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*Federal Government releases \$5.1 billion for LIHEAP*

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The federal government has just released all \$5.1 billion of FY 2009 funding for LIHEAP. Thanks to Chris Hickling, Legislative Director of the Senate Northeast Midwest Coalition for sharing with NFFN the official announcement from the Department of Health and Human Services, below. The announcement included the attached state allocation spreadsheet. Mr. Hickling has also provided the state-by-state attached breakdown of leveraging awards.

Thanks again to all NFFN members who advocated so persistently to help make this happen.

To sustain this level of funding next year and in the future, NFFN and its members will have to continue to make the case before Congress. Our signature event for beginning that work in 2009 is NFFN's Washington Action Day for LIHEAP, February 11, 2009. Please plan now on coming to DC and working as part of a 200+ member team to press the House and Senate and the new Administration to continue the \$5.1 billion appropriations level. Online registration is now open at [http://www.surveymonkey.com/s.aspx?sm=Nv7i8K0eVSi6NvIWQ\\_2bW\\_2bmw\\_3d\\_3d](http://www.surveymonkey.com/s.aspx?sm=Nv7i8K0eVSi6NvIWQ_2bW_2bmw_3d_3d). There is no registration fee. We will soon share hotel reservation information with you.

NFFN celebrates its 25th Anniversary at a gala dinner on the night before Action Day, February 10, 2009. To attend and sponsor this special event, please visit <http://www.nationalfuelfunds.org/AdvocacyPublicPolicy/Action%202009%20Gala%20form.pdf>

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**Subject:** FY 2009 LIHEAP Funding Being Released Today

Under the terms of Public Law 110-329, the President is today directing Secretary Leavitt to release \$5.1 billion to States for the Low Income Home Energy Assistance Program. This is the full amount of LIHEAP funding provided under the Continuing Resolution for FY 2009, and is being provided within 30 days of enactment of the resolution as required by law. The attached table provides a breakdown of funds being provided through the block grant formulas and through the contingency emergency funds, as well as a breakdown of the distribution of funding by State. The total amount being released today by State is found in column D of the spreadsheet. Please contact me if you have further questions.

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FY 2009 LEVERAGING AWARDS		FY 2009 REACH Administration AWARDS	
2-YEAR OBLIGATION PERIOD		1-YEAR OBLIGATION PERIOD	
Must be fully obligated by 9/30/2010		Must be fully obligated by 9/30/2009	
		(Represents 2-1/2% Admin for FY 2006 REACH State Grantees)	
	Final		
Grantee	Award		
Alabama	\$0	District of Columbia	\$25,000
Alaska	\$359,009	Illinois	\$25,000
Arizona	\$1,087,252	Montana	\$25,000
Arkansas	\$38,595	Ohio	\$25,000
California	\$3,087,000		
Colorado	\$221,723	TOTAL	\$100,000
Connecticut	\$279,187		
Delaware	\$161,145		
Dist. of Col.	\$0		
Florida	\$186,158		
Georgia	\$0		
Hawaii	\$0		
Idaho	\$52,460		
Illinois	\$595,746		
Indiana	\$270,344		
Iowa	\$78,525		
Kansas	\$0		
Kentucky	\$65,717		
Louisiana	\$101,936		
Maine	\$189,894		
Maryland	\$1,005,486		
Massachusetts	\$782,068		
Michigan	\$517,900		
Minnesota	\$239,126		
Mississippi	\$39,502		
Missouri	\$177,776		
Montana	\$197,306		
Nebraska	\$0		
Nevada	\$1,523,237		
New Hampshire	\$411,140		
New Jersey	\$2,339,963		
New Mexico	\$92,852		
New York	\$1,182,715		
North Carolina	\$66,585		
North Dakota	\$0		
Ohio	\$2,641,112		
Oklahoma	\$119,409		
Oregon	\$469,242		
Pennsylvania	\$3,087,000		
Rhode Island	\$181,228		
South Carolina	\$0		
South Dakota	\$41,935		
Tennessee	\$0		
Texas	\$24,921		
Utah	\$54,683		
Vermont	\$49,577		
Virginia	\$28,849		
Washington	\$524,864		
West Virginia	\$0		
Wisconsin	\$628,495		
Wyoming	\$0		
State Subtotal	\$23,201,662		
Tribe/Terr. Subtotal	\$3,698,338		
TOTAL	\$26,900,000		
No. Marianas	\$35,122		
<b>Arizona</b>			
Gila River	\$153,668		
<b>Michigan</b>			
Grand Traverse	\$103,408		
Inter-Tribal Council of Michigan	\$276,641		
Keweenaw Bay	\$94,527		
<b>Montana</b>			
Assin & Sioux (Ft Peck)	\$122,256		
Blackfeet	\$205,321		
Chippewa Cree Tribe	\$144,449		

FY 2009 LIHEAP GROSS ALLOCATIONS	BLOCK	CONTINGENCY	TOTAL FY 2009 Gross State Allocations
<b>10-9-08</b>	<b>\$4,509,672,000</b>	<b>\$598,328,000</b>	
State			
Alabama	\$60,062,668	\$4,211,330	\$64,273,998
Alaska	\$23,568,461	\$7,359,326	\$30,927,787
Arizona	\$29,047,021	\$2,036,650	\$31,083,671
Arkansas	\$36,497,448	\$3,213,444	\$39,710,892
California	\$225,894,133	\$22,592,561	\$248,486,694
Colorado	\$63,474,192	\$7,877,322	\$71,351,514
Connecticut	\$95,782,640	\$30,103,919	\$125,886,559
Delaware	\$17,384,291	\$1,363,974	\$18,748,265
District of Columbia	\$14,652,784	\$1,595,918	\$16,248,702
Florida	\$95,037,075	\$6,663,582	\$101,700,657
Georgia	\$75,141,381	\$5,268,583	\$80,409,964
Hawaii	\$4,651,781	\$530,575	\$5,182,356
Idaho	\$26,939,480	\$3,072,681	\$30,012,161
Illinois	\$237,236,454	\$28,442,870	\$265,679,324
Indiana	\$103,608,598	\$12,878,133	\$116,486,731
Iowa	\$67,802,538	\$9,126,905	\$76,929,443
Kansas	\$45,349,295	\$4,191,484	\$49,540,779
Kentucky	\$68,353,278	\$6,701,737	\$75,055,015
Louisiana	\$57,196,338	\$4,305,439	\$61,501,777
Maine	\$49,456,684	\$29,730,302	\$79,186,986
Maryland	\$101,296,011	\$7,868,391	\$109,164,402
Massachusetts	\$162,980,837	\$50,518,934	\$213,499,771
Michigan	\$222,412,468	\$27,004,012	\$249,416,480
Minnesota	\$144,527,532	\$19,454,863	\$163,982,395
Mississippi	\$39,011,051	\$3,610,562	\$42,621,613
Missouri	\$103,541,119	\$11,361,193	\$114,902,312
Montana	\$31,598,299	\$3,604,059	\$35,202,358
Nebraska	\$39,572,670	\$4,513,605	\$44,086,275
Nevada	\$13,642,522	\$956,554	\$14,599,076
New Hampshire	\$34,112,375	\$13,624,352	\$47,736,727
New Jersey	\$166,690,291	\$19,082,949	\$185,773,240
New Mexico	\$24,901,274	\$2,549,744	\$27,451,018
New York	\$475,934,678	\$62,308,713	\$538,243,391
North Carolina	\$123,242,605	\$9,285,889	\$132,528,494
North Dakota	\$34,325,312	\$3,915,098	\$38,240,410
Ohio	\$220,588,408	\$25,161,970	\$245,750,378
Oklahoma	\$49,007,158	\$3,871,078	\$52,878,236
Oregon	\$45,355,128	\$6,105,258	\$51,460,386
Pennsylvania	\$274,925,363	\$33,468,972	\$308,394,335
Rhode Island	\$30,208,657	\$8,444,425	\$38,653,082
South Carolina	\$47,702,000	\$3,344,655	\$51,046,655
South Dakota	\$27,878,165	\$3,179,746	\$31,057,911
Tennessee	\$73,722,827	\$6,788,716	\$80,511,543
Texas	\$158,109,984	\$11,085,977	\$169,195,961
Utah	\$32,094,108	\$3,660,610	\$35,754,718
Vermont	\$25,568,440	\$10,587,163	\$36,155,603
Virginia	\$118,083,836	\$9,584,580	\$127,668,416
Washington	\$74,602,937	\$10,042,308	\$84,645,245
West Virginia	\$40,583,710	\$4,435,048	\$45,018,758
Wisconsin	\$130,095,532	\$17,512,170	\$147,607,702
Wyoming	\$12,849,776	\$1,465,630	\$14,315,406
Total	\$4,476,301,613	\$589,663,959	\$5,065,965,572
Appropriation	\$4,509,672,000	\$590,328,000	\$5,100,000,000
Leveraging	\$27,000,000		
Difference	\$4,482,672,000		
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Territorial Allocations	\$6,070,387	\$664,041	\$6,734,428
Total to States	\$4,476,301,613	\$589,663,959	\$5,065,965,572

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Conf. Salish & Kootenai	\$161,376		
<b>North Dakota</b>			
Standing Rock Sioux	\$96,717		
<b>Oklahoma</b>			
Cherokee Nation	\$39,845		
Cheyenne & Arapaho	\$0		
Chickasaw Nation	\$237,911		
Choctaw Nation	\$276,008		
Citizen Potawatomi	\$37,335		
Muscogee Creek	\$171,091		
Seneca-Cayuga	\$4,000		
<b>South Dakota</b>			
Cheyenne River Sioux	\$321,732		
Lower Brule Sioux	\$127,174		
Oglala Sioux	\$248,987		
Rosebud Sioux Tribe	\$252,248		
Siss-Wahpeton Sioux	\$156,206		
Yankton Sioux	\$113,279		
<b>Washington</b>			
Colville	\$114,435		
Lummi Nation	\$145,365		
Port Gamble	\$6,332		
Yakama Nation	\$52,905		
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