

DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH AND HUMAN SERVICES DIVISION OF SOCIAL SERVICES

ECONOMIC & FAMILY SERVICES

ROY COOPER GOVERNOR MANDY COHEN, MD, MPH Secretary

> WAYNE E. BLACK DIRECTOR

February 13, 2018

Attention: County Directors of Social Services

Subject: (Time Sensitive, Response Required) **Reallocation of Low Income Energy Assistance Program (LIEAP) Funds**

Dear County Director of Social Services:

Some counties have requested additional LIEAP funds due to the exhaustion of funds as a result of winter weather conditions across the state. The Division is exploring the option of reallocating unspent LIEAP funds from other counties for the remainder of the program year. The program year for LIEAP ends March 31st.

Please indicate on the attached survey form if your county is willing to have LIEAP funds reallocated to other counties or if you are interested in having LIEAP funds reallocated to your county. Please indicate the amount your county is willing to reallocate or the amount requested. Please return the Reallocation Survey form by <u>Tuesday, February 20, 2018</u> via e-mail to Arlisha Cooper at <u>Arlisha.cooper@dhhs.nc.gov</u>. Please note that any requests for reallocated funds received after February 20, will not be considered.

If you have questions, please contact Arlisha Cooper at <u>Arlisha.cooper@dhhs.nc.gov</u> and 919-537-6309.

Sincerely,

David Locklear, Deputy Director

Attachment (1):

LIEAP Reallocation Survey

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