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City of Topeka Utilities WaterShare Program

TOPEKA, KS – WaterShare is a partnership between the City of Topeka, Doorstep, Let's Help, and the Salvation Army. This program helps hundreds of Topekans avoid a water service shut-off when they are struggling and have trouble paying their water utility bill. You can help your neighbors today by donating as little as \$1 each month or by simply giving a one-time donation.

The WaterShare program (previously referred to as Round Up Program) was introduced in 2000 as a means of facilitating convenient monthly charitable donations. Since its creation, the WaterShare program has helped approximately 3,000 City of Topeka Utilities customers. For those who enroll in the program, the donation amount of their choosing will appear on their monthly water bill and all funds collected are distributed to Doorstep, Let's Help and the Salvation Army to select eligible recipients and administer all funds. 100% of donations will go directly towards helping Topekans in need.

There are three quick and easy ways to start donating.

- 1. Fill out the short online form at https://www.topeka.org/utilities/watershare/
- 2. Call 785-368-3111 and speak to one of our customer service representatives
- 3. Fill out and return the short form which will be included with your August statement