An Open Letter Appeal to the U.S. Senate and House of Representatives, to Continue Funding the Low Income Home Energy Assistance Program (LIHEAP) at \$5.1 Billion in Fiscal Year (FY) 2012

September 19, 2011

U.S. Senate Washington, DC 20510

U.S. House of Representatives Washington, DC 20515

We are writing to request that you provide at least \$5.1 billion for the Low Income Home Energy Assistance (LIHEAP) program in the FY2012 Labor-HHS-Education Appropriations bill. LIHEAP is vital in protecting roughly 8.9 million families—approximately 23 million people— during both cold winters and hot summers.

Throughout the United States, seniors and families are faced with the day to day struggles of today's economic challenges. From the high cost of medicines to the difficulties in the job market, tens of millions of Americans are feeling economic pressures beyond what we have seen in decades. During tough economic times and with home heating and cooling prices on a steady incline, LIHEAP has never been more important for the protection of millions of struggling families.

LIHEAP is an efficient and highly effective program that delivers critical short-term seasonal aid to our most vulnerable neighbors, especially the elderly, many of who are on fixed incomes. The increased demand for LIHEAP assistance across the country is undeniable. In 2008, 33.8 million households met LIHEAP's strict eligibility requirements. Yet, there was only enough money in the program to serve 5.7 million households. Since 2008, statistics show that wages for working Americans have decreased and unemployment figures have risen. The worst economic crisis since the Great Depression has puts tens of millions of Americans in a desperately precarious financial state. According to the 2010 U.S. Census Bureau, 15.1 percent of the nation – over 46 million Americans - live in poverty.

The President's FY 2012 budget request proposes reducing funding for LIHEAP back to the 2008 level of \$2.57 billion. Such a reduction would preclude 3.1 million families from receiving LIHEAP's benefit, according to the National Energy Assistance Directors' Association. We believe this would prevent 8 million Americans from receiving assistance. Most of those who would be cut off are likely to be elderly, disabled, or at-risk pre-school children. Extensive academic research has documented the broader impact of energy assistance, from the "heat or eat" dynamic seen in many lower-income households, to the health effects on children.

In addition, energy prices have increased substantially in recent years and are projected to remain high in many parts of the country. EIA expects prices for all heating fuels will increase for consumers next winter and America's need for cooling is increasing. These increases, along with the doubling of gasoline prices in the last two years and the increase in poverty rates have placed incredible pressures on at-risk Americans. LIHEAP is not an entitlement. It can only provide assistance if Congress appropriates these vital funds, which are very urgently needed.

We urge you to provide at least \$5.1 billion for LIHEAP in FY2012.

Sincerely,

National Organizations

American Assoc of Blacks in Energy

American Gas Association

American Public Gas Association

American Public Power Association

Campaign for Home Energy Assistance

Community Action Partnership

Consumer Action

Edison Electric Institute

Hispanic Federation

Jewish Council for Public Affairs

League of United Latin American Citizens (LULAC)

Mennonite Central Committee U.S. Washington Office

National Advocacy Center of the Sisters of the Good Shepherd

National Association for State Community Services Programs (NASCSP)

National Association of Oil & Energy Service Professionals

National Association of Regulatory Utility Commissioners (NARUC)

National Association of State Utility Consumer Advocates

National Black Caucus of State Legislators

National Community Action Foundation

National Consumer Law Center, on behalf of its low-income clients

National Consumers League

National Council of Jewish Women

National Energy Assistance Directors' Association

National Fuel Funds Network

National Indian Health Board

National Latino Coalition on Climate Change (NLCCC)

National Propane Gas Association

National Rural Electric Cooperative Association

New England Fuel Institute

Oilheat Manufacturer's Association

Petroleum Marketers Association of America

Public Citizen

RetireSafe

Salvation Army National Headquarters

Save LIHEAP Coalition

The Jewish Federations of North America

Union for Reform Judaism

Alabama

Advantage Credit Counseling Service, Inc.
Blevins Inc
Global Community Development, Inc.
Mobile Gas Service Corporation
Southern Company

Alaska

Advantage Credit Counseling Service, Inc. Aleutian Pribilof Islands Association, Inc Kawerack, Inc. Kodiak Area Native Association Tlingit-Haida Regional Housing Authority

Arizona

A New Leaf Arizona Community Action Association Arizona Investment Council Arizona Public Service

City of Phoenix

Coalition for Affordable Energy for All
Community Action Human Resources Agency
Maricopa County
Protecting Arizona's Family Coalition (PAFCO)
Salt River Project
Save the Family
St. Vincent de Paul
Tucson Electric Power
UniSource Energy Corporation

Arkansas

Advantage Credit Counseling Service, Inc.
Arkansas Advocates for Children and Families
Arkansas Community Action Assoc.
Arkansas Energy Network
Arkansas Gas Association

Arkansas Interfaith Alliance Arkansas Western Gas Company American Electric Power Beebe Chamber of Commerce

Page **3** of **32**

Beebe Economic Development Commission

Blanntown Hunting Club

Blevins Inc

CenterPoint Energy

Children's Health Watch

City of Arkansas City

City of North Little Rock

Coalition for Affordable Energy for All

Community Action Program for Central AR

Dumas Chamber of Commerce

Empire District Electric

Entergy Arkansas

First Baptist Church

Flywrite Communications, Inc.

Fuller Center for Housing of North Central AR

Genesis House

Helping Hands of Winchester

Houseaboutit, Inc.

McGehee Area Chamber of Commerce

NADC

North Arkansas Development Council

North Little Rock Housing Authority

Northwest AR Tax Center

Office of Human Concern, Inc.

Ozark Opportunities

Second Baptist Church

Southern Bancorp Capital Partners

Southern Good Faith Fund

St. Matthew Church of God in Christ

United Way of Garland County

United Way of Independence County

United Way of Northeast AR

Universal Housing Development Corporation

Van Buren Housing Authority

Workforce Investment Board

California

A Place-2-Live, Inc.

Adopt A Family of Marin

Advantage Credit Counseling Service, Inc.

AIDS Services Foundation Orange County

Amador Tuolumne Community Action Agency

Asian American Center of Santa Clara County

Association of California Community and Energy Services

Association of Rural Northern California Energy Providers

CAL/NEVA

California Housing Partnership Corporation

California LIHEAP Service Providers

California Reinvestment Coalition

Campesinos Unidos, Inc.

Catholic Charities Diocese of Fresno

Catholic Charities of the Diocese of Merced

Center for Training & Careers, Inc.

Central Valley Opportunity Center (CVOC)

Community Action Agency of Imperial County

Community Action Marin

Community Action of Ventura County, Inc.

Community Action Partnership of San Bernardino County

Community Action Partnership of SLO County, Inc.

Community HousingWorks

Community Resource Project

Community Resource Project

Consumer Credit Counseling Service

EPA CAN DO

Esperanza Community Housing Corporation

Fresno Community Development Financial Institution

Fresno County Economics Opportunity Commission

Kings Community Action Organization

Knotts Family Agency

LULAC Council 3120

Maravilla Foundation

Merced County Community Action Agency

Mercy Housing-Mission Creek Senior Community

Metropolitan Area Advisory Committee

MLM & Associates

Non-Profit Housing Association of Northern California

North Coast Energy Services, Inc.

Pacific Asian Consortium in Employment

Pacific Gas & Electric Co.

Pacific Power

Project Go, Inc.

Redwood Community Action Agency

Sacramento-Yolo Mutual Housing Association

Page **5** of **32**

Sacred Heart Community Service

San Diego Gas & Electric

San Diego Housing Federation

San Joaquin County, Human Services Agency

Self Help Home Improvement

SEMPRA

Senior Legal Hotline

Southern California Forum

Southern California Gas Company

Springboard Nonprofit Consumer Credit Management

Stand Affordable Housing Program

TURN—The Utility Reform Network

West Enterprise Center, Inc

Westlake WorkSource Center

Woodbridge Manors

YWCA Monterey County

Colorado

ACS Community LIFT

Almost Home, Inc.

Atmos Energy

Black Hills Energy

Broomfield FISH

Catholic Charities Denver Metro

Catholic Charities, Diocese of Pueblo

Clear Creek County Department of Health and Human Services

Coalition for Affordable Energy for All

Colorado Springs Utilities

Community Budget Center, Inc.

Crowley County Department of Human Services

Crowley County Government

Denver Indian Health & Family Services

Denver Metro Council of the St. Vincent de Paul Society

Ecumenical Social Ministries

Emergency Family Assistance Association

Energy Outreach Colorado

Faith Community Service Fund

Family Link Center

First Mennonite Church of Denver Assistance Program

Grand Junction Housing Authority

Grand Valley Catholic Outreach

Lift-Up of Routt County

Page **6** of **32**

National Multiple Sclerosis Society Colorado-Wyoming Chapter

Northern Churches Care

Project WISE

Rural Communities Resource Center

Sara Brown Memorial Fund

Senior Assistance

The Home Front Cares, Inc.

Tri-Lakes Cares

Xcel Energy/ Public Service Company of Colorado

Connecticut

Apple Oil Company

Barrieau Oil Company

Berkshire Gas Company

Brodeur's Oil Service, Inc.

Canoe Brook Center & Branford Fuel Bank

Community Renewal Team

Connecticut Association for Community Action

Connecticut Legal Services, Inc.

Connecticut Local Administrators of Social Services

Connecticut Natural Gas Corporation

Daniel's Oil Company

Densmore Oil Co.

Dougherty Oil Co., Inc.

F. F. Hitchcock Oil Company

Greater Hartford Legal Aid, Inc.

Guardian Fuel

Hoffman Fuel

Independent Connecticut Petroleum Association

Krupa Oil Company

Legal Assistance Resource Center of Connecticut

New Haven Legal Assistance Association, Inc.

Northeast Utilities/Connecticut Light & Power

Northeast Utilities/Yankee Gas

Northwest Corner Fuel Bank

Operation Fuel, Inc.

Peter H. Mortensen-Vinci Co.

Peterson Oil Company

Petro Ct

Petro Holdings, Inc.

Potter's Oil Service

Propane Gas Association of New England

Page **7** of **32**

Public Service Electric and Gas

Reliable Oil & Heat Co. Inc.

Southern Connecticut Gas Company

Town of Sherman

Toyotomi USA

UIL Holdings Corporation

United Illuminating Company

Vinci Oil Co.

Williams Oil Company

Windham Area Interfaith Ministry (WAIM)

Delaware

Blevins Inc

Delmarva Power and Light

Housing Opportunities of Northern Delaware, Inc.

People's Place

District of Columbia

NETWORK, A National Catholic Social Justice Lobby

Office of the People's Counsel for the District of Columbia

Opportunities Industrialization Center of DC

Pepco

Petro Holdings, Inc.

Washington Gas

Florida

Advantage Credit Counseling Service, Inc.

AGL Resources

Coalition for Affordable Energy for All

Credit Card Management Services

Escambia County Housing Finance Authority

Florida Power & Light

Jacksonville Urban League

Mid America Assistance Coalition (MAAC)

Progress Energy

Southern Company

Utility Shareholders of Florida

Georgia

Advantage Credit Counseling Service, Inc.

AGL Resources

Atmos Energy

Page 8 of 32

Blevins Inc

Coalition for Affordable Energy for All

Georgia Association of Persons Living with AIDS

Georgia Conference of Black Mayors

Seedco

Southern Company

Hawaii

Advantage Credit Counseling Service, Inc.

Idaho

Community Action Partnership Association of Idaho Consumer Credit Counseling of Northern Idaho, Inc Idaho Community Action Network Intermountain Gas Company

Rocky Mountain Power

Illinois

Action Coalition of Englewood

Ameren

Atmos Energy

Bethlem Star

BROCKS

BVC

Campaign for a Drug Free Westside, Inc.

Casa Aztlan Community Center

CEDA

Center for Seniors

Central Union Community Church

Central United

Centro Comunitario Juan Diego

Champaign County Regional Planning Commission

Change of Life Fund

Chestnut Credit Counseling Services

Chicago Consumer Coalition

Chinese American Service League

Chinese Mutual Aid Association

Christ Cathedral

City of Rockford Human Services Department

Coalition of Citizens with Disabilities in Illinois

Coalition for Affordable Energy for All

Community Action Partnership of Central Illinois

Page 9 of 32

Community Action Partnership of Lake County

Community Care Outreach

Community Contacts, Inc.

Comprehensive Korean Self-Help Community Center

Consumer Credit Counseling of McHenry Country, Inc.

CRDDC

Decatur-Macon County Opportunities Corporation

Elgin Triad

Embarras River Basin Agency, Inc.

European American Association

Evening Star M.B.C.

Eyes On Austin (EOA)

Faith Works Pavilion

First Time Correction

Foster Park

Fulton County Health Department

Greater Washington REC.D.C.

HAPLC

Healing Temple

Hegewisch

Heritage Manor

Hope Organization

Howard Area Community Center

Illinois Association of Community Action Agencies

Illinois Valley Economic Development Corp

Integrys Energy Group

KACS

Kendall-Grundy Community Action, A Unit of Kendall County Health Department

Labor Coalition

MACEO Inc.

Madison County Community Development

ManorCare Health Services

Marillaco

Metro Community Outreach

MidAmerican Energy Company

Mt. Carmel H. B. Church

New Horizon Organization

North Shore Gas

North Shore Senior Center

Northwest Austin Council

Northwestern Illinois Community Action Agency

Operation Brotherhood

Page 10 of 32

Palatine Township

Peoples Gas

PRUA

SACC

San Lucas

SANAD

Sangamon County Community Resources

Senior Services Associates

Seniors Assistance Center

Solutions For Care

South-East Asia Center

Southwest Senior Center

Spanish Coalition for Housing

St. Vincent de Paul Center - Outreach Department

Stickney Township

Tri-County Opportunities Council

Universal Prayer Tower

Wabash Area Development, Inc

Western Egyptian Economic Opportunity Council

Western Illinois Regional Council-Community Action Agency

Will County Center for Community Concerns

Woodlawn East Community and Neighbor (WECAN)

Workers Education Society

Indiana

accessABILITY, Inc.

American Electric Power

Children's Bureau, Inc.

Citizens Action Coalition of Indiana

Citizens Gas

Coalition to Keep Indiana Warm

Connect2 Help

Duke Energy

Indiana Coalition Against Domestic Violence

Indiana Coalition for Human Services

Indiana Community Action Association

Indiana Michigan Power (A unit of American Electric Power)

Indiana Township Association

Indianapolis Jewish Community Relations Council

Indianapolis Power and Light

Lafayette Urban Ministry

Little Flower Catholic Church

Page **11** of **32**

National Association of Social Workers - Indiana Chapter NIPSCO

Vectren Corporation

Iowa

AgVantage F.S., a division of Growmark, Inc.

Alliant Energy

Atmos Energy

Black Hills Energy

Coalition for Affordable Energy for All

Fencl Oil & L.P. Co., Inc.

Hull Cooperative Association

Innovative Ag Services

Iowa Propane Gas Association

Iowa Utility Association

MidAmerican Energy Company

Operation: New View

Pelgas, Inc.

Siouxland Propane

Two Rivers Co-Op

Kansas

Atmos Energy

Black Hills Energy

Coalition for Affordable Energy for All

Empire District Electric

Kansas City Power & Light

Mid America Assistance Coalition (MAAC)

Westar Energy

Kentucky

Advantage Credit Counseling Service, Inc.

American Electric Power

Atmos Energy

Blevins Inc

Coalition for Affordable Energy for All

Columbia Gas of Kentucky

Duke Energy

Equitable Gas Company

Louisiana

3Sixty Elite Social & Service Organization Advantage Credit Counseling Service, Inc.

Page 12 of 32

AGL Resources

Alliance for Affordable Energy

American Electric Power

American Red Cross, Northeast Louisiana Chapter

Atmos Energy

Boys and Girls Clubs of SE Louisiana

Calcasieu Parish Police Jury

Caldwell Council on Aging

Catholic Charities Archdiocese of New Orleans

Catholic Charities of the Diocese of Baton Rouge

Catholic Charities Sojourner Truth Neighborhood Center

Catholic Charities Southwest Louisiana

CenterPoint Energy

Central City Partnership

Cleco Power

Coalition for Affordable Energy for All

Communities In Schools of Greater New Orleans, Inc., New Orleans, LA

Department of Human Resources, St. James Parish Government

Early Childhood & Family Learning Foundation

East Baton Rouge Council on Aging

Education's Next Horizon, Baton Rouge, La.

Entergy Gulf States Louisiana

Entergy Louisiana

Entergy New Orleans

Goodwill Industries of Acadiana, Inc.

Grandparents Raising Grandkids

Harmony Oaks Neighborhood Association

Hoffman Triangle Neighborhood Association

Humanitarian Enterprises of Lincoln Parish

Iberville Parish Council Office of Community Service

Irma Thomas Center for W.I.S.E. Women

JEDC Housing Division Ministry – First Pilgrim's Baptist Church

LaSalle Community Action Agency, Inc.

Louisiana Center for Afterschool Learning

Louisiana Community Action Partnerships

Louisiana Gas Association

Mid America Assistance Coalition (MAAC)

Money Management International

Nagaoka Jackson Early Childhood & Family Learning Center

New Orleans Council on Aging

Object 9

OIC of Ouachita, Inc.

Page 13 of 32

Ouachita Multi-Purpose Community Action Program, Inc., Monroe, La.

Plaquemines Parish Government Community Action Agency

Second Harvest Food Bank of Greater New Orleans and Acadiana

St. Bernard Parish Government

St. James Parish Government

St. John Council on Aging

St. Landry Parish Community Action Agency

The Fellowship Foundation

The Louisiana SPCA

Total Community Action

Union Community Action

United Way for the Greater New Orleans Area

United Way of Southwest Louisiana

Vacherie Senior Citizens Center

ViaLink

West Baton Rouge Parish Council Community Action Agency

West Carroll Council on Aging

YWCA Baton Rouge

Maine

Blevins Inc

Brown's Cash Fuel

C.N. Brown Co.

Community Energy Company

Country Fuel, LLC

Daigle Oil Co.

Errol Oil

Harvest Energy

J&S Oil Co., Inc.

Maine Energy Inc.

Maine Energy Marketers Association

Propane Gas Association of New England

Maryland

Advocates for Children and Youth

AGL Resources

Alliance for Green Heat

C. Hoffberger

Children's HealthWatch

Choptank Electric Cooperative

Christ Church Link

City of Rockville Community services

Page 14 of 32

Coalition to End Childhood Lead Poisoning

Columbia Gas of Maryland

Constellation Energy /BGE

Disciples Justice Action Network

Eastern Petroleum

Energy Advocates

Four Points

Fuel Fund of Maryland, Inc.

Harford Community Action Agency

Maryland Community Action Partnership

Neighborhood Housing Services of Baltimore, Inc

Pepco

Petro Baltimore

Petro Holdings Inc.

Seedco

Sisters of Mercy Institute Justice Team

Southwest Emergency Services (SWES)

St. Mary's Outreach Center

Washington Gas

Massachusetts

Action for Boston Community Development, Inc.

ACTION, INC.

AIDS Action Committee of Massachusetts

Atlas Glen-mor

Aver Oil Co.

Bedford Youth & Family Services

Berkshire Gas Company

Brideau Oil Corp.

Cain Oil

CAPIC-Community Action Programs Intercity, Inc

CESCO Plumbing & Heating, Inc. d/b/a Brown Oil

Children's HealthWatch

Citizens For Citizens, Inc.

Coletti Bros. Oil Co., Inc.

Columbia Gas of Massachusetts

Comfort-Temp Oil

Commonwealth Land Trust, Inc.

Community Teamwork, Inc.

Connecticut Natural Gas Corporation

East Coast Petroleum Corp.

Edward Flynn Flynn Petroleum LLC

Page 15 of 32

Federal Heating & Engineering Co., Inc.

Franklin County Regional Housing Authority

Greater Lawrence Community Action Council, Inc.

Harbor Fuel Oil Corp.

Hawthorne Oil Inc.

Housing Assistance Corporation

J.T.'s Heating Oil, Inc.

Jackson Fuel Corporation

James J. Haynes Oil Co., Inc.

Knight Fuel Company

L.E. Belcher, Inc.

Leominster Ice & Oil

Low Income Energy Affordability Network (LEAN)

Lynn Economic Opportunity, Inc

M.J.T. Enterprises Inc. d/b/a/ Cape Cod Oil Co.

MacFarlane Energy

Mass 211

Massachusetts Association of Community Action (MASSCAP)

Massachusetts Energy Directors Association

Massachusetts Oilheat Council

Metropolitan Boston Housing Partnership, Inc.Mary.Doyle@mbhp.org

MetroWest Legal Services

Mujeres Unidas en Accion

National Grid

Noonan Energy Corp.

Northeast Utilities/Western Massachusetts Electric Co.

Old Colony Elder Services, Inc.

Orange Oil Company

Peter Ferraro Flynn Petroleum LLC

Peterson Oil Service

Petro Holdings, Inc.

Preite Oil Company

Propane Gas Association of New England

Rose's Oil Service

Sean Flynn Al's Oil Service LLC

Self Help, Inc.

Sinclaire Enterprises, Inc.

South Shore Community Action Council, Inc.

Southern Connecticut Gas Company

Squier and Company, Inc.

SSCAC

Steve Barkin Al's Oil Service LLC

Page **16** of **32**

Sunshine Oil Company Inc.

Tasse Fuel Corp.

The Home For Little Wanderers

The Newburyport Society for the Relief of Aged Women, Newburyport, Massachusetts

Todd Oil

Townsend Oil & Propane

Trethewey Bros. Inc.

Tri-Boro Oil Company

UIL Holdings Corporation

United Illuminating Company

Valley Opportunity Council, Inc

Waltham Fuel

Western Massachusetts Electric Company

Michigan

American Electric Power

Area Agencies on Aging Association of Michigan

Area Community Services Employment & Training Council

Brightmoor Alliance

Coalition On Temporary Shelter

Consumers Energy

DTE Energy

Energy Works Michigan

Indiana Michigan Power

Keweenaw Bay Indian Community

Little River Band of Ottawa

Michigan Community Action Agency Association

Michigan Energy Options

Michigan Gas Utilities

Northeast Michigan Community Service Agency

SEMCO Energy Gas Company

The Heat and Warmth Fund (THAW)

TrueNorth Community Services

United Way of Saginaw County

Upper Peninsula Power Company

WARM Training Center

Wisconsin Energy Corporation

Wisconsin Public Service Corporation

Xcel Energy/ Northern States Power - Michigan

Minnesota

ALLETE/Minnesota Power

Page 17 of 32

Alliant Energy Corp

Anoka County Community Action Program

Anoka County Community Action Program

Arrowhead Economic Opportunity Agency (AEOA)

Atmos Energy

Bois Forte Band of Chippewa

Catholic Charities Diocese of St. Cloud

CenterPoint Energy

Children's Defense Fund - Minnesota

Children's HealthWatch

Coalition for Affordable Energy for All

Community Action of Minneapolis

Community Action Partnership of Ramsey & Washington Counties

Community Action Partnership of Suburban Hennepin

Domestic Abuse Project

Great Plains Natural Gas Company

Heartland Community Action Agency

Housing Preservation Project

Integrys Energy Group

Inter- County Community Council

Legal Services Advocacy Project

Metropolitan Consortium of Community Developers

Minnesota Power

Minnesota Utility Investors

Minnesota Valley Action Council, Inc.

Minnesota Energy Resources

Northwest Community Action

Parents in Community Action Inc

Phillips West Neighborhood Organization

Phyllis Wheatley Community Center

Pillsbury United Communities

Prairie Five Community Action Council, Inc.

Project for Pride in Living

Renewables Research and Policy Institute LLC

The Mille Lacs Band of Ojibwe

The Red Lake Community Action Program

Three Rivers Community Action

Three Rivers Community Action, Inc.

Tri-County Action Program, Inc.

West Central Minnesota Communities Action

Western Community Action

Xcel Energy/Northern States Power - Minnesota

Page 18 of 32

Mississippi

100 Black Men of Grenada

All Saints Housing

ALM Divisional Headquarters

American Red Cross - Mississippi Gulf Coast Chapter

Boys and Girls Club

Brookhaven / Lincoln County Chamber of Commerce

Camp Wisdom Foundation in Mississippi

Canton Parks and Recreation

CenterPoint Energy

Christmas in April

City of Winona

Clinton Community Development Foundation

Community Care Network

Community Foundation of Greater Jackson

Delta State University

DREAM, Inc.

Eagle Solutions

Entergy Mississippi, Inc.

Entergy Operations, Inc.

Events and More

Greater Powell's Place

Grenada County Board of Supervisors

Grenada Food Pantry

Habitat for Humanity

Habitat for Humanity/Metro Jackson, Inc.

Hancock Bank

Hinds County Sheriff's Department

Holloway-Polk Historical and Cultural Center

Jackson Association of Realtors

Jobs for Mississippi Graduates

Love's Kitchen

Maddox Foundation

Madison County Baptist Association of Churches

Main Street

Midtown Partners

Mississippi Association of Community Health Centers

Mississippi Building Blocks

Mississippi Center for Nonprofits

Mississippi Chapter of American Association of Blacks in Energy

Mississippi Children's Home Services

Page **19** of **32**

Mississippi Chorus

Mississippi Food Network

Mississippi Hearts Against Aids

Mississippi Lifeline

Mississippi Natural Gas Association

Mississippi Opera

Mississippi State Conference NAACP

Mississippi Tobacco-Free Coalition

Mississippi Valley State University

Museum de Sankofa

Operation Shoestring

Partnership to End Homelessness

Pathways

Pilgrim Rest Baptist Church

Precious Children's Mobile Mission

Salvation Army

South Central Community Action Agency

Southern Company

Southwest Mississippi Opportunity

St. Andrews Mission

St. James AME Community

Tate County Schools

Teach For America - Mississippi Delta

The Source of Mississippi, Inc.

Town of Vaiden

Tunica County Community Development Corporation

United States Department of Labor

United Way of West Central Mississippi

Willowood Developmental Center

Missouri

Ameren

Atmos Energy

City Utilities of Springfield

Coalition for Affordable Energy for All

Coalition to Keep Missouri Warm

Empire District Electric

Kansas City Power & Light

Laclede Gas

Mid America Assistance Coalition (MAAC)

Missouri Association for Social Welfare

Missouri Gas Energy

Page 20 of 32

Ready, Aim, Advocate! Committee St. Pius V Immigrant Refugee Program

Montana

Action for Eastern Montana

Area I Agency on Aging

Black Hills Power

Montana-Dakota Utilities Company

Northern Cheyenne Tribe

NorthWestern Energy

Tri-State HELP

Nebraska

Black Hills Energy

Mid American Energy Corporation

Nebraska Energy Assistance Network (NEAN)

Nebraska Head Start Association

Northeast Housing Initiative, Inc.

NorthWestern Energy

Omaha Public Power District

Panhandle Cooperative Association

Sisters of Mercy West Midwest Justice Team

New Hampshire

Ayer Oil Co.

Brideau Oil Corp.

Cheshire Oil Company, Inc.

Community Action Program Belknap-Merrimack Counties Inc.

Crawford-Vogel & Wenzel Oil Co Inc.

Errol Oil

George C. Stafford & Sons, Inc.

Hedge Solutions, Inc.

Lewis Oil

National Grid

Northeast Utilities/Public Service of New Hampshire

Oil Heat Council of New Hampshire

Palmer Gas & Ermer Oil Co.

Propane Gas Association of New England

Public Service New Hampshire

Rockingham Community Action

Rye Fuel

Southern New Hampshire Services, Inc.

Stafford Oil Company, Inc.

Stiles Fuel

New Jersey

Affinity Federal Credit Union

AGL Resources

Atlantic City Electric

Bayonne Economic Opportunity Foundation

Bergen County Community Action Partnership

Brand New Day, Inc.

Budd Oil

Cape Human Resources

Cape May County Office of Disability Services

Check-Mate, Inc

Clickable Oil Co

Con Edison

Cundiff Oil Company, Inc.

Four Points

Homes of Montclair Ecumenical Corp.

JW Pierson Co.

Liberty Oil Co

Mazzo Oil

Meenan Oil Co.L.P.

Morris County Organization for Hispanic Affairs

New Jersey Citizen Action

New Jersey Citizen Action Oil Group

Orange & Rockland Utilities Inc

Passaic County Weatherization & Home Energy

Petro Holdings, Inc.

Petro NJ

Public Service Electric and Gas

Region Oil

Smith Brothers

Urban League Affordable Housing CDC

Vaughan Oil Co., Inc.

Warm Thoughts Communications

New Mexico

Advantage Credit Counseling Service, Inc.

New Mexico Utility Shareholders Alliance (NMUSA)

PNM Resources

Xcel energy/ Southwestern Public Service - New Mexico

Page 22 of 32

New York

B&R Oil Services, Inc.

Bayside Fuel Oil Depot Corp.

Bell Fuel

Berkoski Heating

Beth Hark Christian Counseling Center, Inc.

Burke Heat

Burt's Reliable Inc.

Capella Energy Inc.

Carpenter & Smith

Central Hudson Gas & Electric Corporation

Cohler Fuel Oil Co., Inc.

Combind Oil

Con Edison

Fair Housing Council of Central NY

G&S Heating

Gilbert Fuel Co.

Hendrickson Fuels

Hewlett Oil Services, Inc.

Lewis Oil

Long Island Ice & Fuel Corp.

Love-Effron

Lt. Col. Matt Urban Human Services Center of WNY, Inc

Lyons Fuel

Marine Oil

Meenan Oil Co.L.P.

National Fuel Gas Distribution Corporation

National Grid

New Age Fuel

New Utrecht Fuel Oil Co., Inc.

New York Oil Heating Association, Inc.

New York State Weatherization Directors Association

NYS Community Action Association

Oil Heat Institute of Long Island (NY)

Orange & Rockland Utilities Inc

OSI - Oil Services, Inc.

Patterson Energy

Petro

Petro Holdings, Inc.

Petro NYC

Petro Propane

Page 23 of 32

Premium Fuel

Public Service Electric and Gas

RCDC Housing, Inc.

RCF Fuel

Ryan Oil

Seedco

Sibling fuel Co., Inc.

Southampton Oil / Hardy Plumbing

Tarrytown Community Opportunity Center

Verplanck Fuel

W.C. ESP Inc.

Wallace Energy

North Carolina

Ashe Services For The Aging / Senior Center

City of Rocky Mount

Duke Energy

Good Work

Piedmont Natural Gas

Progress Energy

Respite Care of Wilkes, Inc/Wilkes Senior Center

Western Watauga Community Center Aging Programs

North Dakota

Great Plains Natural Gas Company

Montana-Dakota Utilities Company

North Dakota Association of Rural Electric Cooperatives

North Dakota Petroleum Marketers Association

North Dakota Propane Gas Association

Utility Shareholder of North Dakota

Xcel Energy/ Northern States Power - North Dakota

Ohio

Adams & Brown Counties Economic Opportunities, Inc. - Adams and Brown Counties

Advantage Credit Counseling Service, Inc.

Advocates for Basic Legal Equality

American Electric Power

Ashtabula County Community Action Agency

Catholic Charities

Citizens Coalition

City of Hamilton

Cleveland Housing Network

Page 24 of 32

Columbia Gas of Ohio

Community Action Agency of Columbiana County

Community Action Commission of Fayette County

Community Action Council of Portage County, Inc.

Community Action of Pike County

Community Action Organization of Scioto County

Council for Economic Opportunities

Duke Energy

Empowerment Center

Fairfield Metropolitan Housing Authority

FirstEnergy

Friendship Foundation of American-Vietnamese

Gallia Meigs Community Action Agency

Greater Warren-Youngstown Urban League

Hancock Hardin Wyandot Putnam Community Action Commission

HARCATUS Tri-County Community Action Organization

Hocking, Athens, Perry Community Action

IMPACT Community Action

Kno-Ho-Co-Ashland Community Action Commission

Legal Aid Society of Southwest Ohio

Lion of Judah Ministries Inc.

Muskingum Economic Opportunity Action Group, Inc.

Neighborhood Environmental Coalition

Neighborhood Housing Services of Toledo

Office of the Ohio Consumers' Counsel

Ohio Association of Community Action Agencies

Ohio Association of Second Harvest Foodbanks

Ohio Heartland Community Action Commission (OHCAC)

Ohio Partners for Affordable Energy

Ohio Poverty Law Center

Pickaway County Community Action Organization, Inc.

Policy Matters Ohio

Pro Seniors

Sources Community Network Services

The Office of the Ohio Consumers' Counsel

The Potter's House Ministries, Inc.

Tri-County Community Action Commission of Champaign, Logan and Shelby Counties

Trumbull Community Action Program (TCAP)

Vectren Corporation

WSOS Community Action

Oklahoma

American Electric Power

CenterPoint Energy

Empire District Electric

Oklahoma Gas Association

Oregon

Cascade Natural Gas Corporation

Community Action Partnership of Oregon

NW Natural

Pacific Power

Portland General Electric

Pennsylvania

ACTION Housing, Inc.

Advantage CCS

Advantage Credit Counseling Service, Inc.

Allentown Housing Authority

Apgar Oil Co., Inc.

Armstrong County Community Action Agency

Berks Community Action Program Inc.

Carbon County Action Committee for Human Services

Center for Community Action

Central Pennsylvania Community Action Inc

Children's HealthWatch

Clickable Oil Co

Clyde S. Walton, Inc.

Columbia County Human Services

Columbia Gas of Pennsylvania

Community Action Committee of the Lehigh Valley

Conservation Consultants, Inc.

Delaware Valley Fuel Dealer's Association

Dollar Energy Fund

Energy Association of Pennsylvania

Equitable Gas Company

Four Points

Harris Fuel, Inc.

J&F Energy Solutions Inc.

JJ Skelton

Keystone Energy Efficiency Alliance (KEEA)

Kirks Fuel

Page **26** of **32**

Leffler Energy

Liberty Oil Co

Meenan Oil Co.L.P.

Meenan Pennsylvania

Montgomery County Community Action Development Commission

National Fuel Gas Distribution Corporation

Northampton County Area agency on Aging

Northern Tier Community Action

Orange & Rockland Utilities Inc

PathWays PA

Patriot Propane

PECO

Pennsylvania Utility Law Project

Peoples Natural Gas Company

Petro Holdings Inc.

Petro Pennsylvania

Philadelphia Chinatown Development Corporation

Philadelphia Gas Works

PPL Electric Utilities

Redevelopment Authority of the County of Monroe County Weatherization Program

Richland Partners, LLC

Robert Marshall, Inc.

Snedeker Energy, LLC

South Central Community Action Programs, Inc.

Tanner Energy

Utility Emergency Services Fund

Weatherization Solutions, LLC

Rhode Island

Blevins Inc

Buckley Heating

D & S Heating Inc.

DeBlois Oil

Fleet Fuel, Inc.

Guardian Fuel

Interstate Oil & Energy

National Grid

Oilheat Institute of Rhode Island

Petro Holdings, Inc.

Petro RI

Propane Gas Association of New England

Sunshine Oil Company Inc.

Page **27** of **32**

Woods Heating

South Carolina

Duke Energy

Piedmont Natural Gas

Progress Energy

South Dakota

Advantage Credit Counseling Service, Inc.

Black Hills Power

MidAmerican Energy Company

Montana-Dakota Utilities Company

NorthWestern Energy

South Dakota Association of Family and Consumer Sciences

Utility Shareholders of South Dakota

Xcel Energy/ Northern States Power - South Dakota

Tennessee

Advantage Credit Counseling Service, Inc.

AGL Resources

American Electric Power

Atmos Energy

Coalition for Affordable Energy for All

Middle Tennessee Natural Gas

Piedmont Natural Gas

Seedco

Texas

Advantage Credit Counseling Service, Inc.

AGL Resources

Alliance for Multicultural Community Services

American Electric Power

Association of Electric Companies of Texas, Inc.

Atmos Energy

Beaumont Housing Authority

Big Bend Community Action Committee, Inc.

Border Federal Credit Union

Brazos Valley Community Action Agency

Page 28 of 32

Bruised But Not Broken Support Organization

Catholic Charities of Southeast Texas

CenterPoint Energy

Cleveland Senior Citizens Organization

Coalition for Affordable Energy for All

Community Council of South Central Texas, Inc.

Concho Valley Community Action Agency

CWJC-Rapha Site

Daughters of Promise With Purpose (St. Peter)

Economic Action Committee of the Gulf Coast, Texas

El Paso Electric Company

Entergy Texas, Inc.

Family Services of Southeast Texas, Inc.,

Fort Worth Community Action Partners

Galveston County Community Action Council, Inc

Get on the Bus for Christ

Hardin County Christian Care Center

In Need Christian Counseling

Infinite Community Empowerment Organization

Kleberg County Human Services

Mental Health America of Southeast Texas

Montgomery County Committee on Aging The Friendship Center

Montgomery County Emergency Assistance

Montgomery County Homeless Coalition

Montgomery County United Way

Montgomery County Youth Services

Newcomers Center, CISD

Nutrition and Services for Seniors

Optimum Lifestyle CDC

Oran-Je Top Ladies of Distinction, Inc.

Panhandle Community Services

PNM Resources

Programs for Human Services

Project BRAVO

RAISE Texas

Regina Rogers Gift of Life

Representative Joseph D. Deshotel's Jefferson County District

Sheltering Arms Senior Services of Houston, Texas

Shepherds Center of Beebe

Society of St Vincent de Paul

Son-Shine Outreach Center

South East Texas Council on Alcohol and Drug Abuse

Page **29** of **32**

Southeast Texas Community Development Corp., Inc.

Southeast Texas Interfaith Organization

Spindletop Center

St. Mark's Episcopal Health Outreach Mission

St. Peter Missionary Baptist Church

St. Peter MBC Bridge Builders

Texas AgriLife Extension-Orange County

Texas Association of Community Action Agencies, Inc. (TACAA)

Texas Gas Association

Texas Legal Services Center

Texas Neighborhood Services

Texas One Voice: A Collaborative for Health and Human Services

Texas Recyclers Association, Inc.

TNMP

Travis County Health and Human Services and Veterans Service

Tri-County Community Action, Inc.

TXU Energy

United Way of Walker County

Vision Weavers Consulting, LLC

Williamson-Burnet County Opportunities

Xcel Energy/ Southwestern Public Service - Texas

Utah

Community Action Services and Food Bank

Financial Planning for Women

Rocky Mountain Power

Vermont

Energy Co-op of Vermont

Jack F. Corse, Inc.

Lewis Oil

Local Fuel Co., Inc.

Memphremagog Residential & Commercial Rentals

Perry's Oil Service, Inc.

Propane Gas Association of New England

Robert Greene, Inc.

Stiles Fuel

Vermont Fuel Dealers Association

VT Affordable Housing Coalition

Whitehouse Fuels

Virginia

AGL Resources

Arlington Employment Center

Page **30** of **32**

Atmos Energy

Coalition for Affordable Energy for All

Columbia Gas of Virginia

Dominion

James City County Housing & Community Development

JCB Transport, Inc.

Petro Arlington

Petro Holdings, Inc.

Phillips Energy, Inc.

Washington Gas

Washington

Advantage Credit Counseling Service, Inc. Cascade Natural Gas Corporation

DM2 Software, Inc.

Lower Columbia Community Action Program

NW Natural

OIC of Washington

Pacific Power

Pacific Northwest Oil Heat Council

Washington Oil Marketers Association

West Virginia

Advantage Credit Counseling Service, Inc.

American Electric Power

Blevins Inc

Equitable Gas Company

West Virginia Propane Gas Association

Wisconsin

Alliant Energy Corp

Citizens Utility Board of Wisconsin

Integrys Energy Group

La Casa

Madison Gas and Electric Company

Mercy Memorial Baptist Church

Superior Water Light and Power

Wisconsin Energy Corporation

Wisconsin Public Service Corporation

Xcel Energy/Northern States Power - Wisconsin

Wyoming

Advantage Credit Counseling Service, Inc.

Page **31** of **32**

Cheyenne Light Fuel and Power
Mid America Assistance Coalition (MAAC)
Montana-Dakota Utilities Company
National Multiple Sclerosis Society Colorado-Wyoming Chapter
Panhandle Cooperative Association
Rocky Mountain Power