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Renville County Homeownership Down Payment and Rehab Loan Program Application

Applicant _____ Social Security # _____ - _____ - _____

Co-Applicant _____ Social Security # _____ - _____ - _____

Physical Address _____

Mailing Address _____

Telephone (home) _____ (cell) _____

Email _____

Other household members:

Name _____ Age _____ Name _____ Age _____

Name _____ Age _____ Name _____ Age _____

Name _____ Age _____ Name _____ Age _____

INCOME INFORMATION

Income means any amount, before taxes, withholding or deductions, received by any resident of the household, age 18 or older, from any source such as but not limited to the following:

- Salaries, wages, commissions, tips, bonuses, and overtime pay, including pay of household members of the temporarily absent, such as in the Armed Services.
- Pensions, annuities, Social Security, PERA, etc.
- Cash public assistance such as SSI, General Assistance, MFIP, Unemployment Compensation
- Rental income, gains from sale of property or securities, payments on contracts for deeds
- Alimony or child support
- Net business/self-employment income averaged over past three years
- Interest or dividends

Proof of income is required: (Attach one month of check stubs or last income tax return.)

Income Source _____ Amount \$ _____ per _____

_____ Amount \$ _____ per _____

_____ Amount \$ _____ per _____



WHAT PROGRAM ARE YOU APPLYING FOR?

- Rehab/Home Improvements
- Down Payment/Closing Costs

What is the source of funds you will use to match the funding from the Homeownership Program?
(Attach copy of a recent bank statement if proposing to use personal funds.)

- Personal Funds
- Other Loan (Bank, Family, etc.)
- Other: _____

CREDIT AND PROPERTY INFORMATION

Are you in default on any loan, mortgage or contract for deed?

- Yes No

Are you delinquent on any property tax payments?

- Yes No

Note: Loans will not be approved if delinquent property taxes exist

REHAB BORROWERS ONLY

Briefly describe the improvements for which you are requesting funding:

Is your house a (check one):

- Single-family
- Duplex
- Mobile home

Ownership Status (check one):

- Rent
- Purchase Agreement
- Owned Free and Clear
- Mortgage
- Contract for Deed

Approximate year home was built: _____

(Attach Proof of Homeowner's Insurance Coverage for Rehab Program)

(Attach Insurance Coverage Quote for Down Payment Program)

DOWN PAYMENT BORROWERS ONLY (Attach a copy of the purchase agreement.)

Address of home to be purchased: _____ Parcel

#: _____

NAME OF SELLER: _____ PURCHASE PRICE: _____

LENDER NAME: _____ CONTACT: _____

Renville County Homeownership Down Payment and Rehab Loan Program Application Notices to Applicants

DATA PRIVACY. The information requested in this application is classified as private data under the Minnesota Government Data Practices Act. Under the provisions of this act, we are hereby notifying you that:

1. This information is being collected in order to determine if you qualify for a 0% interest loan under the Renville County Homeownership Down Payment and Rehab Program. The information will be used by the Renville County HRA/EDA in order to calculate your eligibility.
2. You are not legally required to provide the information which is requested in this application and you may refuse to do so. If you do provide the information which is requested, the Renville County HRA/EDA will be able to determine your eligibility for Homeownership Down Payment and Rehab Program loan. If you do not provide the information, the HRA/EDA will not be able to determine your eligibility and you will not receive a loan.
3. You have the right to see, receive copies of, and challenge the accuracy and completeness of any and all information relating to you which the Renville County HRA/EDA has on file relating to your application.
4. To determine your eligibility for the Homeownership Down Payment and Rehab Program, or to deliver such assistance, such information relating to your application may be made available to: (a) staff of the Renville County HRA/EDA, (b) staff of another financial institution, and/or (c) a real estate professional who, with your permission, may be involved in the financing or transacting the rehabilitation or purchase of your home.

INSPECTION INFORMATION. While HRA/EDA staff may visit your home during the loan process to verify its general condition or that work has been completed, this visit does not constitute a formal inspection that warrants that the home is free of hazards or that the home or the improvements financed under the Home Ownership & Rehab Program meet the building codes of any unit of government.

WATCH OUT FOR LEAD POISONING! Please read carefully: If your house was constructed before 1978, it may contain lead-based paint. Lead-based paint is especially harmful to children under seven years of age. If lead-based paint is found in your home, steps may be taken to remove or cover the paint surfaces.

1. Children get lead poisoning when they eat bits of paint that contain lead. If a child eats enough lead paint, his/her brain will be damaged. He/she may develop learning disabilities or even die. Older houses often have layers of lead paint on the walls, ceilings, and woodwork. When the paint chips off or when the plaster breaks, there

is real danger for babies and young children. Outdoors, lead paints and primers may have been used in many places, such as walls, porches and fire escapes. If you have seen your child putting pieces of paint or plaster in his mouth, you should take him to a doctor, clinic, or hospital as soon as you can. In the beginning stages of lead poisoning, a child may not seem really sick. Do not wait for signs of poisoning.

2. Of course, a child might eat paint chips or chew on a painted railing or window sill while parents aren't around. Has your child seemed especially cranky? Is he/she eating very little? Does he/she throw up or have stomach aches often? These could be signs of lead poisoning. Take him/her to a doctor's office or to a clinic. A blood lead level screening test is advisable and available for children under seven years of age. Be sure to tell the rest of your family and people who babysit for you about the danger of lead.
3. There are proper and safe ways to remove or cover lead paint. Dry sanding or scraping are not safe lead paint removal procedures. If you have concerns about lead paint in your home, ask the staff of the HRA/EDA for more information concerning safe lead paint abatement procedures.

FALSE STATEMENTS. Any person who knowingly makes a false statement or misrepresentation in connection with this application shall be subject to a fine or imprisonment under provisions of the Minnesota Criminal Code, under provisions of the United States Criminal Code, and/or may be required to return all or part of the Home Ownership & Rehab Program loan provided under the terms of the Renville County Home Ownership & Rehab Program.

APPLICANT'S STATEMENT. I, the undersigned, certify that: (a) Under penalty of law, the information provided in this application is true and correct to the best of my knowledge; and (b) I have read, understand, and agree to the terms of the above "Private information," "Inspection Information," "Lead Paint Poisoning," and "False Statements" notifications printed above.

Signature _____ Date _____

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Submit the following Documents:

- _____ Proof of Income
- _____ Quotes (Rehab Program)
- _____ Signed Purchase Agreement (Down Payment/Closing Cost Program)
- _____ Homeowners Insurance
- _____ Bank Statement (If proposing to use personal matching funds)
- _____ Pre-Qualification Summary from Lender

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Applicant's Authorization for Release of Information

I (We) hereby authorize and give permission to any person, corporation, society, organization, government agency or department, bank, or financial institution to disclose to the administrators of the Renville County Homeownership Down Payment and Rehab Program any and all information which they may request concerning me (us) and my (our) financial affairs. I (We) understand that any such information will be treated in a strictly confidential manner and will only be used to determine eligibility for housing repair assistance.

Signed: _____ Date: _____

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Equal Housing Opportunity – Fair Housing Notification



The Renville County Homeownership Down Payment and Rehab Program does Business in accordance with Federal and State Fair Housing laws.

It is illegal to discriminate against any person on the basis of their race, national origin, religion, color, sex, age, handicap, marital status, source of income, or status with regard to public assistance:

- In the sale or rental of housing or residential lots.
- In advertising the sale or rental of housing.
- In the financing of housing.
- In the provision of real estate brokerage services.
- Blockbusting is also illegal.

If you feel you have been discriminated against, you should contact:

U.S. Department of Housing & Urban Development
Assistant Secretary for Fair Housing & Equal Opportunity
Washington, D.C. 20410

CRIMINAL BACKGROUND CHECK RELEASE

The following person(s) have applied for a housing loan program. The Renville County HRA/EDA performs criminal background checks on all applicants of the housing loan programs. This background check will include, but may not be limited to, information obtained through MN Criminals, a web-based criminal history data base; local law enforcement agencies; courts or probation officers. The background check will apply to Minnesota and to any other states listed as previous residences on the credit report obtained by the Renville County HRA/EDA.

Form with fields: First, Middle, Maiden, Last Name, Date of Birth, Applicant Signature, Social Security Number, Address, Driver's License Number.

FOR USE BY LAW ENFORCEMENT

Using the numbers below, please indicate whether the above named has been arrested for or convicted of any of the crimes relating to the following:

Box containing a list of 14 crimes (1-14) and fields for Crime #, Status/Disposition, and Additional Comments.

Signature line for Law Enforcement Personnel Signature, Title, and Date.

