

HOMEBUYER ASSISTANCE PROGRAM DOWN PAYMENT LOAN / CLOSING COST GRANT

30-year Deferred Payment Loans up to \$197,851 / Closing Cost Grant up to \$7,500

The City of Lompoc Homebuyer Assistance Program is available to qualified first-time homebuyers households purchasing homes located within the City of Lompoc

Maximum Loan

■ 18% of the home purchase price, up to \$197,851

Borrower Qualifications

- First-time homebuyer –cannot have owned a home in the past three years (some exceptions apply)
- Combined household income cannot exceed 120% of Area Moderate Income
- Resident of or works in Santa Barbara County; U.S. citizen or permanent resident alien

Eligible Homes

- Located within the City of Lompoc
- Housing Type: Single-family, condos, townhomes and mobile homes with individual deeds
- Physical Condition: Ready for occupancy with no building or health and safety code violations

Program Requirements

- Completion of a Homebuyer Education course
- Pre-approval of a First Mortgage Loan
- Satisfactory employment and income stability
- Income certification

Points & Fees

- No points
- Community Partners charge fees for homebuyer education and income certification
- The First Mortgage Lender & City of Lompoc HAP may charge fees

Security

Second mortgage (valid second property lien)

Loan Repayment

- Due in 30 years or upon resale, refinance, failure to occupy the home or default
- Homeowners may prepay all or a portion of the down payment loan at any time without penalty

Interest Payments

- No current interest or principal payments
- 3% simple annual interest, deferred
- At loan repayment the principal amount is due plus accrued interest at 3% annually.

TO QUALIFY

CONTACT CITY APPROVED FIRST MORTGAGE LENDERS

LIST OF LENDERS ON REVERSE SIDE



Homebuyer Assistance Program Down Payment Loans

Steps to Obtain Your Loan

STEP 1: Homebuyer Education. Complete an approved Homebuyer Education Course.

STEP 2: First Mortgage Loan Pre-Approval. Obtain pre-approval of a First Mortgage Loan from a Community lending partner.

STEP 3: Income Certification. Have your Income certified by a Community Partner to verify you are an eligible household.

STEP 4: Down Payment Loan Application. Submit your down payment loan application and supporting document to the participating First Mortgage Lender.

STEP 5: Locate Your Home. Work with your Realtor or Broker to locate your home and execute a sales contract to purchase the home, contingent on your loan.

STEP 6: Down Payment Loan Commitment. The City will make a decision on your application within 10 - 12 working days. If qualified, you will be issued a Loan Commitment.

STEP 7: **Escrow and Loan Closing:** Loan documents will be prepared for your signature. The City and First Mortgage Lender will coordinate with the Title Company to close and fund your home purchase.

Community Partners

Homebuyer Education

Obtain your Homebuyer Education "On-line" through the City of Lompoc's Website at: https://app.ehomeamerica.org/cityoflompoc

City Approved First Mortgage Lenders

Leachman Home Loans, Michelle Leachman 100 East Ocean Avenue Lompoc, CA 93436

Phone#: (805) 735-8687

Email: <u>michelle@leachmanhomeloans.com</u>

Santa Fe Mortgage, Fred Bittle 203 North H Street, Suite B Lompoc, CA 93436 Phone#: (805) 737-3711

Email: <u>fred.bittle@sfmlompoc.com</u>

Edge Home Finance, Jennifer Cruz 1201 East Ocean Avenue Lompoc, CA 93436 Phone# (805) 680-1352

Email: jen.cruz@edgehomefinance.com

Escrow Services

Fidelity National Title, Alisia Beltran 511 North H Street, Suite D, Lompoc, CA 93436 Phone#: (805) 735-6481

First American, Allison Campitelli 100 South H Street, Lompoc, CA 93436 Phone#: (805) 737-3736

FOR MORE INFORMATION,
CONTACT CITY APPROVED LENDERS ABOVE OR
DOWNLOAD DETAILED PROGRAM GUIDELINES AT

WWW.CITYOFLOMPOC.COM/COMDEV/#HOMEBUYER

