

**Colder weather is coming.  
Are you prepared?  
Do you need a hand staying warm?  
Harpswell is ready to help!**

*The Harpswell Heating Assistance Program opens on **October 15**  
and continues to **April 15, 2023!***

Applications are now being accepted and are easily available:

- Download one from the Town of Harpswell web site: [harpswell.maine.gov](http://harpswell.maine.gov)
- Pick up a copy at the Town Office
- Or call Gina at 207-833-5771, ext 108 and she'll fill it out with you over the phone.

Applicants must meet income/expense eligibility requirements. This is not a cash benefit or reimbursement program. The Town pays the company they contract with that provides the service/delivery directly. The program covers all types of heating: #2 oil, K1, Propane, Wood, Electric/Heat pump, etc.

Up to 100 gallons (or the equivalent) can be granted at one time and can be granted up to two times per season/per household, if qualified. A new application must be submitted for each request.

There are a few other agencies that can also help with heating assistance. The Town does not do the intake for these services but you may reach out on your own.

*Harpswell Santa Fund: Mary Coombs, 207-417-5102 or email [harpswellsantafund2019@gmail.com](mailto:harpswellsantafund2019@gmail.com)*

*Midcoast Maine Community Action: 207-442-7963*

*LIHEAP (low income heating assistance), Opportunity Alliance: 1-877-429-6884 (Cumberland County is serviced out of Portland)*

