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BPA POLICY FOR DELINQUENT UTILITY ACCOUNT'S

MEDICAL EXTENSIONS

The Blanchester Board of Public Affairs' utility office recognizes the fact that utility customers may experience instances when they may be facing disconnection of their utility services due to a delinquent account balance.

If someone permanently residing at the residence is experiencing a medical emergency, a licensed physician **must** provide the utility office with a signed medical emergency form stating why utilities should not be interrupted for health reasons.

This office will consider a thirty-day (30) extension of utility services for a legitimate health concern as noted above.

A maximum of two – thirty-day (30) medical extensions will be considered in a calendar year.

Please note: The extension to pay utility charges due to medical issues does not relieve the responsible party from their obligation to pay all utility charges with penalties as required.

This Policy to be voted on by the Board of Public Affairs Chairman and BPA Trustees.

Once approved this will be added to the official minutes and become Public Policy.

Approval Date: Nov. 5, 2020

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