

MANDATORY DOCUMENTATION  
TO BE CONSIDERED FOR  
FUNDING:

1. A Completed Signed LIHEAP Application.
2. A Copy of TAT Enrollment for all TAT Members and Other Federal Recognized Tribal Family Members in the Household.
3. Photo Identification. If household members are not members of Three Affiliated Tribes or other Federal Recognized Tribe and over the age of 18 years of age, a photo ID is required.
4. Social Security Cards for all Household Members, SS Cards are requested to verify all household members' eligibility for the LIHEAP Funding.
5. Verification of Income for the Last 3 Months.
6. Copy of the most current utility bills.
7. Copy of Rental Lease or Deed to Home.
8. Appeal Notice.
9. Release of Information.

**APPLICATIONS:**

**Are available online at MHA Nation website, the LIHEAP Office, Chairman Fox Office, White Shield Segment, Twin Buttes Segment, Parshall/Lucky Mound Segment, Four Bears Segment, and Mandaree Segment. Offices Located Within The Fort Berthold Indian Reservation.**

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# LIHEAP FY-2024

## Low Income Home Energy Assistance Program

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## Frequent Asked Questions:

1. **What is LIHEAP?** LIHEAP stands for Low-Income-Home-Energy Assistance program.
2. **Who Should Apply?** All in Need.
3. **Where Should I Pick Up an Application?** Located at the segment offices or the MHA Nation website.
4. **When can I get an application?** October 1<sup>st</sup> thru April 30<sup>th</sup>.
5. **When will I know how much of my utilities will be paid?** You Will receive a letter within the 2 weeks.
6. **What else does LIHEAP Pay?** Propane and Electric.
7. **What is a Crisis Assistance?** When You Are in A Financial Hardship? When you are in a financial hardship.
8. **Does LIHEAP program use the royalties or bonus income I earn from the Mineral Rights as "countable income" listed on the Wage Information in the Application?** No. the Tribal Business Council of the Three Affiliated Tribes passed Resolution No. 20-186-FWF, which states in Part "exclude any income earned from royalty payments or bonuses from mineral rights in the computation of an applicant's income to ensure the program assists those most in need."

"Please Apply, As Every Funding Year The LIHEAP Program Returns Un-Applied Funds to the Funding Agency."

## LIHEAP Services

The Three Affiliated Tribes LIHEAP is a federally funded program that assists low income Three Affiliated Tribes and Other Federal Recognized Tribes households with their home energy costs related to heating and cooling, that resides in an around a 12-mile radius of the exterior boundaries of the Fort Berthold Indian Reservation (FBIR). The Purpose of LIHEAP is to assist with energy needs, but not pay all energy costs related to heat and/or cool your home.

The head of household applicant must be a member of the Three Affiliated Tribes or other Federal Recognized Tribe and reside on or within a 12-mile radius of the FBIR to qualify for this program. If residing outside of the 12-mile radius of the FBIR, then the head of household must apply to their local state program.

A household's income must be at or below 60 percent of North Dakota's median income and within these limits.

## Below Is the guidelines for October 1, 2023 – September 30, 2024:

### Household Size

HH1: \$35,724 HHS 2: \$46,716  
HHS 3: \$57,708 HHS 4: \$68,701 HHS 5:  
\$79,693 HHS 6: \$90,685 HHS 7:  
\$92,746 HHS 8: 94,807 HHS 9: \$96,868  
HHS 10: \$98,929 HHS 11: \$100,990  
HHS 12: \$103,051

## YOUR RESPONSIBILITIES:

You must inform LIHEAP if you, or any member of your household of the following:

- Received Assistance from another LIHEAP Program during the current fiscal year.
- Move to a new address.
- Change your fuel supplier and/or utility provider.
- Any Income Changes.
- Ask for assistance with the application if you do not understand.

## OUR RESPONSIBILITIES:

- Ensure approval letter is sent to vendor.
- Make sure payments are made in timely manner, once received.
- Assist clients with the best of our ability.