

# For Your Information

Versant Power provides several energy management programs that may help you reduce your electric bill. In addition to the information in this brochure, the following programs are available to you free of charge.

## MANAGE YOUR ELECTRICITY USE

This FREE online resource provides information to help you understand your electricity usage and how to conserve energy at home. It is available on our website at [versantpower.com/energy-solutions/energy-manager/](https://versantpower.com/energy-solutions/energy-manager/).

## QUICK CHECK

This web-based review of your home energy usage is a quick way to compare your home's electric usage with average home usage. Visit [versantpower.com/residential/my-bill/quick-check-calculator/](https://versantpower.com/residential/my-bill/quick-check-calculator/).

## 2-1-1 MAINE, INC.

2-1-1 Maine Inc. is a nonprofit organization in partnership with United Ways of Maine, the State of Maine Department of Health and Human Services and the Opportunity Alliance to develop a health and human services information and referral service system to serve the entire State of Maine, every day and in times of crisis.

50 Lydia Lane, South Portland, ME 04106  
Telephone: 2-1-1 | Email: [info@211maine.org](mailto:info@211maine.org) | [www.211maine.org](http://www.211maine.org)

## DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH AND HUMAN SERVICES REGIONAL OFFICES

For information on additional low-income programs for qualified Maine residents.

396 Griffin Road  
Bangor, ME 04401  
(207) 561-4100 | (800) 432-7825

State House Station 11  
17 Eastward Lane  
Ellsworth, ME 04605  
(207) 664-1400 | (800) 432-7823

State House Station 11  
38 Prescott Drive, Suite 3  
Machias, ME 04654  
(207) 255-2000 | (800) 432-7846

30 Skyway Drive  
Skyway Plaza Unit 100  
Caribou, ME 04736  
(207) 493-4000 | (800) 432-7366

State House Station 11  
137 Market Street  
Fort Kent, ME 04743  
(207) 834-1000 | (800) 432-7340

State House Station 11  
11 High Street  
Houlton, ME 04730  
(207) 532-5000 | (800) 432-7338

## Additional Resources Available to you

### EFFICIENCY MAINE

Efficiency Maine is a statewide effort to promote the more efficient use of electricity, help Maine residents and businesses reduce energy costs, and improve Maine's environment. For more information, you may contact them at (866) 376-2463 or visit them online at [www.energymaine.com](http://www.energymaine.com).

### WEATHERIZATION PROGRAMS

Penquis serves households in Penobscot and Piscataquis counties, Downeast Community Partners serves households in Washington and Hancock counties, and ACAP serves customers in Aroostook County that meet LIHEAP income guidelines. The primary focus of the weatherization program is to reduce the client's energy cost by installing cost-effective energy conservation measures in their homes. Priority is given to households with the highest energy costs and those susceptible to hypothermia.

## Contact us for more information

**VERSANT POWER**  
Customer Contact Center  
(207) 973-2000  
1-855-363-7211  
[info@versantpower.com](mailto:info@versantpower.com)

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# Versant Power Low Income Assistance Program



## RESIDENTIAL INFORMATION



[versantpower.com](https://versantpower.com)

## Versant Power's Low Income Assistance Program (LIAP)

Customers who meet the income guidelines may qualify for a one-time annual benefit, which could mean savings on your electric bills. Many Versant Power customers benefit from the program each year.

### HOW DO I FIND OUT IF I QUALIFY?

If your total household income does not exceed the federal poverty guidelines, you should contact your nearest Community Action Program (CAP) office to apply for the Low Income Home Energy Assistance Program (LIHEAP) and be certified for the Low Income Assistance Program. It is important to note that the Federal Poverty Guidelines may increase upon guidance from the federal government.

### ARE THERE ANY RESTRICTIONS?

Yes. Customers who receive housing subsidies may not be eligible to participate. To learn of restrictions that may apply to you, check with your local agency.

### HOW SHOULD I APPLY?

In order to apply, you will need to make an appointment by calling the office nearest you (please see the list at right). The LIHEAP program year runs from October 1 through April 30. Contact your local agency to learn more about application deadlines and for guidance.

The Low Income Assistance Program year runs from October 1 through September 30. LIAP program guidelines require existing program participants to recertify eligibility. Applications for the LIAP program will be accepted until July 15, but that date is subject to change. Please contact your local agency immediately to schedule an appointment as they may be booked weeks in advance.

### AROOSTOOK BAND OF MICMACS

Office Hours: 8:00 a.m. to 4:00 p.m.  
7 Northern Road, Presque Isle  
(207) 764-1972 | 1-800-355-1435

### AROOSTOOK COUNTY ACTION PROGRAM

Office Hours: 8:00 a.m. to 5:00 p.m.  
1-800-432-7881

#### *Presque Isle Office*

771 Main Street, Presque Isle

#### *Fort Kent Office*

40 Alfalfa Avenue, Suite 102, Fort Kent

#### *Houlton Office*

91 Military Street, Houlton

#### *Madawaska Office*

88 Fox Street, Madawaska

### HOULTON BAND OF MALISEET

Office Hours: 8:00 a.m. to 4:00 p.m.  
88 Bell Road, Littleton  
(207) 532-4273

### PENOBSCOT NATION

Office Hours: 8:00 a.m. to 4:30 p.m.  
(207) 817-7492

### PENQUIS

Office Hours: 8:00 a.m. to 4:30 p.m.

#### *Bangor Office*

262 Harlow Street, Bangor  
(207) 973-3630

#### *Dover Office*

50 North Street, Dover Foxcroft  
(207) 564-7116

#### *Lincoln Office*

40-A Main Street, Lincoln  
(207) 794-3093

### PLEASANT POINT PASSAMAQUODDY TRIBE

Office Hours: 8:00 a.m. to 4:30 p.m.  
(207) 853-2600

### WALDO COMMUNITY ACTION PARTNERS

Office Hours: 8:00 a.m. to 4:00 p.m.  
9 Field Street, Belfast, Maine  
(207) 338-3025 | (800) 498-3025

### DOWNEAST COMMUNITY PARTNERS

Office Hours: 7:30 a.m. to 4:00 p.m.

#### *Machias Office*

7 VIP Drive, Machias  
(207) 259-5015

#### *Ellsworth Office*

248 Bucksport Road, Ellsworth  
(207) 664-2424

### OXYGEN PUMP/VENTILATOR PROGRAM

If you or a member of your household uses an oxygen pump/ventilator for at least eight hours each day and are currently enrolled in the Low Income Assistance Program, you may be eligible for a monthly credit to your account.

Eligibility Guidelines:

- Certification to receive the Oxygen Pump and Ventilator Program benefit must be renewed annually.
- The benefit shall be applied to only one account per customer.
- In the event a customer receiving the benefit moves to a new location within the same service territory, your eligibility to receive the benefit will transfer to the new account.
- Completed form should be forwarded to Versant Power during the month of September to receive a full year of the Oxygen Pump and Ventilator Program benefit.
- Customers receiving a housing subsidy are eligible to participate in both the Low Income Assistance Program and the Oxygen Pump and Ventilator Program. You must be certified by your physician or physician's agent that a pump or ventilator is necessary at least eight hours per day.

Please contact our Customer Contact Center for more information. Low Income Assistance Program guidelines require applicants who receive LIHEAP/LIAP or the Oxygen Pump/Ventilator credit to recertify annually.

