

FOR IMMEDIATE RELEASE**LIBERTY UTILITIES – EMPIRE DISTRICT RECOGNIZES NATIONAL WEATHERIZATION DAY**

Joplin, MO – Friday, October 26, 2018 – Liberty Utilities – Empire District will recognize National Weatherization Day on Tuesday, October 30, 2018, by joining with the Economic Security Corporation (ESC) for a home weatherization demonstration at 118 North Moffet, Joplin, Mo., beginning at 10:00 a.m. This demonstration is a great opportunity to learn how to properly weatherize your home before winter temperatures arrive.

The project is funded, in part, by Liberty Utilities – Empire District’s Low Income Weatherization Program which has provided over \$1.9 million in weatherization assistance for over 1,800 homes since the program began in 2005. Last year, Liberty - Empire pledged an additional \$1,500,000 of weatherization assistance for agencies across its service area over the next 10 years.

According to the Missouri Department of Economic Development Division of Energy, weatherization helps save an average of \$437 annually per household on heating and cooling costs.

Visit <http://www.empiredistrict.com/Energy> for weatherization tips and program information. Try the Energy Calculators on the website to find ways to save based on your home’s unique characteristics.

About Liberty Utilities

Liberty Utilities Co. owns and operates regulated water, wastewater, natural gas and electric transmission and distribution utilities in 12 states, delivering responsive and reliable essential services to over 750,000 customers across the United States. With a local approach to management, service and support, we deliver efficient, dependable services to meet the needs of our customers. Liberty Utilities provides a superior customer experience through walk-in customer centers, locally focused conservation and energy efficiency initiatives, and programs for businesses and residential customers. We measure our performance in terms of service reliability, an enjoyable customer experience, and an unwavering dedication to public and workplace safety. Liberty Utilities currently operates in Arizona, Arkansas, California, Georgia, Illinois, Iowa, Kansas, Massachusetts, Missouri, New Hampshire, Oklahoma and Texas. For more information, please visit www.LibertyUtilities.com.

Liberty Utilities – Empire District, Joplin, Missouri, is headquarters for the Company’s Central Region, providing electric, natural gas, water, and wastewater service to nearly 320,000 customers across six states. For more information regarding services in the Empire area, visit www.empiredistrict.com.

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