

If you require new electric service for a newly constructed home, a manufactured home, or a mobile home on your own land, there may be a charge to install poles and wires to connect your new home to our distribution line. Our Assistance Credit Program could reduce these costs for low and moderate income customers.

You may qualify if

- You have a total household income under 115% of the area median income based on family size.
- You own the property.
- The cost of your new home (including land and improvements) does not exceed the amount that would qualify for the Maine State Housing Authority's First Time Home Buyer Program, even though this does not have to be your first home.
- You have not received CMP's Assistance Credit within the past three years; and
- This will be your primary residence.

Assistance credit may be applied to

- Connection charge to the electric distribution system CMP line construction costs.
- Reallocation costs.
- Ledge costs, if encountered.

If you meet the requirements, contact the Community Action Agency (CAA) serving your area. They will ask you a few questions on the phone, and then determine if you need to make an appointment and provide financial information to apply for the credit.

They will determine your eligibility, and notify us if you qualify. We will then apply a credit to your service work order.



Our Customer Service Representatives can answer any questions you have.

We are providing this Assistance Credit Program to help our low and moderate income customers

When you meet with the Community Action Agency (CAA), you will need to provide them with items such as

- Proof of your household income and land ownership.
- The number of family members in your household.
- The purchase price and total project costs of your new residence.

Who do you call?

Our Assistance Credit Program may help with the costs of your electric service installation, so call your CAA Agency today. CAA Agencies serving CMP's service territory are listed here.

Androscoggin and Oxford Counties and Towns of Brunswick
Community Concepts, Inc.
240 Bates Street
Lewiston, ME 04240
800.866.5588 phone
207.784.6882 fax
rentrelief@community-concepts.org

Aroostook County
Aroostook County Action Program
771 Main Street
P.O. Box 1116
Presque Isle, ME 04769-1116
207.764.3721 phone
207.768.3021 fax
rentrelief@acap-me.org

Cumberland County (Except for the Town of Brunswick)
The Opportunity Alliance
190 Lancaster Street, Suite 310
Portland, ME 04101
207.553.5937 ext. 1 phone
207.842.3634 fax
rentrelief@opportunityalliance.org

Franklin County
Western Maine Community Action
P.O. Box 200
East Wilton, ME 04234-0200
207.860.4470 phone
207.645.3270 fax
info@wmca.org

Kennebec and Somerset Counties
Kennebec Valley Community Action Program
101 Water Street
Waterville, ME 04901
207.859.1500 / 800.542.8227 phone
207.873.3812 fax
rentrelief@kvcap.org

Lincoln and Sagadahoc Counties
Midcoast Maine Community Action
34 Wing Farm Parkway
Bath, ME 04530
207.442.7963 phone
207.442.0122 fax
rentrelief@mmcacorp.org

Knox, Penobscot and Piscataquis Counties
Penquis Community Action Program
262 Harlow Street
P.O. Box 1162
Bangor, ME 04402-1162
207.307.3344 phone
207.973.3699 fax
covidrental@penquis.org

Waldo County
Waldo Community Action Partners
9 Field Street
P.O. Box 130
Belfast, ME 04915-0130
207.338.6809 phone
207.338.6812 fax
rentrelief@waldocap.org

Washington and Hancock Counties
Downeast Community Partners
248 Bucksport Road
Ellsworth, ME 04605
207.664.2424 phone
207.664.2430 fax
rentrelief@downeastcommunitypartners.org

York County
York County Community Action Corp.
6 Spruce Street
P.O. Box 72
Sanford, ME 04073
207.206.1263 phone
207.459.2828 fax
rentrelief@yccac.org