

RENTER'S REBATE PROGRAM

Town of Essex Department of Social Services

The Renters Rebate Program starts **April 1, 2014** and runs through **October 1, 2014**.

To qualify you must be 65 years or older or 100% totally disabled through Social Security **and** your income must have been less than \$41,600 for a married couple \$34,100 for a single person.

The following information is needed to complete the application for the 2013 Calendar Year.

EXPENSES: Rent receipts, letter from landlord stating what you paid for rent in the year 2013. Utility (Electric, water, oil and/or gas) receipts or statement from utility company. You can call CL&P for a printout at 1-800-286-2000 (have account number ready)

INCOME: Social Security SSA-1099 statement or print-out from the Social Security Office, bank interest, pensions, VA benefits or any other sources of income. If you file a federal income tax return, a copy of your return is required.

If you are filing as 100% disabled, proof of disability is required every year by the State of Connecticut. A statement from social security **STATING TOTALLY DISABLED OR A TPOY FROM SOCIAL SECURITY DATED FOR CURRENT YEAR** stating that you were disabled the previous year.

You must have all information to file your application. Filing period is from April 1, 2014 through October 1, 2014,

Please call the Town of Essex Department of Social Services for an appointment, office hours are Tues-Thurs 9a-12n. 860-767-4340 x110

Income		Maximum Credit		Minimum Credit	
<u>Over</u>	<u>To</u>	<u>Married/Single</u>		<u>Married/Single</u>	
\$ -0-	\$17,000	\$900	\$700	\$400	\$300
17,000	22,900	700	500	300	200
22,900	28,600	500	250	200	100
28,600	34,100	250	150	100	50
34,100	41,600	150	-0-	50	-0-