

RENT AND MORTGAGE ASSISTANCE PROGRAMS

For some people, one of the biggest stressors about being unemployed is making sure the bills are paid on time. Sometimes, depending on the landlord or mortgage company, payment arrangements can be made for a late or missed payment. If payment arrangements cannot be made, Rent and Mortgage Payment Assistance Programs may be able to assist people with their rent or mortgage payments if they meet eligibility requirements. Utility assistance will be discussed in the next section.

Community Action Agency Payment Assistance Programs

Depending on the distribution of government funding, community action agencies may be able to provide financial assistance for utility bills that have been or are at risk of being shut-off.

ACCESS

Information.....(313) 842-7010

Michigan Veterans Trust Fund

(Service Group: Veterans and spouses of deceased veterans)

Information.....(313) 899-1162

Salvation Army

Dearborn Heights Community Corps Center
Dearborn Heights.....(313) 563-4457

Brightmoor Corps Community Center
Detroit.....(313) 532-1281

Grandale Corps Community Center
Detroit.....(313) 835-3736

Harbor Light Corps Community Center
Detroit.....(313) 964-0577

Harding Corps Community Center
Detroit.....(313) 822-2800

Temple Corps Community Center
Detroit.....(313) 897-2914

Plymouth Corps Community Center
Plymouth.....(734) 453-5464

Wayne/Westland Community Corps Center
Westland.....(734) 722-3660

Downriver Community Corps Center
Wyandotte.....(734) 282-0930

Saint Vincent De Paul

(Serves Wayne County)

Toll-Free.....1-877-788-4623

Samaritan Wyandotte Ministerial Assoc

(Service Area: Wyandotte)

Information.....(734) 285-8450

Wayne County Soldiers & Sailors Relief

Service Group: Veterans and spouses of deceased veterans)

Information.....(313) 224-8163

Wayne Metropolitan Community Action Agency

Region I

(Service Area: Grosse Pointe, Grosse Pointe Farms, Grosse Pointe Park, Grosse Pointe Shores, Grosse Pointe Woods, Hamtramck, Harper Woods, and Highland Park)

Information.....(313) 826-0299

Region II

(Service Area: Dearborn, Dearborn Heights, Garden City, Inkster, Livonia, Northville, Northville Twp, Plymouth, and Plymouth Twp,)

Information.....(734) 266-0190

Region III

(Service Area: Belleville, Canton Twp, Huron Twp, Romulus, Sumpter Twp, Van Buren Twp, Wayne, and Westland)

Information.....(734) 782-6332

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Wayne Metropolitan Community Action Agency (cont'd)

Region IV

(Service Area: Brownstown Twp, Flat Rock, Gibraltar, Grosse Ile, Riverview, Rockwood, Trenton, and Woodhaven)

Information.....(734) 287-2343

Region V

(Service Area: Allen Park, Ecorse, Lincoln Park, Melvindale, River Rouge, Southgate, and Wyandotte)

Information.....(313) 843-2550

Local Churches

Use the phone book to find local churches in your area that may have available funds for rent and mortgage assistance.