Cattaraugus County Department of Economic Development, Planning & Tourism

Crystal J. Abers, Director

MHRI APPLICATION PACKET

Dear MHRI Applicant;

Thank you for your interest in the Mobile Home Replacement Initiative. Please find attached the application and document checklist that is required. All documents and the completed application need to be mailed or emailed **NO LATER THAN April 28, 2023 by**

3:00 pm

Cattaraugus County EDPT 303 Court Streets, 2nd Floor Little Valley NY, 14755 c/o Kate O'Stricker MHRI APPLICATION kmostricker@cattco.org

Please carefully review the eligibility requirements-

- 1) You need to be a Cattaraugus County Resident.
- 2) You must own both the home and the property, with the deed in your name.
- 3) All property taxes need to be paid up to date.
- 4) There cannot be a lien or a mortgage on the property
- 5) There has to be homeowner's insurance on the property
- 6) The home can not be located in a 100 year flood zone
- 5) Applicant must be income eligible (see below)

The following table describes the income levels.

# in Household	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8
60% AMI	32220	\$36840	\$41460	\$46020	\$49740	\$53400	\$57120	\$60780

If you have any questions, contact Kate O'Stricker at 716-938-2320 or <u>kmostricker@cattco.org</u>. We look forward to your application!

Sincerely,

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Cattaraugus Countu Crystal Abers, Director Cattaraugus County Department of Economic Development, Planning & Tourism

Naturally Yours

303 Court St., Little Valley, NY 14755 ** Phone: (716) 938-2242 ** Fax: (716) 938-2779 ** Web Site: www.EnchantedMountains.com

CATTARAUGUS COUNTY MANUFACTURED HOME REPLACEMENT PROGRAM

ARE YOU QUALIFIED

Cattaraugus County in collaboration with Cattaraugus Community Action has received a grant from the NY State Homes & Community Renewal to replace dilapidated mobile homes in Cattaraugus County. To be eligible, you need to answer **YES** to all **THREE** questions.

- 1) Are you a resident of Cattaraugus County? YES/NO
- 2) Are you the owner of both the home and the property, with the deed in your name?

YES/NO

3) Do you meet the income eligibility (see below) YES/NO

Income eligibility is based on the Average Median Income (AMI). To income qualify for the Housing Opportunities Program; applicants/households must be at or below 60% AMI.

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The **Application** and **Checklist** documents need to be returned by either mail or email to the Cattaraugus County Department of Economic Development, Planning and Tourism **no later than April 28, 2023 at 3PM**. The LOTTERY will be held on May 3rd 2023

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	MHRI
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<u>Proof of all income in the household - including last 4 paychecks, SSI benefit statement, unemployment payment history, child support, etc.</u>

Zero Income or Unusually Low-Income Worksheet (if applicant/co-applicant have no income)

____Most recently paid Property Tax Receipts for property, school, village/city, etc.

_____Proof of paid Homeowner's Insurance (top/front page)

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_____Three (3) Consecutive months of Bank Statements Checking/Savings

Banks Assets and Income Verification Form (to be filled out by bank)

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APPLICATION

Social Security #		
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– _ Township:		
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u owned & occupied the property?		
Age of home		
YesNo		
YesNo		
YesNo		
Date of Birth Relationship		
Self		

* If application is not completed entirely, it will be considered an inquiry and no further processing will occur.

List current Household Income or Benefits

Family Member	Wages/salary	Benefit/Pension	Public Assistance or SSI, SSD	Other (Child Support, etc.)
	\$	\$	\$	\$
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OTHER ASSETS

Other assets are cash or non-cash items that can be converted to cash: Checking Accounts, Savings Accounts, Stocks, Bonds, Real Property, and Investments.

Bank Name	Bank Phone Number
Bank Address	Bank Fax Number

Household member	Asset description	Current Cash Value	Annual Asset Income/Interest
		\$	\$
		\$	\$
		\$	\$
		\$	\$

<u>Are you related to, engaged in business with, or have any ties to the following, which may be considered a</u> conflict of interest:

- Any board member of Cattaraugus Community Action, Inc. ____YES ____NO
- Any employee of Cattaraugus Community Action, Inc. ____YES ____NO
- Any employee or government official of the town/Village/County you reside in _____YES ____NO
- Have you and/ or co-applicant ever applied for a Housing Grant from ANY other Housing Agency?
 YES _____NO

If yes, what agency? _____

If received, when?

What was the amount of the grant and regulatory period?

Describe the repairs that you feel are needed for your home:

If disapproved list reason:

I HEREBY CERTIFY THAT ALL INFORMATION CONTAINED IN THIS APPLICATION IS TRUE.

Applicant Signature:	Date:	
Co-applicant Signature:	Date:	
Approved/Disapproved by:		
CCA Employee:	Date:	

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It is my understanding that this information is to be used for the following reasons:

PERSON/ORGANIZATION/FACILITY/PROGRAM:	
Department of Social Services	Southern Tier Legal Services
Council on Alcoholism and Substance Abuse	Office of Community Services
Adult Protective Services	Child Protection/Child Welfare
Landlord/Provider of Housing	Utility Company:
Other:	

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Customer Signature	Date
CCA Employee Signature	Date
REVOCATION OF AUTHORIZATION TO R I hereby revoke my authorization to use/disclose in Person/Organization/Facility/Program whose name	nformation indicated above, to the
Customer Signature	Date
CCA Employee Signature	Date

Bank Assets and Income Verification (take to your bank for them to fill out, return to CCA)

Bank:		
Name	Social Security Number	Date of Birth
Address	City	State Zip Code
The individual named above is an apple verification for family income and other response. Please return the completed is any questions, please feel free to contact Phone: 716	er information related to eligibility. form to the applicant or email to ksc	We would appreciate your prompt iortino@ccaction.org. If you have operation.
Checking Account: # Average Monthly Balance for 1	ast 6 months \$	
Interest Rate Earned:	%	
Savings Account: # Current Balance: \$ Interest Rate Earned:	%	
Certificate of Deposit: #\$		
Interest Rate Earned:	%	
Other: Value: #\$		
Interest Rate Earned:	%	
Signature of Authorized Official		Date
Title		Name of Bank
Telephone		Fax Number

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I am eighteen years of age or older.*

I have read this release and understand its contents. This release is binding upon me and my heirs.

Dated:

Witness: _____

Cattaraugus Community Action

Address: _____

Consent (if applicable)

I am the parent or guardian of the minor named above and have the legal authority to execute this release, which I have read and fully understand. This release is binding upon me and my heirs.

Dated:

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Address: _____

*Strike out this sentence if the subject is a minor. The parent or guardian must then sign the consent.

ZERO INCOME OR UNUSUALLY LOW-INCOME WORKSHEET

I,		, have had no source of income since (Date)						
-		Date of Last Employment						
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-		Reason for Leaving						
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	3.	B. Shelter – Have you paid your rent or mortgage payment?						
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		If not, how much do you owe?						
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4	5.	Car/Transportation						
	How did you get to this office?							
If appropriate, where did you get the money for gas, bus, etc?								
I cer	I certify that the information contained on this Worksheet is accurate and true to the best of my knowledge.							
App	Applicants Signature Date							

Employees Signature Date





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Co-Applicant's Name:		_Social Security #		
Address:				
City		Township:		
City	State Zip Coo	le		
Home Phone:	Alternate Phone:		-	
Is this your primary residence?	How long have yo	u owned & occupied t	the property?	
Type: Single Family	Mobile Home	Age of home		
Debt Information:				
Is there a mortgage on the				
property?		Yes	No	
Are you current with all Hom	eowners Insurance?	Yes	No	
Household Member Infor	mation:			
<u>Names</u>		Date of	<u>Relationsh</u>	
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Interest Rate Earned:	ance for last 6 months : <u>\$</u>	%	
Savings Account: <u>\$</u> Current Balance: <u>\$</u> Interest Rate Earned:		%	
Certificate of Deposit: # Value:	¢		
Interest Rate Earned:	Ψ	%	
Other: Value: # Interest Rate Ear	\$ ned:	%	
Signature of Authorize	d Official	Date	
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