



SOUTHEAST TENNESSEE
HUMAN RESOURCE AGENCY

TRANSPORTATION ASSISTANCE AVAILABLE

Southeast Tennessee Human Resource Agency (SETHRA) is dedicated to assisting families during trying times. In response to the recent Highway 64 road closing, SETHRA is implementing additional assistance through the Community Services Block Grant Crisis Intervention program which is funded by the Department of Human Services. The additional assistance will allow \$8.00 per day for travel to/from work or school with a maximum benefit of \$1500.00.

To qualify for these new services, your household must meet the established income guidelines, be negatively impacted by the Hwy 64 road closing, and travel for employment or education purposes. If your family has received Community Services Block Grant funds since July 1, 2009, your local SETHRA office will make a determination of qualification.

Income guidelines are as follows:

	Annual	Monthly
Size of Household	200% of Poverty Guidelines	200% of Poverty Guidelines
1	\$21,660.00	\$1,805.00
2	\$29,140.00	\$2,428.33
3	\$36,620.00	\$3,051.67
4	\$44,100.00	\$3,675.00
5	\$51,580.00	\$4,298.33
6	\$59,060.00	\$4,921.67
7	\$66,540.00	\$5,545.00
8	\$74,020.00	\$6,168.33
For each additional member, add	\$7,480.00	\$623.33

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When applying for services, you must provide:

- ✓ Proof of income for all household members
- ✓ Proof of employment or education enrollment

To apply for services please contact your local Polk County SETHRA office:

6050 Hwy 411
Benton, TN 37307
423-338-2335
Attn: Janice Calhoun

840 Cherokee Trail
Copperhill, TN 37317
423-496-2644
Attn: Amy Crawford

These benefits are available on a first-come, first-served basis and only available while Hwy 64 is closed.