

Program Update

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USDA Rate Cap Eliminated

Summary Effective October 1, 2019 USDA Rural Development will remove the rate cap

associated with interest rates.

What you need to USDA loans underwritten in GUS on or after October 1, 2019 will be eligible for

pairing with all offered government down payment assistance options. The

current assistance options range from 0% to 5% of the loan amount.

Further reading on

USDA rate cap

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Final Rule - Single Close Construction, Elimination of Interest Rate Cap

USDA Funding Update USDA will experience a temporary lapse in funding starting October 1, 2019.

During this two-week lapse USDA will issue a Conditional Commitment Notice.

Home At Last™ encourages you to conduct business as usual when reserving and

closing USDA loans. Please contact Home At Last™ with any questions and

concerns. Read USDA's official notice here.

Questions Please contact our office at (775) 283-0173 or email HAL@NVRural.org for more

information about this update.