GENERAL ASSISTANCE

The municipality of SHIRLEY administers a GENERAL ASSISTANCE program for the support of the poor. Pursuant to Title 22 MRSA § 4305, the municipal officers have adopted an ordinance establishing that program. A copy of this ordinance is available for public inspection at the town office. Also available for inspection is a copy of the State's General Assistance Statutes, as copies of the State law are made available to the municipality by the Maine Department of Human Services.

Persons who wish to apply for General Assistance may do so Town office during the following times:

Days:

Tuesday 9:00am to 2:00 pm Wednesday 9:00 am to 2:00 pm Thursday 12:00 pm to 5:00pm

Office Phone 695-3257

In an emergency and after office hours applicants may contact

Carolyn Nye (207) 279-1943

The municipality's General Assistance administrator must issue a written decision within 24 hours of receiving an application.

The Department of Human Services' toll-free telephone number, to call with a question regarding the General Assistance Program, is **1-800-442-6003**.

This notice is posted pursuant to Title 22 MRSA §§ 4304-4305.