



# Catholic Charities

Diocese of Gary

## Catholic Charities

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## Catholic Charities

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Creating Hope  
Serving All*

## Utility Bill Assistance (Electric/Gas/Water/Sewer)

### **Must provide ALL 8 of the following documents to Catholic Charities:**

- 1. Valid Indiana Photo ID (Driver's License or State I.D.)**
- 2. Current Utility bill in your name at your current residence (Services must be ON)**
  - o If married, bill can be in spouse name or another member of your household.  
*(additional documentation may be required to prove person lives in household)*
- 3. Current Lease/Current Mortgage Statement**
  - o Lease must be for current year if yearly, current month if monthly.
  - o Mortgage statement must be dated in the last 30 days.
- 4. Proof of ALL Benefits**
  - o Must provide documentation if you receive: Food Stamps(SNAP)/TANF, Supplemental Security Income (SSI/SSD/SSA), Child Support, Worker's Disability, or any other form of benefits/income.
- 5. Proof of ALL Income (for all members 18 years or older in the household)**
  - o Must provide documentation of the amount received for ALL that apply: -pay stubs for the last 30 days, -unemployment benefits, -child support, -pension, etc.
- 6. Letter from Township Trustee (TA-1A Form)**
  - o Must provide proof that you applied within the last 30 days for assistance with utilities. Must have the TA-1A FORM (either approved or denied).  
**\*\*WE WILL NOT ACCEPT PENDING STATUS FOR TA-1A\*\***
- 7. Proof of Hardship IF APPLICABLE (must prove household is affected due to COVID-19)**
  - o Must provide documentation from employer of layoff, reduction in hours, etc.  
**\*\*Documentation must be dated from March 2020 to present\*\***
  - o Must provide closure of childcare facility due to COVID-19 (if applicable).  
**\*\*Documentation must be dated from March 2020 to present\*\***
- 8. Proof that you applied for NIPSCO's Energy Assistance Program (EAP)- or show that you are over income or ineligible/denied for assistance.**  
[\(https://ihcda.rhsconnect.com/\)](https://ihcda.rhsconnect.com/)

### **YOU MUST HAVE ALL 8 OF THE ABOVE DOCUMENTS TO BE CONSIDERED FOR ASSISTANCE**

**For questions please email us at [outreach@catholic-charities.org](mailto:outreach@catholic-charities.org) or call the nearest office listed above.**

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