

Maryland Energy Assistance Program (MEAP)					
	July	August	September	October	Total
Applications Received to Date	24376	20062	15443	15295	75176
Applications Approved for Benefits	3505	14617	4438	9074	31634
Total Benefits Issued	\$2,638,128.77	\$10,982,032.98	\$3,233,465.04	\$6,200,243.50	\$23,053,870.29
Average Benefit	\$753	\$751	\$729	\$683	\$728.77
Denied Applications	4102	3850	3527	3137	14616
Denial Rate	16.83%	19.19%	22.84%	20.51%	19.44%

Electric Universal Service Program (EUSP)					
	July	August	September	October	Total
Applications Received to Date	24476	20257	15495	15236	75464
Applications Approved for Benefits	3743	15416	4608	9969	33736
Total Benefits Issued	\$2,386,428.00	\$9,666,264.00	\$2,945,736.00	\$6,464,159.00	\$21,462,587.00
Average Benefit	\$638	\$627	\$639	\$648	\$636
Denied Applications	4300	4113	3853	3611	15877
Denial Rate	17.57%	20.30%	24.87%	23.70%	21.04%

Electric Arrearage Retirement Assistance Program (EARA)					
	July	August	September	October	Total
Applications Received to Date	11855	11329	9008	8940	41132
Applications Approved for Benefits	642	3334	1176	2754	7906
Total Benefits Issued	\$739,908.09	\$3,595,869.24	\$1,225,593.71	\$3,002,688.99	\$8,564,060.03
Average Benefit	\$1,153	\$1,079	\$1,042	\$1,090	\$1,083.24
Denied Applications	5597	4769	3992	3484	17842
Denial Rate	47.21%	42.10%	44.32%	38.97%	43.38%

Natural Gas Arrearage Retirement Assistance Program (GARA)					
	July	August	September	October	Total
Applications Received to Date	5754	5447	4414	4491	20106
Applications Approved for Benefits	256	1177	501	1234	3168
Total Benefits Issued	\$232,755.95	\$1,126,032.13	\$409,921.93	\$1,164,570.77	\$2,933,280.78
Average Benefit	\$909	\$957	\$818	\$944	\$925.91
Denied Applications	3143	2585	2332	1905	9965
Denial Rate	54.62%	47.46%	52.83%	42.42%	49.56%

Universal Service Protection Program (USPP)					
	July	August	September	October	Total
Applications Received to Date	563	650	452	464	2129