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Lender Notice

Important Program Change Reminders

August 28, 2023

Introduction

This notice relates to important program changes that were announced in the following two lender notices:

- August 1, 2023 NH Housing Selling Guide Update with Comprehensive Revisions
- August 9, 2023 Home Preferred BPMI Program to be Sunset

Summary

Continuing from the previous communication, the outlined program changes will be in effect for reservations made on or after September 1, 2023.

Cash Assistance Loans – NH Housing will extend the repayment term on our Cash Assistance mortgage from four to five years. For mortgage loans that include Cash Assistance, the Cash Assistance will be forgiven **five years** from the closing date, unless during the first five years the Borrower: a) fully prepays or refinances the first mortgage; b) sells, transfers or otherwise disposes of the Property; or c) files for bankruptcy.

The following forms have been updated on our website to reflect the five (5) year repayment terms and must be provided to the borrower, as applicable:

- Cash Assistance Mortgage Program Disclosure
- 1stGenHomeNH Borrower Affidavit

Rehab Loans – NH Housing will discontinue the rehab program under the Home First mortgage programs. NH Housing will continue to offer rehab programs through the Home Flex mortgage programs.

Home Preferred BPMI program – NH Housing will discontinue this program.

Effective Date

Effective September 1, 2023.

For more information on our programs refer to the <u>New Hampshire Housing Selling Guide</u>.

If you have any questions, please contact Matt Gallant at (603) 310-9247, Mgallant@nhhfa.org.

Sincerely,

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