MINNESOTA HOUSING

Mortgage Loan Programs Start Up Program Description

First-Time Homebuyer Loans

This description is a summary of program requirements and does not contain all the information needed to originate Minnesota Housing loans. Lenders should refer to Minnesota Housing's <u>Start Up Program Procedural Manual</u>, U.S. Bank overlays and the underlying product descriptions for complete information. Where terms differ, the more restrictive terms apply.

PARAMETERS	REQUIREMENTS
First-Time Homebuyer	Yes, all borrowers
Eligible Use	Purchase
Eligible Products	 FHA FHA 203(k) Streamlined VA RD Fannie Mae HFA PreferredTM/UPMI* Fannie Mae HFA PreferredTM/UPMI* Freddie Mac HFA PreferredSM/UPMI* *See product description for additional requirements
Eligible Occupancy	Owner-occupied
Minimum Credit/Maximum DTI	Credit and DTI Matrix
Non-Traditional Credit	Defer to underlying product guidelines
Manual Underwriting	 Conventional/RD/VA is allowed FHA: contact <u>Partner Solutions</u> at 651.296.8215 or 800.710.8871 Maximum 36% DTI Minimum two months PITIA reserves after closing (or per product guidelines, if more restrictive)
Reserves	AUS-underwrite: Defer to underlying product guidelines Manual underwrite: See Manual Underwriting section above
Income Limits	Start Up/Step Up income limits
Income Calculation	Minnesota Housing Eligibility Income calculation
Acquisition Cost Limit	 11-County Metro - \$306,000 Balance of State - \$253,800
Amortization	15- or 30-year terms
Interest Rates	Current rates available at <u>www.mnhousing.gov</u>
Downpayment and Closing Cost Loans	 Deferred Payment Loans Deferred Payment Loan Option Deferred Payment Loan Plus Option
Eligible Property Types	 Single-family, detached Duplex Townhouse A unit within a PUD Community land trust (CLT) Condos (see Allregs for U.S. Bank requirements) Modular home Manufactured home taxed as real property
Ownership of Property	Some limitations may apply. See conventional product descriptions for details.
Minimum Borrower	Lesser of \$1,000 or 1% of the purchase price if receiving a Minnesota Housing
Contribution	downpayment and closing cost loan
Homebuyer Education	 Required of at least one borrower receiving a: Conventional loan, and/or Minnesota Housing downpayment and closing cost loan
Mortgage Insurance	Defer to underlying product guidelines
Interested Party Contributions	Defer to underlying product guidelines
Maximum LTV/CLTV	Defer to underlying product guidelines