## **Utility Rate Relief Program Changes**

	Existing	Proposed
Program Name	Wastewater Rate Assistance	Utility Rate Relief
Population Served	30% Of Median Income based on family size	<b>60%</b> of Median Income based on family size
	Elderly or Disabled, Head of Household	Elderly or Disabled, Head of Household
Assistance Provided	\$11.80 monthly discount / \$9.00 outside city	\$11.80 monthly discount / \$9.00 outside city
	Permanently applied to account	Must reapply annually
Screening Agency	City of Salem	Mid Willamette Valley Community Action Agency
Funding	Approximately \$30,000 of foregone revenue annually	Up to \$250,000 of foregone revenue annually
Requirements	Cannot be Salem Housing Authority Client	Cannot be Salem Housing Authority Client
	Residential Wastewater Account	Residential Wastewater Account
Customers Assisted	Approximately 250	<b>1,765</b> if all receive a full year of the discount.