

## **County of San Joaquin**

# **NSP GAP Loan Program**

# **Downpayment Assistance Program For Home Purchases**

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#### WHAT IS THE NSP GAP LOAN PROGRAM?

The San Joaquin County NSP GAP Loan Program provides deferred downpayment assistance loans, 10% of the sales price up to \$15,000 (whichever is the lesser) to moderate-income homebuyers for the purchase of properties marketed through the County's Neighborhood Stabilization Program (NSP). The loans are intended to bridge the "GAP" between the cost of a home and what a moderate-income household can afford.

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#### WHAT ARE THE QUALIFICATION REQUIREMENTS?

! You must obtain a certificate from a first time homebuyers class;

| HUD-APPROVED HOMEBUYER'S CLASS        | CONTACT NUMBER |
|---------------------------------------|----------------|
| Visionary Home Builders of California | (209) 466-6811 |
| Clearpoint                            | (800) 750-2227 |

- ! Your house payment cannot be greater than 38% of your gross monthly income;
- ! Your total debt cannot be greater than 41% of your gross monthly income;
- ! You must have income and credit worthiness to qualify for primary financing, from a lender of your choice;
- ! You must qualify for a 30 year, fixed rate loan (No co-signers accepted);
- ! You must currently either reside or work in San Joaquin County for a minimum of twelve months prior to application; and
- ! You must provide 1% of the purchase price as a downpayment.

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#### **ELIGIBLE PROPERTIES**

- ! Only properties marketed through NSP are eligible for an NSP GAP loan.
- ! County NSP property listings can be obtained from:

Visionary Home Builders (209)466-6811

S.T.A.N.D. (209)937-7625

Service First (209)644-6300

! The maximum allowable cost of a home is \$488,750.

#### **HOUSEHOLD**

| Family Size | <b>Maximum Income</b> |
|-------------|-----------------------|
| 1           | \$ 53,450             |
| 2           | 61,050                |
| 3           | 68,700                |
| 4           | 76,350                |
| 5           | 82,450                |
| 6           | 88,550                |

#### ✓ SPECIFICS ABOUT THE COUNTY LOAN

- ! Secured by a second deed of trust;
- ! Down payment assistance is 10% of the sales price up to \$15,000;
- ! A portion of the 10% loan can be used to pay up to 50% of the closing costs;
- ! Collection accounts and judgments must be paid off prior to the close of escrow;
- ! Payments may be deferred over a 30-year period at 2% interest;
- ! Loans are processed on a first come, first served basis;
- ! Includes a provision for shared equity upon resale or refinance;
- ! The buyer must occupy the home as their principal residence; and
- ! Once the home is purchased, there are no further income restrictions.

### **✓** HOW TO PROCEED

Call (209) 468-3157 to apply, after you have been pre-qualified by a lender for a primary loan.

To begin the pre-qualification process with San Joaquin County please provide the following documents:

- 1. Two (2) months pay stubs for each applicant as well as any other income.
- 2. Six (6) months most-recent bank statements.
- 3. Three (3) years tax returns and W-2's.
- 4. Lender approval letter.
- 5. Lender loan application (Form 1003).
- 6. Credit report.

Additional documentation will be required from the borrower and the first mortgage lender. See Lender Information for more details.

