

Senior Citizens Water Discount Program

Who Can Apply? Homeowners and tenants (whose lease holds them responsible for paying the water bill), can apply each year for the discount if they meet the following criteria:

- The applicant must be a Baltimore City resident who receives a water/sewer bill directly from the City.
- The principal resident must be age 65 or older.
- The combined gross household income must be \$25,000 or less.
- The applicant must certify that he/she is the property owner-of-record with the Maryland Department of Assessments and Taxation, or provide a lease showing his/her responsibility for paying water/sewer charges at that property.

What is the discount? Those who qualify receive a 30% discount on their water and sewer rates charged on each quarterly bill.

How can I apply? Eligible senior citizens may apply at any Senior Community Center or may call 311 or (410) 396-5398 to obtain an application. *PLEASE NOTE:* Only one water bill account per household is eligible to receive this discount.

Verification: In order to prove eligibility, you will need to submit the following along with your application:

- Proof of age (copy of Maryland Driver's License, State identification card or birth certificate).
- Proof of property ownership or lease agreement showing that the tenant is responsible for water/sewer charges.
- Proof of all income for the household such as current tax returns, 1099 statements, eligibility letters from Social Security, Social Services or the Veterans Administration.

Brooklyn's Nearest Senior Community Center:

Cherry Hill Senior Life Center

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