

## **ABOUT HOP120**

The Home Ownership Program (HOP120) provides a second mortgage loan for first-time homebuyers with assistance up to \$85,000, or 20% of the purchase price, whichever is less. The loan provides down payment and/or closing costs assistance and is secured with a Deed of Trust and Promissory Note. HOP120 loans are 0% interest loans with a deferred payment. Repayment is required when the home is sold, there is a transfer of title, or the home is no longer owner-occupied.

To qualify, a homebuyer must not have owned a home (for personal or other use) in the last three (3) years and the home must be owner-occupied.

The household annual income cannot exceed 120% of the Area Median Income (AMI) \* for Los Angeles County, based on family size.

Household Size 120% AMI Limit		Household Siz	Household Size 120% AMI Limit	
1	\$82,500	5	\$127,300	
2	\$94,300	6	\$136,700	
3	\$106,050	7	\$146,150	
4	\$117.850	8	\$155.550	

<sup>\*</sup>Income limits are updated annually by the CA Department of Housing and Community Development

Eligible properties are single-family homes, townhomes, and condominiums with a maximum purchase price of \$850,000. Eligible locations are unincorporated areas of Los Angeles County and participating cities.

A homebuyer must complete an eight-hour education course in home ownership from an approved U.S. Department of Housing and Urban Development counseling agency. For a list of counseling agencies, visit www.hud.gov.

The homebuyer must agree to an equity sharing obligation within years 0 through 15 of the HOP120 loan. The Borrower shall be required to pay the Lender's share of the Net Appreciation and the outstanding loan amount when repayment is due.

## **READY TO GET STARTED?**

Contact one of the approved HOP 120 Participating Lenders. For a list of HOP120 participating lenders and eligible locations, please visit www.lacda.org. Click the Home Ownership tab, followed by First-Time Homebuyer Assistance.

