



MISSISSIPPI DEPARTMENT OF REHABILITATION SERVICES

Opportunities for Independence

Relief Funds for MS Randolph Sheppard Program

Terry Shelton, COBV Chair
Sara Rogers, COBV Co - Chair

April 22, 2021

Please accept the statement below to fulfill the obligation of active participation by the MS Elected Committee of Blind Vendors and the State Licensing Agency, Mississippi Department of Rehabilitation Services.

Chairman Statement:

I, Chairman Terry Shelton, attest that the MS Elected Committee of Blind Vendors and the State Licensing Agency have actively participated to develop the Use of FRRP funds under Part B of this document and a consensus was reached as to the use of the funds for each MS Vendor in accordance with the terms of the Consolidated Appropriations Act of 2021, PL 116-260, Division H, Title III, section 318, specifically for the purposes of:

- Offsetting losses of blind vendors that occurred during calendar year 2020, to the extent that such losses were not otherwise compensated; and
Other purposes authorized under 34 C.F.R. 35.9 for set-aside funds, but only to the extent any funds remain available after offsetting losses that were incurred by blind vendors during calendar year 2020.

State of Mississippi
County of Lee

Personally Appeared before me, the undersigned authority in and for the state and county aforesaid, the within named Terry Shelton who being first by me duly sworn states an oath that the matters and facts set forth in the foregoing "Relief Funds for MS Randolph Sheppard Program" are true and correct as therein stated.

Terry Shelton (handwritten signature)

Sworn to and subscribed before me this the 24th day of April, 2021.

Laryssa C. Ratliff
Notary Public

(Seal) My commission Expires: 1-29-2023

