

# Missouri USDA Rural Housing Program Information

# Welcome!



# USDA Rural Development

USDA Rural Development (RD) has been proudly serving rural America for over 70 years.

Our mission:

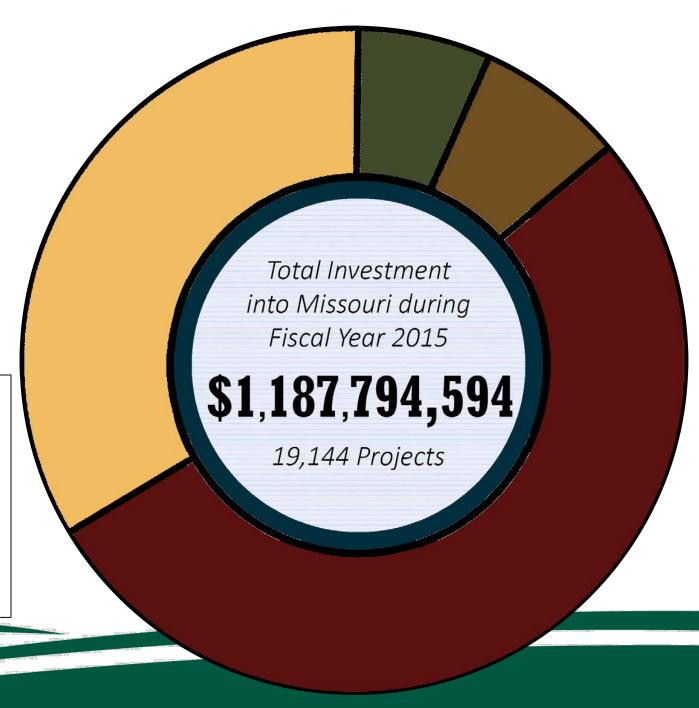
To enhance community development and economic opportunities and to improve the qualify of life in rural America.

# **USDA**Rural Development

- Rural Development is known as an agency that can build a community from the ground up.
- Our 40 + programs help by financing:
  - Homes
  - Senior and emergency centers
  - Schools
  - Hospitals
  - Infrastructure
  - Food Systems
  - Bio products
- We believe the investments in rural communities are vital to the nation's overall economy.



- Business Programs
- Nationally Delivered Utility Programs
- Community Programs
- Housing Programs





#### **Housing Programs**

Single Family Housing Direct Loans	210	\$20,283,701
Single Family Housing Guar. Loans	5,019	\$579,163,672
Single Family Housing 504 Loans	79	\$808,385
Single Family Housing 504 Grants	154	\$379,383
Housing Preservation Grants	3	\$86,273
Multi-Family Housing Rental Assistance	12,885	\$18,574,704
Multi-Family Housing Voucher Program	494	\$1,050,852
Multi-Family Housing Revitalization	3	\$1,938,523
TOTAL	18,847	\$622,285,493



#### **Community Programs**

Community Facility Direct Loans	30	\$24,969,400
Community Facility Grants	21	\$314,000
Economic Impact Initiative Grants	14	\$118,700
Water and Waste Loans	28	\$46,142,060
Water and Waste Grants	12	\$13,959,010
SEARCH Grants	10	\$271,200
Solid Waste Management Grants	1	\$30,000
Rural Comm. Dev. Initiative Grants	1	\$155,000
TOTAL	117	\$85,959,370



#### **Business Programs**

Business and Industry Loans	38	\$62,634,700
Rural Economic Development Loans	4	\$3,000,000
Rural Energy for America Grants	86	\$2,078,341
Rural Energy for America Guar. Loan	1	\$3,375,000
Rural Business Development Grants	18	\$674,519
Bioenergy Program for Advanced Biofuels	7	\$1,550,656
Value-Added Producer Grants	11	\$1,461,499
Intermediary Relending Program	3	\$1,649,293
TOTAL	168	\$76,424,008



#### **Nationally Delivered Utility Programs**

TOTAL	12	\$403,125,723
Distance Learning & Telemedicine	3	\$674,723
Electric Program	9	\$402,451,000



# **HOUSING PROGRAMS**

#### **Multi-Family Housing Programs**





## Multi-Family Housing Programs

#### Regulations:

- 7 C.F.R. 3560
   HB-1-3560, Loan Origination Handbook
   HB-2-3560, Asset Management Handbook
- 7 C.F.R. 3565
   HB-1-3565, Guaranteed Rural Rental Housing
   Program Origination and Servicing Handbook
- Websites:

http://www.rd.usda.gov (National)

http://www.rd.usda.gov/MO.html (Missouri)



# Multi-Family Housing Programs

Section 515, Rural Rental Housing Program (RRH)

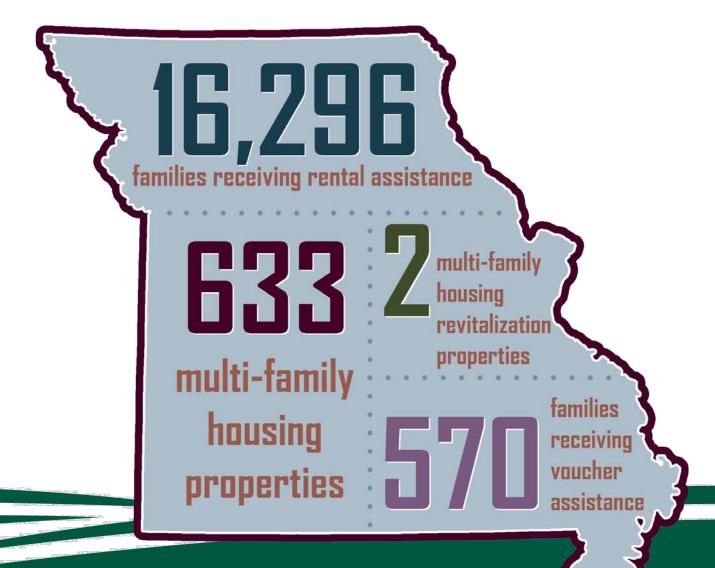
 Section 538, Guaranteed Rural Rental Housing Program (GRRH)

- Section 514, Farm Labor Housing Loans (FLHL)

Section 515, Farm Labor Housing Grants (FLHG)



# Total Investment into Missouri during Fiscal Year 2016





#### Section 515, Rural Rental Housing Program

- 619 complexes state wide (as of 11/1/16)
- 14,047 total units
- 19,001 Tenants
- Family or Elderly/Disabled
- Consist of 1-3 bedrooms
- Rent based upon tenant adjusted income





- Purpose of Program: To provide adequate, affordable, decent, safe, and sanitary rental units
  - We provide financing to develop rental units in areas that need housing and where this housing is unlikely to be provided through other means



- Loan Purposes:
  - New construction
  - Purchase and rehabilitate existing buildings
    - Only when the loan for rehab does not exceed by 5% a loan for new construction in the same area
  - Purchase and improve the necessary land on which the housing will be located
  - Develop other related facilities in connection with the housing, such as community room, recreation area or office



- Eligibility: Individuals, partnerships, limited partnerships, for-profit corporations, non-profit organizations, limited equity cooperatives, Native American tribes and public agencies are eligible
  - For-profit borrowers must agree to operate on a limited profit basis
    - Currently 8% on initial investment
  - Borrowers must be unable to obtain credit elsewhere that would allow them to charge affordable rents to low and moderate income tenants



- Applicants must have the ability and experience to operate and manage the development successfully
- Terms: The term for an initial Section 515 loan is 30 years with a 50 year amortization period
- Each loan is made at a note rate established by the Agency
  - The current rate, as of 9/1/2016 is 2.875%
  - Subsidized down to 1%



- Applications: Competitive application process published yearly in the Federal Register as a Notice of Solicitation of Applications (NOSA)
- Every year each State uses criteria to establish a list of targeted communities for which applications will be accepted (Designated Places list)
  - Applications submitted for areas other than what is on the Designated Places list will be rejected
  - We post these to our Missouri website when the NOSA is published
- Applications are then rated competitively nation-wide



- Rental Assistance This is a deeper subsidy which pays the difference between 30% of the tenant's adjusted income and the basic rent
  - This is project based subsidy that stays with the property
- Other Subsidies Existing Section 8 assistance is available through various housing agencies throughout the state
  - This is tenant based subsidy which goes with the tenant



# Section 538, Guaranteed Rural Rental Housing Program

• Purpose of Program: Provide housing that is decent, safe, sanitary, and competitive in the market





- Purpose of Program:
  - Increase the supply of moderately-priced housing in rural areas
  - Ensure housing is affordable to low- and moderate-income rural residents
    - 115 percent of area median income (AMI) or less
  - Foster risk-sharing partnerships with public and private lenders



- Loan Purposes:
  - New construction and/or purchase and rehabilitation of buildings
    - For Rehab, minimum of \$6,500 per unit required
  - Purchase and improve land on which the housing will be located
  - Development of related facilities (community space, recreation, storage or maintenance structures) except high cost facilities
    - swimming pools and exercise clubs



- Construction of on-site management or maintenance offices and living quarters for operating personnel for the property
- Purchase and install appliances and develop the surrounding grounds
  - Includes parking, signs, landscaping and fencing
- Construction interest accrued on the construction loan, relocation assistance and developers fees



- Costs and/or fees determined by the Agency to be necessary to the development of the project
  - Feasibility determination, loan application fees, appraisals, environmental documentation, etc.
- Costs associated with existing RD financed Section 515 properties
  - Maximum amount required is \$6,500 per unit



- Eligibility:
  - Borrowers must be US Citizen or US owned corporations, or organizations in which the principals are US Citizens or permanent legal residents, and include:
    - Individuals, corporations, state or local public agencies, partnerships, cooperative housing, trusts, Indian tribes, etc.



- Lenders are those approved and considered eligible by the Federal National Mortgage Association, the Federal Home Loan Mortgage Corp., the Federal Home Loan Bank members, or the Department of Housing and Urban Development
  - State Housing Finance Agencies are also considered eligible



- Terms: The minimum term is 25 years and the maximum term is 40 years
  - There is no maximum or minimum loan amount
  - The interest rate is negotiated between the borrower and lender but cannot exceed the maximum rate specified in the NOFA
    - The interest rate is fixed for the life of the guaranteed loan
- Location and Loan Amounts: Must be located in rural communities with less than 35,000 population



- Fees:
  - Depends upon the NOSA
  - There is no interest credit available
- Applications: Competitive application process published yearly in the Federal Register as a Notice of Solicitation of Applications (NOSA)
  - FY 16 NOFA was published on March 14, 2016
    - Responses due by December 31, 2017.
    - \$150 million appropriated nationwide



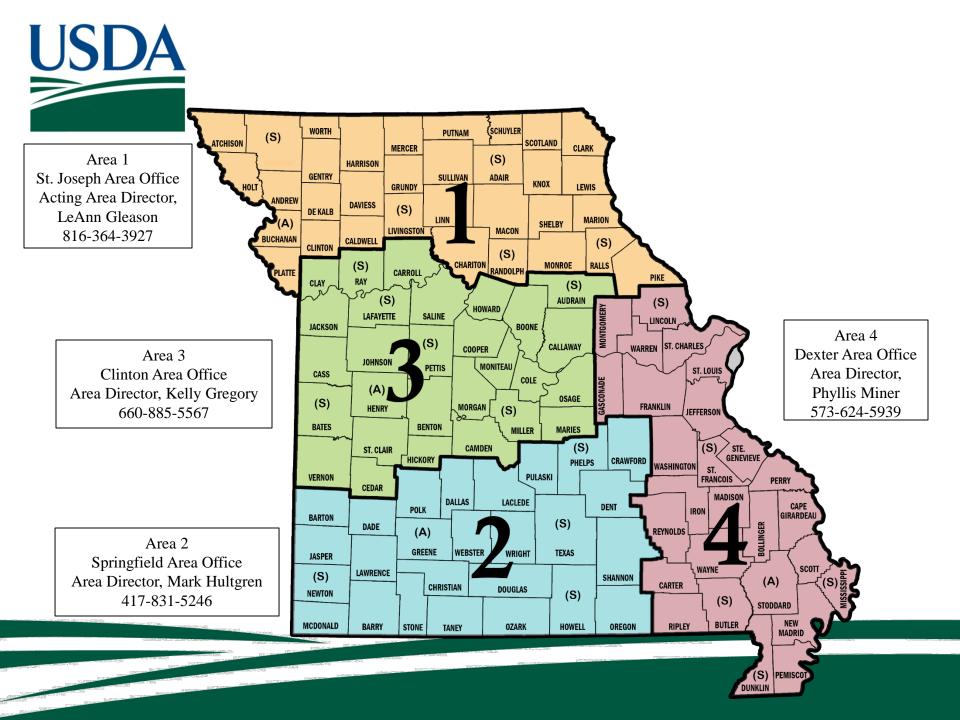
#### SECTION 514 & 516 FARM LABOR HOUSING LOANS & GRANTS

Purpose of Programs: Increase the supply of affordable housing for farm workers.



#### Section 514 & 516 - FLH

- 514 Loans Increase housing for farm laborers and are specific to the farm where they work.
  - Both on and off farm
- 516 Grants Increase housing for farm laborers regardless of the farm where they work
  - Grants are provided where there is a pressing need for such facilities and there is reasonable doubt that housing can be provided without the grant assistance
    - May be in urban or rural areas
  - Off-farm labor housing only (on-farm labor housing does not qualify for a grant)





#### HOUSING PROGRAMS

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# Annual Report

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**Ensuring No Child Goes Hungry** 

RD & Local Agencies participate in Summer Food Service Program

Loans & Grants

Guarantees

**Multi-Family Housing Direct** Loans

Rural Energy for America Program Renewable Energy Systems & Energy Efficiency Improvement Loans & Grants

Missouri State Director Biography

#### Missouri Hiahliahts



FY 2015 Annual Report: Investing in Rural Missouri



FY 2015 Accomplishments in Missouri



Missouri Program Fact Book

#### Missouri News

03-31-2016: A Safe and New Way to Alert Atlanta Residents

03-31-2016: USDA Contributes to Brunswick Chamber of Commerce

03-30-2016: Health Care Coalition of Lafayette County to Implement Telemedicine Technology in Waverly Clinic

03-30-2016: Kaysinger Basin Regional Planning Commission Working Toward Business Conference

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