

# Administrative Rule Analysis

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## Community Action Programs Rule

**Department: Human Services**

**Agency: Bureau of Community Action and Economic Opportunity**

**Rule Set No.: 2014-003-HS**

**Complete to: 12/16/2014**

## BACKGROUND & SUMMARY OF PROPOSED RULES SUBMITTED TO JCAR

Rules promulgated under PA 230 of 1981, the Michigan Economic and Social Opportunity Act, as amended by PA 123 of 2003, pertain to the responsibilities of the Bureau of Community Action and Economic Opportunity within the Department of Human Services. The proposed rule changes are meant to impart greater clarity in the rules and update them to match current policies. These amendments would clarify the funding allocation based on federal authority under the federal Community Services Block Grant Act of 1981.

The proposed rules would also include a new section to help improve the process of both designating new community action agencies (CAAs) and revoking CAA status in the future, as well as updating the rules to better reflect current federal standards. The recommended rule changes would also rescind eight rules that are considered obsolete or unnecessary.<sup>1</sup>

## FISCAL IMPACT OF PROPOSED RULES

The proposed amendments to existing rules by 2014-003-HS would have no significant fiscal impact on the State of Michigan or on local units of government.

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<sup>1</sup> R 400.19206, R 400.19401, R 400.19405, R 400.19406, R 400.19407, R 400.19408, R 400.19409, and R 400.19410.