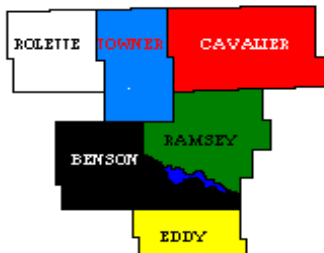


EMERGENCY ASSISTANCE

- Information & Referral
- Temporary Shelter
- Past Due Rent/Mortgage Assistance:
Provided to prevent eviction & homelessness
- First Months Rent Assistance:
To provide permanent shelter for homeless.
- Utility Assistance
- HOME Security Deposit Assistance Program
- Energy Share of North Dakota:
Emergency assistance with past due electric bills.
- Annual Clothes Giveaway
- Emergency Transportation
- Hot Meals

*All services offered through DPCAA are subject to the availability of funds.

Please contact DPCAA if you have questions or would like further information on a specific program listed in this brochure.



Serving the Counties in Region III:

Benson, Cavalier, Eddy, Ramsey, Rolette & Towner

DAKOTA PRAIRIE CAA

PROGRAM CONTACT INFORMATION:

701-662-6500 or 1-800-321-5943

GENERAL BUSINESS CONTACTS

Perry Ludson, Exec. Director - Ext. 322

WEATHERIZATION PROGRAM

Norris - Ext. 330 Brenda - Ext. 327

HOUSING PROGRAMS

Norris - Ext. 330

SELF SUFFICIENCY & EMERGENCY SERVICES

Janet - Ext. 328 Lora - Ext. 331

Saving Our Cents/IDA

Jennifer - Ext. 325

Supportive Services for Veteran Families

Ellen—Ext. 324

DPCAA OUTREACH OFFICES:

ROLETTE & TOWNER COUNTIES

(701)477-6188

1104 Hwy. 5 West, Rolla, ND 58367

Monday-Thursday, 9am to 4pm

ALL OTHER COUNTIES

1-800-321-5943



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MISSION STATEMENT:

Dakota Prairie Community Action Agency (DPCAA) exists to provide advocacy, programs and services to address the issues of poverty and improve economic self-sufficiency for all households.

Dakota Prairie Community Action Agency (DPCAA) is one of seven Community Action Agencies operating in North Dakota.

Community Action Agencies are non-profit agencies that develop programs and provide services designed to assist low income and disadvantaged households address unmet needs and barriers of poverty.

This brochure will provide general information about the programs and services offered by DPCAA. Income eligibility for most programs is 125% poverty level unless stated otherwise.

PROGRAMS & SERVICES:

NUTRITION PROGRAMS

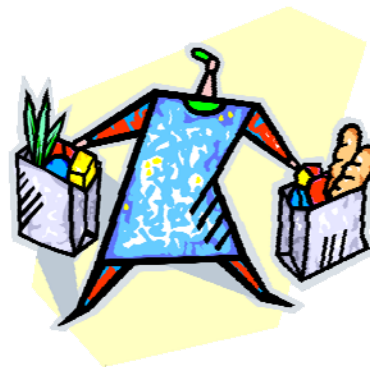
- **Information & Referral**
- **Emergency Food Pantry:**
Available in Rolette County Only
- **Sportsmen Against Hunger:**
Donated venison is processed and given to area food pantries for distribution.

VETERAN PROGRAMS

- **Supportive Services for Veteran Families (SSVF):**
This program assists homeless veterans or those at risk of becoming homeless, in securing safe and stable housing.

WEATHERIZATION & HOUSING

- **Home Weatherization Assistance:**
Provides energy conservation services to low-income households at or below 150% poverty level. Measures such as home insulation, caulking, water heater & pipe insulation are designed to improve the energy efficiency and reduce consumption costs of the home.
- **Residential Energy Efficiency Program:** Provides education on home health, safety, energy costs & efficiency.
- **Helping Hands Program**
- **HOME Housing Rehabilitation Program**
- **Home Acquisition & Rehab Program**
- **Community Housing Development Organization (CHDO):** Programs and projects that improve or develop affordable housing for low-income families in our service area.



SELF SUFFICIENCY PROGRAMS

- **Information & Referral**
- **Self Reliance Program:**
A goal orientated case management designed to assist low income & disadvantaged individuals decrease government dependency. Goals addressed may be employment, education, housing or money management related.
- **General Case Management**
- **Money Management**
- **School Supplies**
- **Saving Our Cents Program/IDA:**
Individual development saving accounts where deposits are matched with \$2 for every \$1 deposited. Savings can be used for secondary education, small business start up/ expansion or homeownership.
- **Self Sufficiency Scholarships:**
Financial assistance provided to help individuals meet an educational or employment goal.
- **Volunteer Income Tax Assistance:** Free completion of income tax return for income eligible households.
- **Home Buyer Education**
- **Employment Support**