

**Attachment A**  
**Summary of Rules**

TO: Arkansas Legislative Council

FROM: Arkansas Economic Development Commission  
Arkansas Energy Office  
Weatherization Assistance Program

RE: Summary of Weatherization Assistance Rules  
Program Year 2014 State Plan  
July 1, 2014 – June 30, 2015

DATE: March 26, 2014

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The attached rule (*choose one*):

- establishes new
- amends existing
- repeals

Rules for administering Weatherization Assistance Program Grant Application, Arkansas Economic Development Commission—Energy Office provided under House Bill 1887.

Pursuant to the Energy Conservation in Existing Buildings Act of 1976, as amended, 42 U.S.C. 6851 et seq.

**Summary of Changes:**

- Changes average cost per unit to cost per unit;
- Elects to use \$4,500 as the measured per unit cost;
- Adds two new service providers.

*(Explain the purpose of these rules)*

These rules are for administering the Weatherization Assistance Program Grant Application, Arkansas Economic Development Commission—Energy Office provided under House Bill 1887.

The rules are for use of Weatherization Assistance Program Grant funds in Arkansas in Fiscal Years 2014-2015. The plan allocates funds to six (6) Community Action Agencies and two (2) non-profit organizations in the state to provide services to Arkansans with low-income persons, the elderly and handicapped receiving priority.

Attachment

### Notice of Rule Making

The Arkansas Economic Development Commission is in the process of adopting rules for administering the Weatherization Assistance Program.

The Arkansas Economic Development Commission is soliciting comments on the proposed rules filed with the Secretary of State on March 26, 2014. A public hearing for the proposed rule will be held at 10:00 a.m. on April 11, 2014 at Pulaski Technical College, Business & Industry Center, 3303 East Roosevelt Road, Room 202, Little Rock, Arkansas.

Copies of the proposed rule may be found on the Commission's website [www.ArkansasEDC.com](http://www.ArkansasEDC.com) or may be obtained by calling (501) 682-7390. Written comments may be submitted through April 28, 2014 by mailing them to the Arkansas Economic Development Commission, Doris Wright, Program Manager, 900 West Capitol, Suite 400, Little Rock, Arkansas, 72201 or by faxing them to (501) 682-7499. Comments will also be accepted via email at [DWright@arkansasedc.com](mailto:DWright@arkansasedc.com)

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