

OWNER-OCCUPIED HOUSING REHABILITATION PROGRAM 2021-2022 APPLICATION PACKET

<u>Please Note:</u> It is strongly recommended all interested homeowners review the information below prior to completing an application for the Owner-Occupied Housing Rehabilitation Program.

FREQUENTLY ASKED QUESTIONS (FAQ) ABOUT THE PROGRAM

What is the Owner-Occupied Housing Rehabilitation program?

The Town of Prescott Valley (Town) applies annually for funding through the Arizona Department of Housing and U.S. Department of Housing and Urban Development for repair of owner-occupied housing units within the boundaries of The Town of Prescott Valley. The Owner-Occupied Housing Rehabilitation program (Program) assists Very-low and Low-income households with needed home repairs and helps preserve the Town's housing stock. Eligible households can receive up to \$65,000 worth of home repairs.

Am I eligible?

You may be eligible if all of the following are true:

1. Your total household income is at or below Very-Low or Low Income based on the number of people in your household, according to the household income limit table below.

Number in Household	Very-low Income*	Low Income*
1 person	\$ 13,450	\$ 22,350
2 persons	\$ 15,350	\$ 25,550
3 persons	\$ 17,250	\$ 28,750
4 persons	\$ 19,150	\$ 31,900
5 persons	\$ 20,700	\$ 34,500

^{*2021} State of Arizona Income Limits - State Housing Fund and CDBG Programs

- 2. Your house is a single-family house (site-built or manufactured home), and you occupy the house full-time on a year-round basis.
- 3. You are the current owner of both the house and property.
- 4. Your house is within the Town of Prescott Valley limits.
- 5. The value of your house is <u>Less</u> than 95% of the Yavapai County median home value, or less than \$266,000 as determined by the 2021 State of Arizona HOME Homeownership Value Limits.
- 6. You can document U.S. citizenship or lawful presence in the U.S.
- 7. You are current in paying your mortgage, homeowner insurance, and property tax.
- 8. You have Not received funding through this Program previously.





How are projects chosen?

Community Development compiles a list of eligible housing rehabilitation projects (Project) and selects several for construction during a given year, prioritizes income eligible households with Very-low incomes, seniors (62 years old), children, or people with disabilities. Households with the most urgent safety issues are also considered a higher priority. Lower priority eligible households might have to wait a year or more before eligibility to the Program, additionally applicants may be required to submit recent income information to show they are still income eligible for the Program.

What kinds of home repairs can be made?

Home repairs made under the Program typically correct safety issues, or problems that reduce energy efficiency. Typical repairs include structural, electrical, plumbing, and roofing issues, as well as duct repair and replacement of old appliances and heating/cooling units. Assistive devices such as a wheelchair ramp and handrails can also be installed.

Who determines what repairs are needed?

A Town Building Inspector walks through the house with the homeowner to identify problems that need to be corrected. The inspector makes a list of necessary repairs and forwards that list to Community Development, who invites licensed general contractors to bid on making those identified repairs.

Who hires the general contractor?

After general contractors submit their bids, Community Development shows the bids to the homeowner, who selects the general contractor for the job. The low bidder is typically selected – if the homeowner selects a contractor who is not the low bidder, the homeowner shall make up the difference between that contractor's bid and the lowest bid. The general contractor coordinates with the homeowner to make repairs at a time that is convenient to the homeowner. The Town of Prescott Valley pays the general contractor directly for completed construction work.

Does the Homeowner have to pay?

The homeowner signs an agreement with the Town of Prescott Valley promising to remain in the house as the owner-occupant for a certain amount of time (called the "recapture period" – 5 to 15 years, depending on the total cost of the project) and to maintain the house in good condition. That agreement places a lien on the property. If the homeowner stays in the house for the entire recapture period, then the lien is "released" and the homeowner does Not pay anything. If the homeowner sells the property, rents it out, or refinances to get cash before the recapture period is over, then the homeowner shall pay back a portion of the total project cost to the Town before the lien is released. For example, if the homeowner sells the property after five years, and the recapture period is 10 years on a total project cost of \$20,000, the homeowner will have to pay back half or \$10,000 of the project cost.



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How can I return the Program application?

You can mail the completed application to: *Town of Prescott Valley Community Development, 7501 E. Skoog Blvd., Prescott Valley, AZ 86314*, Attn: OOHR or you can drop it off at Community Development, on the 2nd Floor of the Civic Center. Please be sure to submit the following items listed in the table below with your application:

CHECK (X)	#	REQUIRED ITEMS	ADDITIONAL INFORMATION
	1	PROOF OF INCOME	Two (2) consecutive pay period paycheck stubs, social security statements, or current statements from other forms of income such as pension/ retirement payments.
	2	PROOF OF DISABILITY	If disability is claimed.
	3	SOCIAL SECURITY	Copies of Social Security card(s) from all household members.
	4	PROOF OF LAWFUL PRESENCE	In the United States from all household members.
	5	PROOF OF HOUSE AND PROPERTY OWNERSHIP	Copy of the deed.
	6	COPY OF THE MOST RECENT PROPERTY TAX STATEMENT	Statement from Yavapai County.
	7	PROOF OF HOMEOWNER INSURANCE COVERAGE	Current and valid insurance statement.
	8	VERIFICATION OF HOME MORTGAGE STATUS	Copy of current mortgage statement.

Thank you for your interest in the Town of Prescott Valley Owner-Occupied Housing Rehabilitation program. Please keep this FAQ sheet for your information and turn in the following attached application forms.

If you have questions about the Program, please call Community Development at (928) 759-3057 or email mtrinidad@pvaz.net.



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TOWN OF PRESCOTT VALLEYOWNER OCCUPIED HOUSING REHABILITATION APPLICATION



Applicant Name:					
Street Address:					
Mailing Address:					
City, State, Zip Code:					•
Home Phone	Work Phone_		Cell Phone		
Email address					
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<u>B.</u> <u>List the names of persons who are disabled</u> and complete the VERIFICATION OF DISABILITY form.

Name	Total or Partial	Describe

C. Ethnicity of Head of Household (circle one): of Caucasian African American, Asian Am. Indian, Hispanic, or Other

D. <u>Is the Head of Household a Single Parent</u>
<u>Children Living in the House?</u>
(circle one) Yes No

E. <u>List each source of the income and the amount of income that has been received from that source during the past 12 months.</u> Sources for income include cash, unemployment, alimony payments, child support, welfare assistance, social security pension, annuity, trust fund, royalty payments, property rental, property sale, military allotments, (see next page for calculation worksheet to calculate income including assets).

Family Member	Source of Income	How Verified (please attach verifying documents)	Amount of Annual Income
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2			
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9	Tota	I Annual Household Income	

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CALCULATING ANNU	CULATING ANNUAL INCOME (before taxes and benefits are deducted)	lucted)
 Head of Household: 		
	ASSETS	
Asset Types: Checking Account (average monthly balance), Savings Account (average monthly lot property (market value), IRA, Stocks, Bonds, Mutual Funds, Life Insurance policy (cash value)	ASSEL Types: Checking Account (average monthly balance), Savings Account (average monthly balance), Certificates of Deposit, Annuities, Real estate or property (market value), IRA, Stocks, Bonds, Mutual Funds, Life Insurance policy (cash value)	s of Deposit, Annuities, Real estat
HOUSEHOLD MEMBER ASSET TYPE	CURRENT CASH VALUE	INCOME FROM ASSET
2. Net cash value:	\$	The second second
3.* Total income from assets:	assets:	

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HOUSEHOLD MEMBER	WAGES, UNEMPLOY- MENT	EMPLOYER RETIREMENT BENEFITS/ PENSIONS	SOCIAL SECURITY BENEFITS	PUBLIC ASSISTANCE (TANF)	ALIMONY / CHILD SUPPORT	OTHER INCOME	TOTALS
4. COLUMN TOTALS:		В	9	C	p	e	* [
			* To	TOTAL INCOME (add 3. and 4.f.):	(add 3. and 4	i.f.);	

Date signed



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2. CONDITION OF HOME

A. What repairs are needed on your home? State briefly what item(s) need repair in the column that best describes the condition of the home.

Home Elements	Works Some/ Need Minor Repairs	Not Work at all/ Need Major Repairs	My home does not have
Electrical Hazard		•	
Plumbing			
Sewer Lines			
Roofing			
Foundation			
Floors			
Walls			
Ceilings			
Windows			
Doors			
Water Heater			
Furnace			
Vermin or Rodents Infestation			
Weatherization			
Exterior paint			
Porches/steps			

C.	Is your home a mobile/manufactured home?	Yes_	No





EMPLOYMENT VERIFICATION

ADDRESS:		
PHONE:		
Applicant Name		
Applicants Address	City, State	Zip Code
order for the individual/fam authorized your release of the authorize my employer,	ily to be eligible, we must verify	Federal and State regulations require that the family income. The individual has , to release my
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YOUR PROMPT REPLY IS VERY MUCH APPRECIATED.



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VERIFICATION OF DISABILITY

Disabled Applicant's Name:	Social Security #
Short description of disability:	
A copy of one or more of the following documents disability:	must accompany your application if you are claiming
 Social Security letter denoting disability 	
 Letter from appropriate court indicating 	
• Letter from a state agency indicating disa	ability
The name of the person(s) claiming disability must current.	appear on the document and the document must be
In the event you do not have any of these document below, a doctor who can certify the disability. If this complete the information below.	is is your situation, please sign, date and
I hereby authorize the release of any information penny Doctor, the Social Security Administration, Verburposes of verifying disability and disability benefit	ertaining to this disability verification request by terans Affairs, or any other organization for the
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Applicant's signature:	Date:
Applicant's signature: Please provide your doctor's contact information be	Date:
Applicant's signature: Please provide your doctor's contact information be Doctor's name:	Date:



VERIFICATION OF MORTGAGE STATUS

Date:		
Applicant:		
Applicant Address:		
Legal Description:		
Loan Number:		
Applicant Signature:		
To Whom It May Concern:		
The above named has applied for assistant Occupied Housing Rehabilitation program Department of Housing require verification not now in arrears, nor has it been in arreat Please indicate below whether or not these completed form to: 928-583-6858, scan are	n. The Arizona Department of House on that the payments for the property ars for the six months prior to the date the conditions have been met. You may	sing and the US y listed above are ate above. ay either fax this
class mail to: Town of Prescott Valley, Community Dev AZ 86314, Attn. OOHR.	velopment, 7501 E. Skoog Blvd., P	rescott Valley,
Thank you for your assistance.	YES, the above mortgage is curre in arrears in the past 6 months NO, this property is either not cur in arrears in the past 6 months Name:	rrent or has been
	Signature	

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GRIEVANCE PROCEDURES

Applicants are required to sign below showing that they have received a copy of this Grievance Procedure. If Applicants require assistance in processing a complaint, they may contact the Town at (928) 634-5505 for assistance.

1. Informal Complaint

- a. An informal, verbal complaint can be given to The Town's Program Manager.
- b. The Town's Program Manager will review the complaint and attempt to resolve the complaint through negotiation.
- c. The Applicant will be notified of the proposed resolution within 5 working days of receipt of the complaint.
- d. If the proposed resolution is not satisfactory to the Applicant, a formal complaint may be filed.

2. Formal Complaint

- a. Formal complaints must be made in writing and delivered to the Town's Program Manager by personal delivery or certified mail.
- b. The Town's Program Manager shall review the complaint and attempt to resolve the complaint through negotiation.
- c. The Town's Program Manager will notify the Applicant, in writing, of the proposed resolution within 10 working days of the receipt of the complaint.
- d. If the resolution proposed by the Town's Program Manager is not satisfactory to the Applicant, an appeal can be made. Appeals must be in writing and directed to the Community Development Director of the Town of Prescott Valley. Appeals must be filed within five (5) working days of receipt of the Town Program Administrator's decision.
- e. The Town's Community Development Director will review the complaint as appropriate. Review of the complaint may include an informal hearing of the parties involved. The Town's Community Development Director will make a decision regarding the complaint, in writing, within thirty (30) days of receipt of the appeal.
- f. If the resolution proposed by the Community Development Director is not satisfactory to the applicant or the Project Manager, an appeal can be made to the Town Manager. Appeals must be filed with the Town Manager's office within five (5) working days of receipt of the Community Development Department Manager's decision.



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- g. The Town Manager will review the complaint. Review of the complaint may include an informal hearing of the parties involved. The Town Manager will make a decision regarding the complaint, in writing, within thirty (30) days of receipt of the appeal.
- h. Should the resolution proposed by the Town Manager not be satisfactory to either party, the arbitration procedures set forth in the Construction Contract shall be followed. An appeal of the decision must be made within five (5) working days of the receipt of the Town Manager's decision.

I HAVE READ THE GRIEVANCE PROCEDURES FOR THE OWNER-OCCUPIED HOUSING REHABILITATION PROGRAM AND UNDERSTAND MY ABILITY TO APPEAL DECISIONS MADE.

Signature	Date
Printed Name	-
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Signature	Date
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Printed Name	



AFFIDAVIT THAT DOCUMENT(S) IS/ARE TRUE

I,	, swear or affirm, under penalty of perjury that
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the document (s) presented true.	d by me to prove U.S. citizenship, U.S. national or alien status is/are
DOCUMENTS PRESENT	ΓED
	sport, Driver's License, Birth Certificate, Naturalization Papers, for other documents that demonstrate lawful presence in the U.S.
Signature of Applicant	Date





PLEASE READ AND INITIAL THE FOLLOWING STATEMENTS:

PRIVACY ACT NOTICE STATEMENT

The information on this form is being collected to determine your eligibility for assistance for the State of Arizona Housing Trust Fund and the HOME program through the Housing and Urban Development Department. It will be used to manage the Owner Occupied Housing Rehabilitation Program, to protect the Government's financial interest, and to verify the accuracy of the information furnished. It may be released to appropriate Federal, State, and local agencies (or their agents) when relevant, as well as to civil, criminal or regulatory investigators and prosecutors.

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	Applicant:	Co-Applicant:	Witness:

INSURANCE AGREEMENT

I/we the undersigned agree to carry the required insurance protection on our residence for the duration of the loan. I/we agree to carry flood insurance if the home is determined to be located in a flood plain.

Applicant:	Co-Applicant:	Witness:	

PERMISSION TO RELEASE INFORMATION

I give permission to the Town of Prescott Valley to release information in my application as necessary to obtain services in my behalf by making necessary referrals to Federal, State, and community agencies. My family and others may be contacted in regard to this application.

Applicant:	Co-Applicant:	Witness:	

PRINCIPAL RESIDENCE

I/we certify that the property listed at the address on the application for rehabilitation is to be occupied by the owner as the principal and only residence. I/we understand that should this property no longer be our principal and only residence, I/we will repay the Town of Prescott Valley the pro-rata amount, in accordance with the Housing Rehabilitation Program Guidelines.

Applicant:	Co-Applicant:	Witness:	
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DEFERRED PAYMENT LOAN

I/we agree not to sell the property listed on this application for a period of five years from completion of construction if the investment is \$1,000 - \$14,999; or ten years from the completion of construction if the investment is \$15,000 - \$39,999; or fifteen years from the completion of the contract if the investment is \$40,000 to \$65,000. I/we agree that, should the title to the property change on the property identified by the address on this application within the applicable five (5), ten (10) or fifteen (15) year period, I/we will repay the Town of Prescott Valley the pro-rata amount in accordance with the Housing Rehabilitation Program Guidelines. I/we further agree that if within the time period stated above the property is sold by either my estate or my heirs, the person or estate selling the property will repay the Town of Prescott Valley as stated above.

Applicant: Co-Applicant: Witness:

I/we understand that a lien will be placed on the property that will outline the terms of the Deferred Payment Loan described above.

Applicant: Co-Applicant: Witness:

I/we certify that I/we shall maintain the property in clean and proper repair for the duration of the payback period for the Forgivable Loan. I/we agree that the Town of Prescott Valley may inspect my property annually until the end of the payback period. I/we shall comply with any compliance orders written by the Town within thirty days. I/we agree that should I/we not comply with the compliance order, the Town has the right to call the Deferred Payment Loan due and payable.

Applicant: Co-Applicant: Witness:

NOTICE

By signing this form, you are indicating that you have read the above Privacy Act Notice and are agreeing with the applicable certifications and statements. You also authorize The Town of Prescott Valley to verify all sources of income, disability and other matters relevant to this application.

Applicant:	Co-Applicant:	Witness:	
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CERTIFICATIONS

I/we certify that the information in this form is true and complete to the best of my/our knowledge and belief. I/we understand that I/we can be fined up to \$10,000 or imprisoned up to five (5) years if I/we furnish false or incomplete information. I/we also understand that in the event the information is found to be incorrect I/we may become ineligible for the assistance provided.

Signature (Head of Household)	Date	
Signature (Spouse/ Co-Head of Household)	Date	
Signature (Person assisting with this form)	Date	