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USDA RURAL DEVELOPMENT PROVIDES 43 FUNDING OPPORTUNITIES THROUGH 3 PROGRAMS

Community Programs

- Guaranteed Loans
- Direct Loan and Grant
- Grant (Pre-Planning and SEARCH grant)
- *Water, Waste Water, Storm Water, Solid Waste, Community Facilities, Rolling Stock, Equipment, Broadband, Electric and Telecommunications and Distance Learning.



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Business and Cooperative Programs

- Guaranteed Loan
- Direct Loan
- Grant
- *Business and Industry, Intermediary Relending program, Small Business Development, Agricultural value added program, Technical assistance, Rural Energy and efficiency improvements.



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Single and Multi Family Housing Programs

- Guaranteed Loans
- Direct Loans
- Grants
- Single family 502 (purchase), Single family 504 (rehab), Single family Self Help, Multi family housing, Farm labor housing.



Eligibility

- Public Body, Tribe, Non Profit
- •Rural: Population of less than 10,000
- •Median Household Income



Eligible Uses

- •Build, repair, and improve public water systems, waste collection treatment systems, equipment, and rolling stock.
- TAT grant funding to address solid waste reduction.
 National Office selection.
- Provide Broadband, electric and telecommunications services, Distance Learning and Telemedicine.



Applications

- No deadlines. Applications accepted every day of the year.
- Applications are completed online at <u>www.rdapply.gov</u>
- No Davis Bacon requirement
- A full application includes: Financial, Environmental and Preliminary Engineering Report. PER is completed on the EPER web site.



Rates and Terms

- Terms: Life of the item or less than 40 years
- Rates: Change quarterly. FY 2020 begins Oct. 1st
- oIntermediate 2.75% (MHI less than \$48,037)
- Poverty 2.125% (MHI less than \$48,037 and under order or outside regulatory standards)



How can Water and Environmental Program (WEP) and Single Family Housing Program(SFH) work together?

- WEP can fund the municipal, tribal or non profit system.
- •SFH can fund individual residential upgrades to utilities (applicants must meet SFH eligibility).



QUESTIONS?

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