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January 24, 2020

**Dear County Directors of Social Services**

**Attention:** Energy Administrators, Managers & Supervisors

**Subject:** Additional Reallocation of Low Income Energy Assistance Program (LIEAP)

**Priority:** Time Sensitive, Response Required

As indicated in Dear County Director Letter [EFS-FNSEP-40-2019](#) dated December 30, 2019, we are conducting the second reallocation of LIEAP funds. After review of counties current LIEAP balances, at least half the counties in the state have either exhausted their LIEAP allocations or have minimal funds remaining. It is imperative that counties evaluate their spending patterns and anticipated spending, to determine if they can reallocate funds to assist additional families in these counties. There is no limit to the number of reallocations that can be given or received during the LIEAP season.

Please indicate on the attached survey form if your county is willing to have LIEAP funds reallocated to other counties or if you are interested in having LIEAP funds reallocated to your county. Please indicate the amount your county is willing to reallocate as well as the amount requested. Return the Reallocation Survey by **Friday, January 31, 2020** via email to [Robin.Greenwald@dhhs.nc.gov](mailto:Robin.Greenwald@dhhs.nc.gov) Please adhere to the deadline to return the surveys.

The Division is committed to assisting as many families and individuals as possible. Another LIEAP reallocation will be conducted in March if funding is still available. We will also conduct another Crisis Intervention Program (CIP) reallocation the week of March 2, 2020.

If you have questions, please contact Robin Greenwald via email at [Robin.Greenwald@dhhs.nc.gov](mailto:Robin.Greenwald@dhhs.nc.gov)

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in blue ink that reads 'David Locklear'.

David Locklear, Deputy Director

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**EFS-FNSEP-01-2020**

**Attachments (1)**

LIEAP Reallocation Survey 1-24-2020

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