NORTHWESTERN ILLINOIS COMMUNITY ACTION AGENCY <u>PY23 LIHWAP Program</u>

Northwestern Illinois Community Action Agency, as administrator of Low Income Household Water Assistance Program in Stephenson and Jo Daviess Counties, is pleased to announce that funds are available to assist income eligible households with emergency water bill assistance.

LIHWAP assistance with a <u>one-time payment</u> on their water/sewer bills is available for approved applicants with one of the following conditions:

- water service disconnected or
- imminent disconnection, or
- past due water/sewer bill of \$50 or more and not in disconnect status

Please call the office at 815-232-3141 or 800-883-1111 between 8:00a.m. to 3:30p.m. to receive information on how to apply and for a pre-application packet. Completed packets and required documents may be submitted by mail, email, drop box, or fax. Limited appointments for special needs may be made.

INCOME GUIDELINES

Family Siz	ze 30 Day Income	Family Size	30 Day Income	
1	\$2,265	6	\$6,198	
2	\$3,052	7	\$6,985	For more than 11 household
3	\$3,838	8	\$7,324	members, please add \$590 for each
4	\$4,625	9	\$7,484	additional person
5	\$5,412	10	\$7,643	
		11	\$7,802	

** To submit an application, you MUST submit ALL of the required documents. **

- Proof of Social Security numbers or Individual Taxpayer Identification Number (ITIN) for all household members.
- Proof of all gross income for all household members for 30 days prior and including the application date such as pay check stubs, SSA/SSI/SSD income, pension/retirement statements, unemployment reports, child support, TANF/AABD/Township GA assistance, self- employment reports and proof of zero income.
- Complete current water/sewer bill and also disconnect notices received.
- Complete copy of lease..

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