

# ST. LOUIS CITY WATER UTILITY ASSISTANCE PROGRAM

During the 2020 Pandemic, the *City of St. Louis Water Division* instituted a water shutoff-moratorium for residents, a common practice for cities during the pandemic. \$1 million of *American Rescue Plan Act (ARPA)* funds has been allocated to assist residents with past-due water accounts.

See back for more details.







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SCAN THE QR CODE OR CLICK THE LINK TO START THE ONLINE WATER UTILITY ASSISTANCE APPLICATION

# APPLY TODAY!

The **St. Louis Water Assistance Program** also includes a financial literacy component and mandatory enrollment in a repayment plan to ensure that residents can pay off their water debt in full.

Funds will be awarded on a first-come, first-served basis and consist of a one-time credit of up to \$500.

## **ELIGIBILITY**

St. Louis City Resident

Household income at 60% AMI
(Area Median Income) or below

Family Size	Annual Income	Family Size	Annual Income
1	\$43,380	5	\$66,900
2	\$49,560	6	\$71,880
3	\$55,740	7	\$76,800
4	\$61,920	8	\$81,780

60% Area Median Income Chart

- Demonstrate COVID-19 Hardship
  (i.e., lost income or additional costs
  due to the COVID-19 crisis, for
  reasons including but not limited
  to: Cut hours; Job loss; Funeral
  expenses; Treatment costs)
- Over 90 days delinquent
- Must enroll in a debt repayment plan for outstanding water and refuse charges and agree to receiving financial literacy information from the Saint Louis City Treasury Division

## **HOW DO I APPLY?**

Click the <u>link</u> to start the online application.

Assistance is being distributed based on available funding on a first-come, first-served basis. The program will no longer be available when dollars run out.

### REQUIRED ELIGIBILITY DOCUMENTATION

- Photo ID
  - A photo of a valid Missouri State Photo ID or valid Drivers's License
- **Proof of Primary Residence** (Must match service address for St. Louis Water Division Account). At least one from the following list:
  - Valid State ID
  - Valid Driver's License
  - Utility Bill (other than water bill)
  - Copy of your most recent City, State or Federal tax return
  - Voter registration
- **Demonstrate COVID-19 Hardship** (i.e., lost income or additional costs due to the COVID-19 crisis, for reasons including but not limited to: Cut hours; Job loss; Funeral Expenses; Treatment Costs)
  - Proof of COVID-19 Hardship may be a self-attestation statement
- Proof of Earned and Unearned Income for all Household Adults
  At least one of the following for ALL adults with income:
  - (Proof must show gross pay)
  - 2 consecutive check stubs that are less than 60 days old
  - Letter from employer
  - Pension letter
  - Armed Forces Allotment
  - Child Support
  - Union Funds or Strike Benefits
  - Government benefit statement letters
    - SSI/SSDI Award Letter
    - Temporary Assistance for Needy Families (TANF)
    - Unemployment award
    - WIC or SNAP award letters or benefit statements
  - If self-employed
    - Most recent tax return
    - Profit and loss statement
- Proof of Social Security Number for all Household Members
  At least one of the following:
  - Social Security Card
  - Award letter
  - Tax return with the social security numbers for all household members
- Past Due Water Utility Bill
  - Most recent water utility bill at least 90 days past due