



**Sangamon County Community Resources**

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Dear Sangamon County Community Member,

Sangamon County Community Resources would like to make you aware of our Rental Assistance program for residents of Sangamon County. Through funding provided by our Community Services Block Grant, we offer this rental assistance to households who have experienced a hardship that has prevented them from paying their rent. We serve individuals from low-income households. Applicants must have a household income that falls below the 200% Federal Poverty Guidelines. The following chart indicates the household income requirements:

<b>2024 Federal Poverty Guidelines for 200% of Poverty</b>		
Family Size*	30-Day Income	Annual Income
1	\$ 2,430.00	\$ 29,160.00
2	\$ 3,287.00	\$ 39,440.00
3	\$ 4,143.00	\$ 49,720.00
4	\$ 5,000.00	\$ 60,000.00
5	\$ 5,857.00	\$ 70,280.00
6	\$ 6,713.00	\$ 80,560.00

\*total number in household

Enclosed, please find a flyer to share about the program. Interested tenants should contact Sangamon County Community Resources to see if they qualify. Once they are approved and have participated in the Financial Literacy class we offer, payment is made directly to the landlord. If you have any questions, please feel free to contact me.

Sincerely,

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# Community Services Block Grant

## RENTAL ASSISTANCE

*Have you experienced a hardship or crisis that has threatened your once-stable household budget? We can help! Rental assistance is available up to \$800 for those who qualify.*

### Requirements:

- ✓ Working 30+ hours per week or receiving Social Security income
- ✓ Proof of unavoidable hardship due to no fault of your own
- ✓ Rent is less than 50% of income
- ✓ Not more than one month delinquent in rent or proof of established repayment plan with landlord

### Our Mission:

*The Sangamon County Department of Community Resources strives to improve the quality of life for people in-need in Sangamon County through department programs, services and referrals that promote economic stability and/or self-motivation.*

*\*Additional eligibility requirements. Approved applicants are required to participate in a Financial Literacy class.*

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