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*****PUBLIC NOTICE*****

ENERGY ASSISTANCE PROGRAM

(LOW-INCOME HOME ENERGY ASSISTANCE & NEVADA FUND FOR ENERGY ASSISTANCE)

ENERGY ASSISTANCE PROGRAM CAPPED BENEFIT AMOUNT

The Low Income Home Energy Assistance and Nevada Fund for Energy Assistance State Plans provide the Division of Welfare & Supportive Services' Administrator the authority to adjust the Energy Assistance Program benefit cap based on the projected caseload and available program funding. A benefit cap is set based on household size, household income determined by the Federal Poverty Level (FPL), energy type and average Fixed Annual Credit (FAC) benefit using a household size of four as the standard. A FAC benefit is an amount of money to help reduce the percentage of the applying household's income spent on natural gas and electricity. A FAC benefit is calculated for each eligible household.

Due to projected caseload and the federal projected appropriation for the Low Income Home Energy Assistance to Nevada for Federal Fiscal Year 2018 (October 1, 2016 – September 30, 2017), the Energy Assistance Program will use the standard benefit caps shown below.

EFFECTIVE DATE: August 1, 2017. All Program Year 2018 Energy Assistance Program applications determined eligible for assistance and whose household will receive a payment on or after August 1, 2017, will be limited to a Fixed Annual Benefit (FAC) no greater than the amounts listed in the table below.

BENEFIT CAP TABLE

Household Size	FPL<75%	FPL 75-100%	FPL 101%-125%	FPL 126%-150%
1	\$824	\$495	\$442	\$382
2	\$887	\$532	\$476	\$411
3	\$953	\$572	\$512	\$442
4	\$1,025	\$615	\$550	\$475
5	\$1,097	\$658	\$589	\$508
6	\$1,174	\$717	\$630	\$544
7	\$1,256	\$767	\$674	\$582
8+	\$1,334	\$791	\$721	\$623

Add \$50 to Households with a member 60 years or older; disabled, or a child under 6

Add \$200 to households with oil or propane primary energy source.

A copy of this notice is available at the following locations for inspection and copying:

DWSS Central Office	1470 College Parkway	Carson City	89706
Las Vegas Belrose DWSS Office	700 Belrose St.	Las Vegas	89158
Reno DWSS Office	4055 S. Virginia	Reno	89502
Elko DWSS Office	1020 Ruby Vista Dr. #101	Elko	89801

MAILING DATE: **July 3, 2017**

PUBLIC NOTICE POSTING LOCATIONS:

Health Division	4150 Technology Way	Carson City
DWSS PDC	701 N. Rancho Drive	Las Vegas
DWSS Central Office	1470 College Parkway	Carson City
Elko DWSS Office	1020 Ruby Vista Drive, #101	Elko
Reno DWSS Office	4055 S. Virginia St.	Reno
Las Vegas Flamingo DWSS Office	3330 E. Flamingo, Suite 55	Las Vegas
Las Vegas Belrose DWSS Office	700 Belrose St.	Las Vegas

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