



## Renters' Rebate Program

Connecticut State law provides for a direct, partial reimbursement of rent and utility bills of certain elderly and totally disabled renters. Qualifying utilities are electricity, gas, water and fuel.

### Qualifications:

- Recipient or spouse must be **65 years** of age or older by December 31, 2008; or be 50 years of age or older and the surviving spouse of a renter, who had qualified and was entitled to tax relief under this chapter; or be 18 years of age or older and permanently and **totally disabled**.
- Must meet a one-year Connecticut residency requirement. The one-year residency requirement applies to **any** one-year period.
- Claimant's qualifying income in the calendar year 2008 must not exceed **\$30,500** if unmarried, or **\$37,300** if married.
- Must make application to the Assessor between **May 15 and September 15, 2009**.

**Questions? Contact Pat Juda, Somers' Assessor, at 763-8202.**