



Members Helping Members, Inc., MHM, a community non-profit 501(c)(3) organization, was established to assist families needing assistance in paying their electric service bills.

The Accomack and Northampton County Departments of Social Services determine qualified candidates for assistance in the program. To be eligible a family must be at or below 100% of the Federal Poverty Guidelines; they must have a delinquent electric account of more than \$50, and may receive assistance only once in any given calendar year. If a family qualifies they may be eligible for up to \$250 per year in assistance. Anyone who received funds in 2015 will not be eligible for 2016. For the 2016 program, the application period begins on Tuesday, April 5<sup>th</sup>, 2016. Applications for the program will be taken at either Department of Social Services on any Tuesday between the hours of 9:00–11:00AM. Applicants must bring a copy of their bill and verification of income to apply.

ANEC, in cooperation with Members Helping Members, Inc., secures funding through voluntary donations through the Cooperative's electric service bills. Members of ANEC who would like to donate to the program may do so by checking a box on their electric service bills. By checking the box, the member authorizes the Cooperative to add the amount selected per month to their bills.

Please remember, your donation is tax deductible and one hundred percent of the funds collected goes to those in need.

Members Helping Members, is a Community Concerned Organization.

Your contributions are greatly appreciated.