



Maryland Energy Assistance

If you or someone you know is having difficulty paying a natural gas bill, please call the **Maryland Department of Human Resources** at **1-800-352-1446** or your local energy office at the numbers provided. You can also visit the state's Web site at dhr.state.md.us/meap.

Maryland Energy Assistance Program (MEAP):

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 at any time during the program year (July 1 - May 31).

Residential Essential Service Pilot Program

To be eligible, customers must use natural gas as the principal source of home heating, be current on natural gas utility payments and have applied for and receive assistance from MEAP.

Weatherization Assistance Program

This program provides home weatherization services, such as weather-stripping, caulking and plastic window covering, at no cost to eligible families.



Utility Service Protection Program (USPP):

Available to residential customers who are eligible for MEAP aid. With USPP, customers receive a natural gas bill for the same amount each month throughout the year. The program begins the first week of November and customers must complete applications for MEAP in their county:

- **Charles, Calvert, 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](tel:301-274-4474) or [1-800-255-5313](tel:1-800-255-5313)
- **Frederick County Department of Social Services**
100 E. All Saints St., P.O. Box 237, Frederick, MD 21705
[301-694-2410](tel:301-694-2410)
- **Montgomery County Department of Health and Human Services**
1301 Piccard Dr., Rockville, MD 20850
[240-777-4450](tel:240-777-4450)
- **Prince George's County Department of Social Services**
425 Brightseat Rd., Landover, MD 20785
[301-909-6300](tel:301-909-6300)

Washington Area Fuel Fund (WAFF)

Founded by Washington Gas and administered by The Salvation Army, the Washington Area Fuel Fund helps families who do not qualify for, or who have exhausted government energy assistance. Washington Gas pays the administrative costs of the fund so 100% of WAFF contributions go to those in need. WAFF assistance is available January 1 - May 31. Contact **The Salvation Army** at [1-888-318-WAFF \(318-9233\)](tel:1-888-318-WAFF) to receive details on the location and phone number for the office in your locality.



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