



TOWN OF CANTON

40 Dyer Ave.
Collinsville, CT 06019



Dear Canton Renter:

It is time to apply for the state-administered Renters' Rebate for Elderly / Disabled Tax Relief program. This program is coordinated through the Senior & Social Services office along with the Office of Policy & Management in Hartford, and provides a direct partial reimbursement of rent and utility bills paid by renters who meet eligibility requirements.

The dates for filing this application are April 1, 2022 through October 1, 2022

ELIGIBILITY: Applicant or spouse must be a current Canton resident, 65 years of age or older; or be 50 years of age or older & the surviving spouse of a renter who at the time of the his/her death had qualified and was entitled to assistance; or 18 years of age or older and receiving Social Security Disability benefits.

Please find enclosed:

1. RENTAL REBATE APPLICATION
2. PROGRAM FLYER & CHECKLIST

The Renters' Rebate for Elderly / Disabled Tax Relief Program covers the full calendar year 2021. All income and expense documentation must be for January – December 2021 only.

You must have been a Renter in the state of Connecticut for the full year in order to be eligible for this program.

- Applications will be accepted in the following ways:
Mailed to: Canton Senior & Social Services, 40 Dyer Avenue, Collinsville CT 06019
- Dropped off at the Senior & Social Services office secure black Drop Box, outside the building on the right side of the glass entry doors to the Community Center / Senior Center

****If you need assistance completing your application, please call 860.693.5811. Due to the popularity of the program drop in assistance cannot be provided.**

Town of Canton Department of Senior & Social Services

Telephone 860.693.5811
Facsimile 860.693.5835

www.townofcantonct.org

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Canton, CT 06019

The State of Connecticut's Elderly and Disabled Tax Renters Rebate Program will be administered between **Wednesday April 1, 2022 – Thursday October 1, 2022**
Applications for Canton residents are processed through the Senior & Social Services Office

STATE OF CT RENTERS REBATE HOTLINE: 860.418.6377

Residents eligible to receive Renter's Rebate must meet the following requirements:

1. You must be **65 years old** by December 31, 2021 **OR** 18 years of age or older **and** receiving Social Security Disability/SSI.

2. You must have rented an apartment or house in CT during 2021 and currently reside in Canton.

Note: *It is not required that you lived in Canton all of 2020, but you must have been a CT resident for the full year.*

3. Your Gross total income in 2020 must not exceed:

\$38,100 if single or **\$46,400** if married

- In order to make sure your application is fully completed you **MUST** send in proof of all income and housing/heating/utility expenses. (**complete checklist on back of flyer**)
- Make copies of all of your expense and income documents that will be used to process your application. **** Originals will not be mailed back**
- If you are homebound and unable to leave your home without assistance, a Power of Attorney or Conservator may act as your agent and have the application completed on your behalf

***Caregivers:** *Please remember to send in legal documentation proving your relationship to the Applicant*

INFORMATION NECESSARY FOR COMPLETING YOUR RENTERS' REBATE APPLICATION

****Please sign and date the application & mail it in with the supporting paperwork OR leave it in the secure Drop Box located outside the building, on the right side of the glass entry doors to the Community Center/Senior Center***

Originals will NOT be returned

- As proof of Rental Payment, EITHER:
 - twelve (12) rent receipts or copies of checks/money orders;
 - or** a letter from landlord/property manager detailing total rent paid during the year ending December 2021

 - Statements from utility companies (gas, electric) companies detailing amounts paid in 2021
 - **EVERSOURCE** (electric) 1.800.286.2000
<https://www.eversource.com/> **Account Number:** _____

 - **Connecticut Natural Gas** (gas) 860.524.8361
www.cngcorp.com **Account Number:** _____

 - Receipts or Canceled checks indicating total amount paid out for deliverable fuel (oil, propane, wood) for entire Calendar Year Jan-Dec 2021

 - Heating Assistance Award Letter for 2021 / 2022 if you heat with a deliverable fuel

 - Proof of all 2021 income, including Social Security, pension, and bank interest

 - Copy of your income tax for 2021, if you filed

 - Proof of your disability allowance in 2021 from Social Security, if you are disabled
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