) Birth Certificate(s)/Death Certificate Adoption / Custody Paper(s) Paternity test for: Current School Record / Report Card(s)

EXPENSES: Bring all current bills available

Mortgage Statement (Require FAX #) Rent / Deposit / AMHA / Section 8 Electric / Water / Sewer / Trash Gas / Heating Fuels **Vehicle Payments** Auto, Home, Rental, Life or any Insurances (Bring Policy) Medical / Prescriptions, etc. Day Care (Adult & Child) Internet Loan Statements (Personal, Student, Pay Day) Rent Appliance / Furniture License / Court / Legal Fees Tax Statement (IRS, State, City, Property) Vehicle Repairs and proof of registration Home Repairs w/3 Estimates, if Owner Receipts for all Cash Purchases Other

Landlord Statement **Disability Certificate** Rental Lease Agreement Release form for:

Are you or any household member related to any employees or commissioners of the SCVSC? Y N

Following the rules and instructions will assist your determination for eligibility with temporary emergency financial assistance. Please make sure ALL documents are brought upon return. This list is not inclusive to all possible financial assistance requirements.

Initials: _____



ACCEPTABLE EXPENDITURES LIST

If you are in need of Financial Assistance for more than this first visit and you receive income from any source prior to your next VSC visit, you must bring proof of that income and how it was used towards your household on <u>each</u> and <u>every</u> visit for assistance thereafter.

If you are not able to account for the income you have had by receipt, and show that it has been used on the below list of acceptable expenditures only, <u>no financial</u> assistance will be granted.

These are the only acceptable items you may spend <u>your income on</u> and remain eligible for financial assistance through this agency.

- 1. Rent or Mortgage Payments
- 2. Food (Only if you are not receiving a Food Voucher from SCVSC)
- 3. All current utility bills (natural gas, electric, water, trash basic phone, internet payments).
- 4. Medical Expenses (prescriptions, dental, eyeglasses, hearing aids, etc. that you pay for out of pocket)
- 5. Insurance (car, home, renters, medical, life)
- 6. Estimates and receipts for unexpected expenses (examples but not inclusive home & car repairs if you are the owner)
- 7. Car Payments (Allowed with verification of weekly medical appointments or for verification of each working member of the household)
- 8. Gasoline (only if you are currently working or if you can verify medical appointments or can verify actively seeking employment)
- 9. Child Care Expenses (by receipt only from licensed child care providers)
- 10. Child Support or Alimony Payments (only those paid through the courts)
- 11. Property Taxes
- 12. Delinquent Taxes (IRS, State of Ohio, City Taxes)
- 13. Credit Card Payments (will be considered on a case by case situation)