

CARES ACT



The Shoshone-Bannock Tribes 477 Human Services Department has received CARES ACT funding to provide assistance. Everything is vendor pay based. No direct assistance (cash) done. Will need supporting documentation in order to process request. Need an application turned in at the green 477 drop box outside the old casino. Approved for assistance 7-10 days with supporting documentation.

Utility Assistance: To Assist tribal members with energy and non-energy assistance one time.

- \$800 for IDPC
- \$400 Intermountain Gas
- \$1000 for Propane/Heating Fuel
- 4 Cords of Wood or \$660 total
- \$660 Pellets
- Limit \$800 for multiple energy sources

Rental/Mortgage Assistance: To assists tribal members with rent mortgage assistance. Need a renters verification and W9, and mortgage bill.

- \$500 one time assistance

Food & Household Supply Assistance: Benefits based on household size. Will need to know vendor.

- Benefit will start with \$150 and will be \$50 per person but no more than \$500 for 7 or more people

Assistance can be applied for once a month from September to December.

Childcare Assistance: Benefit is based on if the person is working and going to school with a child 12 and under or with a disability. We will need a bill and W9 from the vendor.

- \$300 Monthly

Internet/Phone Service Assistance: Benefit will be a one-time for tribal members, service must be related to work or school, and have children in the home where internet is needed for school.

- \$250 for internet service
- \$250 for phone service. Phone card and phone purchase is included.

Gas Assistance: Benefit is for tribal members that need fuel.

- Will be \$30 a voucher month depending on availability

Equipment/Software Assistance: Benefit to provide educational assistance like computer equipment, software and internet service for eligible tribal members.

- Used for K-12th grader in public or private education
- Used for higher education students
- The benefit amount is one time \$250 to the vendor

Child Learning/Homework Assistance: Benefit to be used to provide tutoring to tribal member child from K-12th grade student that is doing distance learning.

Recreation Assistance: Benefit for tribal members to provide contemporary and cultural activities per household while in mandated quarantine.

Out of Area Assistance: One time direct assistance with various bills.

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