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Dear Amplify Community –

We hope that you, your families and communities are staying safe and healthy. While uncertainty surrounds us all in this unprecedented moment, we are reaching out today from our home offices in Minneapolis, Brooklyn and Austin with a simple message:

“Amplify is with you, and we’ll get through this together”

“Amplify esta con ustedes, y juntos vamos a salir adelante”

Here at the [Amplify Fund](#), the COVID-19 crisis is pulling us into deeper solidarity with each other, reminding us to be present and to prioritize what’s most important to the work: powerful people, like you, and your communities across the country!

We want our response to COVID-19 to reflect your needs!

We plan to continue our core grantmaking program to distribute unrestricted general operating support to organizations (like yours), while stretching to provide additional resources to meet the extraordinary needs of this moment. We have heard from many of you and are compiling these organizational needs (e.g. additional funds, technology and management support to work remotely, digital security planning, budget planning in a time of uncertainty, funder organizing).

If you have time, please send us your organizational needs in a brief list via email to amplify@nfg.org or as a video message via Instagram [@AmplifyFund](https://www.instagram.com/AmplifyFund).

In addition, and optionally, if you would like to chat with us and other Amplify grantee partners, please join us via Zoom for 5 minutes, the full hour or any amount in between on (please note you will receive a separate calendar invite with full Zoom details and dial by phone call-in options):

- **Tuesday, April 7** (12:00p - 1:00p ET) <https://zoom.us/j/693553097>
- **Wednesday, April 8** (12:30p - 1:30p ET) <https://zoom.us/j/693553097>

We maintain our central belief that community power drives just and equitable development and we are rooted in racial justice, now more than ever. We'll get through this together!

In solidarity –

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