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Aquarion Water Company Launches Customer Assistance Program

Aquarion Water Company of Massachusetts has allocated \$20,000 to its new Customer Assistance Program, for customers who need help paying their water bills.

According to Harry Hibbard, Aquarion's Vice President of Operations in Massachusetts, the company will grant one-time, \$50 vouchers to up to 400 customers in 2009 who are either homeowners in Aquarion's service territory or contractual renters (water bill must be in renter's name) who pay a quarterly water bill. Once the \$20,000 has been distributed, the program will conclude for 2009.

Aquarion customers in Hingham, Hull, North Cohasset, Millbury and Oxford qualify for the voucher if they currently receive assistance from one or more of the following sources:

- Emergency Aid to Elderly, Disabled and Children (EAEDC)
- Supplemental Security Income (SSI)
- Social Security Disability Insurance (SSDI)
- MassHealth
- Section 8 (Housing Choice Voucher Program)
- Food stamps
- Fuel/heating assistance
- Medicaid

Customers will receive a flyer and application with their next Aquarion bill. To apply for assistance, customers may complete the application form and follow the directions indicated on the flyer. For further information, contact Wellspring Multi-Service Center at 781-925-3211 or visit us at www.aquarionwater.com and choose "Massachusetts" in the upper right hand corner.

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