

# Payment Assistance Resources

## **Catholic Charities:**

Garden City Office  
603 N. 8th St.  
Garden City, KS  
620-272-0010

[https://www.needhelppayingbills.com/html/southwest\\_kansas\\_catholic\\_char.html](https://www.needhelppayingbills.com/html/southwest_kansas_catholic_char.html)

## **Salvation Army:**

### Local:

219 N. 9th St.  
Garden City, KS  
620-276-4027

<https://centralusa.salvationarmy.org/mokan/utility-assistance/>

Atmos Energy Sharing the Warmth Program: Winter heating bill payment assistance for the elderly, the disabled, and families in need for customers of Atmos Energy. This service is provided in cooperation with The Salvation Army. Applicants may receive assistance three times per year for no more than \$200 each time on a first-come, first-served basis. To apply for energy assistance, please call The Salvation Army at 1-816-756-5392 and select option 4.

[Download the Atmos Sharing the Warmth application here.](#)

Midwest Energy Customers Care: (Gas Utilities) Qualifying Midwest Energy customers must have a household income less than 200% of the federal poverty guideline and may not receive more than \$200 per heating season. Assistance is available from November 1<sup>st</sup> through the end of April or when the funding is exhausted, whichever comes first. To apply for energy assistance, please call The Salvation Army at 1-816-756-5392 and select option #3 and tell them you are a Midwest Energy Customer. [Download the Midwest Customers Care application here.](#)

Kansas Gas Energy Assistance Gift of Warmth: Kansas Gas Energy Assistance. Assistance with winter heating bills regardless of the type of fuel used. 1-877-566-2769 x402

## **Harvest America:**

2101 E Labrador Blvd #A  
Garden City, KS 67846  
620-275-1619

## **United Way:**

Call "211" to find out what assistance is in your area.

Connects people with available community resources i.e. utility assistance. You can call and speak with an operator 24/7, or 816-472-4289 and select option #2.

## **Ministerial Alliance:**

Call local churches to find out who the contact is in your area.

**Kansas Area Agency on Aging:**

1-855-200-2372

Assists seniors of all income levels and refers them to helping agencies targeted to promote independence i.e. utility assistance, weatherization assistance.

**Low Income Energy Assistance Program (LIEAP):**

Helps income eligible households pay some of their home energy costs with a one-time per year benefit. Online & Printable applications as well as more information and income eligibility can be found: <http://www.dcf.ks.gov/services/ees/Pages/EnergyAssistance.aspx>

Applications can also be picked up at county health departments, or at Lane-Scott Electric.

DCF Phone: 1-800-432-0043

NEK-CAP: Refers and helps clients with completing LIEAP and Weatherization applications.

1-888-292-7480

**Kansas Weatherization Assistance Program (WAP):**

Weatherization assistance for low-income households (home owners or renters) who qualify under federal low income guidelines. Weather stripping, caulking around doors and windows, cleaning, testing, repairs or replacement of appliances, heating and/or cooling systems, adding insulation to walls, ceilings and foundations, infiltration reduction, lighting and ventilation upgrades.

1-888-833-0832

1-800-432-0303

**Rapid Rehousing Program (HUD) Homeless Assistance Program:**

Applicants need to be homeless, aggressively seeking employment, and have a child. Can receive up to one year of transitional support for i.e. help with heating and utility bill payments in this Kansas Housing Program. Call HUD office for details:

U.S. Dept. of Housing & Urban Development

451 7<sup>th</sup> Street SW

Washington, DC 20410

202-708-1112

**COVID Resources:**

Kansas Housing Resources Corporation

611 S. Kansas Ave. #3

Topeka, KS 66603

785-217-2001

Helps people who have been displaced due to covid. This organization helps with utilities and home energy services, etc. Call or email [KHAF@kshousingcorp.org](mailto:KHAF@kshousingcorp.org)

Kansas Emergency Rental Assistance (KERA)

1/785-217-2001

<https://kshousingcorp.org/emergency-rental-assistance>

Emergency rent and utility assistance for landlords and tenants affected by COVID