



Special IHCDA Info

The Indiana Housing and Community Development Authority (IHCDA), chaired by Lt. Governor Sue Ellspermann, creates housing opportunity, generates and preserves assets, and revitalizes neighborhoods by investing

financial and technical resources in the development efforts of qualified partners throughout Indiana. Growing Indiana's economy starts at home.



2014 Low Income Home Energy Assistance Program State Plan Posted for Public Comment

Federal regulations related to the Low Income Home Energy Assistance Program Block Grant funding (LIHEAP) require states, such as Indiana, that are applying for the LIHEAP funding, to prepare a State Plan as a part of the application process. Another part of this process is providing the public an opportunity to review and comment on the contents of the State Plan. This email is being sent as a notification tool that Indiana's LIHEAP State Plan is available for public viewing and comment.

Notice of Public Hearing

IHCDA is holding a public hearing on Tuesday, August 12, 2014 to receive comment and testimony regarding the State of Indiana's Low Income Energy Assistance Program (LIHEAP) State Plan. The hearing will begin at 1:00pm (EST) at 30 South Meridian Street, Suite 1000, Indianapolis, IN 46204.

Members of the public are welcome to review the State Plan at IHCDA's offices during the business hours of 8:00am to 5:00pm August 5, 2014-August 11, 2014.

The State Plan is also available under the Public Notices sections on IHCDA's [Consumer](#) and [Partner](#) websites.

Written comments are invited through close of business August 11, 2014.

Comments may be submitted electronically to iwx@ihcda.in.gov with the subject line Public Comment; by facsimile to (317)232-7778; or by postal service to the following address: Indiana Housing and Community Development Authority State of Indiana's

Low Income Energy Assistance Program – Attn. Taura Edwards, 30 South Meridian Street, Suite 1000 Indianapolis, IN 46204.

Additional information may also be obtained by phone at (317) 232-7777.

Grant Opportunity - Innovative Community Collaborations

IHCDA is accepting applications from organizations for Innovative Community Collaboration projects. The program will provide up to \$100,000 in total funding to one or more grant applications.

To qualify, applicants must demonstrate a collaboration between a local community action agency and other organizations with similar mission and focus, incorporate technology and serve low income families at or below 125 percent of the federal poverty level. Applicants are also required to show that the project or program is based on a recent needs assessment.

Applications are due by September 1, 2014 by 5:00 p.m. EST.

For more information, contact [Greg Stocking](#), IHCDA Community Programs Analyst.

For more information on community action agencies in Indiana, visit [Indiana's Community Action Association](#).

Read the profile on last year's recipients in the [Spring 2014 edition of IHCDA...The Magazine](#).

For more information on IHCDA please visit www.ihcda.in.gov or www.in.gov/myihcda.
For updates from Lt. Governor Ellspermann and the agencies she oversees, visit www.lg.in.gov.