



Rhode Island Department of Human Services

August 29, 2024

Ms. Megan Meadows
Director, Division of Energy Assistance, Office of Community Services
Mary E. Switzer Building, 5th Floor
330 C Street, SW, Washington, D.C. 20201.

RE: State-Tribal Agreement for Low-Income Home Energy Assistance Program (LIHEAP)

Dear Director Meadows,

The Rhode Island Department of Human Services, Low-Income Home Energy Assistance Program, supports the Narragansett Indian Tribe's application to operate a Low-Income Home Energy Assistance Program for eligible tribal households in the Washington County area of the state. The effective period is 10/1/2024 through 9/30/2025. The Narragansetts will work with the Tri-County Community Action Agency to establish a system that will prevent duplicate applications and awards.

The total number of tribal households approved for funding for FY2025 and subsequent years, unless otherwise amended, will be 200.

Should you have any questions or need further information, please do not hesitate to contact me (401-345-3582; frederick.sneesby@dhs.ri.gov).

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in blue ink that reads "Frederick J. Sneesby".

Frederick J. Sneesby
Administrator