



Veterans Assistance Commission of Cook County

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MEMORANDUM FOR: Cook County Veterans

SUBJECT: Update to the Veterans Assistance Commission of Cook County's Rent/Mortgage and Utilities emergency financial assistance benefits.

1. Effective November 7, 2022. The Veterans Assistance Commission of Cook County (VACCC) will increase the rental/mortgage assistance, up to a maximum benefit of \$1,400.00. This emergency financial assistance will continue to be made available for request, to eligible and qualified Veterans once every twelve-month period.
2. Effective November 7, 2022. VACCC will increase the Utilities assistance towards the water, electric and gas utilities, up to a maximum benefit of \$550.00. This emergency financial assistance will continue to be made available for request, to eligible and qualified Veterans once every twelve-month period.
3. References.
 - a) Increase recommendation by the VACCC Executive Board.
 - b) US Bureau of Labor Statistics. <https://www.bls.gov>
 - c) U.S. Department of Housing and Urban Development. www.huduser.gov
4. The point of contact (POC) regarding any inquiries for this memorandum is the VACCC Superintendent at (312) 433-6012.

Yours in service, maximum benefit o

Elizabeth D. Soto
VACCC Superintendent