



MARYLAND ENERGY ASSISTANCE

If you or someone you know is having difficulty paying a natural gas bill, please call the **Office of Home Energy Programs** at the **Maryland Department of Human Resources** at **800-332-6347** or your local energy office at the numbers provided (*see back*). You can also visit the state's website at <http://dhs.maryland.gov/office-of-home-energy-programs>.

EmPOWER LOW INCOME ENERGY EFFICIENCY PROGRAM (LIEEP)



This program provides home weatherization services – such as weather-stripping, caulking, plastic window covering and gas furnace tune-up and replacement – at no cost to eligible families. For more information, contact the **Maryland Department of Housing and Community Development** at **855-583-8976** or visit <http://www.dhcd.maryland.gov/empower>.

MARYLAND ENERGY ASSISTANCE PROGRAM (MEAP):

MEAP, federally funded through the **Low Income Home Energy Assistance Program (LIHEAP)**, assists customers with paying their winter heating bills. Grants are based on family size, income and the type of fuel used for heating. Applicants are eligible to apply for the MEAP program only once each program year, July 1 - June 30.



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MEAP APPLICATION INFORMATION BY COUNTY:

Calvert, Charles, St. Mary's Counties: Southern Maryland Tri-County Community Action Committee, Inc.

8371 Leonardtown Rd., P.O. Box 280,
Hughesville, MD 20637

301-274-4474

Frederick County Department of Social Services

1888 North Market St., Frederick, MD 21701

Mailing address of P.O. Box 237, Frederick, MD 21705

301-600-4555

City of Frederick Department of Housing and Human Services

420 East Patrick St., Frederick MD 21701

Mailing address of P.O. Box 3929 Frederick, MD 21705

301-600-2410

Montgomery County Department of Health and Human Services

1301 Piccard Dr., Rockville, MD 20850

240-777-4450

Prince George's County Department of Social Services

425 Brightseat Rd., Landover, MD 20785

301-909-6300

UTILITY SERVICE PROTECTION PROGRAM (USPP):

The **USPP** begins the first week of November and is available to residential customers who are eligible for MEAP. With USPP, participation requires enrollment into a year-round even monthly budget billing program.

WASHINGTON AREA FUEL FUND (WAFF)

Founded by Washington Gas and administered by **The Salvation Army**, WAFF has traditionally paid for **all types of fuel** to heat families' homes during the winter season. WAFF still does that today, but now, an additional WAFF program — the **WAFF Washington Gas Merger Funds Program** — is available and creates the opportunity for even more families to receive assistance. Both low-income and moderate-income customers now may receive WAFF funds, in addition to the traditional WAFF assistance provided for other types of fuel. Washington Gas pays the administrative fees of the fund so 100 percent of WAFF contributions go to those who need assistance. WAFF is Washington Gas' signature philanthropic program. All WAFF assistance is available annually between January 1 and May 31. If you need assistance, visit **WAFFHelp.org** to receive details on the location and phone number for the office in your area.

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Customer Service: 844-WASHGAS (844-927-4427)

Natural Gas Leaks/Emergencies:

911 and then 844-WASHGAS (844-927-4427)

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