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The Salt Lake County Council 2001 South State Street, N2-200 Salt Lake City, Utah 84190-1010

Attn: Aimee Winder Newton, Chair

Re: Request to Approve Sliding Scale (8.0)

2023 Tax Year for Indigent and Hardship Relief

(Recommend Approval)

Council Members:

The Property Tax Committee, at a meeting on January 19, 2023, considered updating the Indigent/Hardship sliding scale for 2023. The Committee recommends the attached scale be approved for use in administering indigent and hardship relief for 2023. The scale uses the same income guidelines as the State Circuit Breaker program. Assets are added to income to determine the total resources available to a household. The actual amount of relief is determined after considering the total number of people in the household.

Upon your approval, please notify the County Treasurer.

Sincerely,

Brad Neff, Chair

Property Tax Committee

Att.

cc: District Attorney

County Auditor
County Treasurer
Information Services
Attn: Peggy Nath
Information Services
Attn: Brandon Allgier

Salt Lake County Indigent/Hardship Sliding Scale (Includes 2023 Circuit Breaker and Indigent Schedules)

Circuit Breaker Relief

| Household Income | | Max Credit | % of Income | % of Max Relief |
|------------------|--------|------------|-------------|-----------------|
| 0 | 13,044 | 1,186 | 9.09% | 100.00% |
| 13,045 | 17,395 | 1,041 | 5.98% | 87.77% |
| 17,396 | 21,741 | 899 | 4.14% | 75.80% |
| 21,742 | 26,090 | 685 | 2.63% | 57.76% |
| 26,091 | 30,441 | 545 | 1.79% | 45.95% |
| 30,442 | 34,531 | 332 | 0.96% | 27.99% |
| 34,532 | 38,369 | 188 | 0.49% | 15.85% |

Based on Income alone, no asset test.

Indigent & Hardship Relief

| # in Household | | 1 | 2 | 3 | 4 | 5 | 6 | 7 | 8 | 9 | 10 | |
|---------------------------|------------------|--------|--------|--------|--------|--------|--------|--------|--------|--------|--------|-----------|
| | | | 4,720 | 9,440 | 14,160 | 18,880 | 23,600 | 28,320 | 33,040 | 37,760 | 42,480 | Max Credi |
| Total Household Resources | ance per # in ho | 13,044 | 17,764 | 22,484 | 27,204 | 31,924 | 36,644 | 41,364 | 46,084 | 50,804 | 55,524 | 1,186 |
| | 13,045 | 17,395 | | 26,835 | 31,555 | 36,275 | 40,995 | 45,715 | 50,435 | 55,155 | 59,875 | 1,041 |
| | 17,396 | 21,741 | 26,461 | 31,181 | 35,901 | 40,621 | 45,341 | 50,061 | 54,781 | 59,501 | 64,221 | 899 |
| | 21,742 | 26,090 | 30,810 | 35,530 | 40,250 | 44,970 | 49,690 | 54,410 | 59,130 | 63,850 | 68,570 | 685 |
| | 26,091 | 30,441 | 35,161 | 39,881 | 44,601 | 49,321 | 54,041 | 58,761 | 63,481 | 68,201 | 72,921 | 545 |
| | 30,442 | 34,531 | 39,251 | 43,971 | 48,691 | 53,411 | 58,131 | 62,851 | 67,571 | 72,291 | 77,011 | 332 |
| | 34,532 | 38,369 | 43,089 | 47,809 | 52,529 | 57,249 | 61,969 | 66,689 | 71,409 | 76,129 | 80,849 | 188 |

Additional allowance per # in household taken from 2022 HHS Poverty Guidelines. For households with more than 10 persons, add \$4,720 for each additional person.

Apply a total means test. The limit for Indigent relief is the same as for Circuit Breaker relief.