



**Safer at Home
May
Mean
Higher
Utility
Bills**



It's a fact: Safer at Home meant more utility usage, higher grocery bills and strain-creating expenses.

Huntsville Utilities wants to help relieve some stress. If you need assistance we urge you to contact:



United Ways of Alabama

211 can provide information about:

- **Basic Human Needs Resources** including food banks, clothing, shelters, rent assistance, utility assistance;
- **Health and Mental Health Resources;**
- **Employment Support** including transportation and job training;
- And many more topics.

In the meantime, with summer weather upon us, these tips may lower your utility bill:

- **Adjust Thermostat:** For central systems a two-degree increase in the thermostat setting may save 5% or more.
- **Use Ceiling Fans:** Ceiling/floor fans use little energy and make the room feel five degrees cooler.
- **Close Curtains/Blinds:** Especially important for east & west facing windows.

For details and more tips about air filters, closing doors, etc., visit www.hsvutil.org.

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