

## Emergency Rental Assistance Program (ERAP) Update

### Statewide Data:

#### Summary Data through November 19, 2021

- Total Applications: 286,101
- Total Assistance Obligated and/or Paid: \$2.1 billion
- Number of Payments Issued to Landlords: 83,488
- Value of Payments Issued to Landlords: \$1.05 billion
- Number of Provisionally Approved Tenant Applications Submitted in June, July, August or September Pending Landlord Verification: 82,107
- Estimated Value of Provisionally Approved Tenant Applications Submitted in June, July, August or September Pending Landlord Verification: \$1.03 billion

### Washington County Data:

Applications through November 21, 2021				
Town	ZIP Code	Rent Arrears Count	Rent Prospective Count	Utility Arrears Count
Buskirk	12028	1		
Eagle Bridge	12057	5	3	2
Schaghticoke	12154	2	2	1
Argyle	12809	6	5	2
Cambridge	12816	28	21	11
Clemons	12819	1	1	1
Comstock	12821	2		
Cossayuna	12823	1		
Fort Ann	12827	13	13	6
Fort Edward	12828	41	38	20
Granville	12832	42	40	19
Greenwich	12834	26	22	9
Hampton	12837	4	3	
Hudson Falls	12839	150	128	65
Middle Granville	12849	1	1	1
Salem	12865	12	9	5
Whitehall	12887	57	47	9
Washington Co. total		<b>392</b>	<b>333</b>	<b>151</b>

ERAP Rent Arrears and Prospective Rent Payments through November 19, 2021:

Rent Arrears: 126 payments = \$654,765; Prospective Rent: 100 payments = \$213,655

# New York State Low Income Household Water Assistance Program

## Do you need help paying for overdue water and wastewater bills?

The Low Income Household Water Assistance Program (LIHWAP) can help.

LIHWAP is a drinking water and wastewater emergency assistance program funded through new federal resources. Benefits are based on the amount of unpaid water and wastewater bills owed by applicants. This assistance is targeted at low income households and income guidelines will mirror that of the Home Energy Assistance Program.

LIHWAP benefits are based on the actual amount of drinking water and/or wastewater arrears, up to a maximum of \$2,500 per drinking water or wastewater provider, or \$5,000 if drinking water and wastewater services are combined, per household. Benefits are paid directly to the household's drinking water and/or wastewater vendor(s).

Eligibility and benefits are based on:

- income,
- household size,
- household includes a U.S. citizen, U.S. national, or qualified alien, and
- amount owed to drinking water and/or wastewater provider(s).

Primary applicants must provide:

- Proof of identity
- Proof of residence
- Documentation of earned and unearned income
- A drinking water, wastewater, or combined drinking water and wastewater bill listing their permanent and primary residence
- A valid Social Security Number (SSN)
  - SSNs of additional household members will be requested

For more information, visit <https://otda.ny.gov/LIHWAP>



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