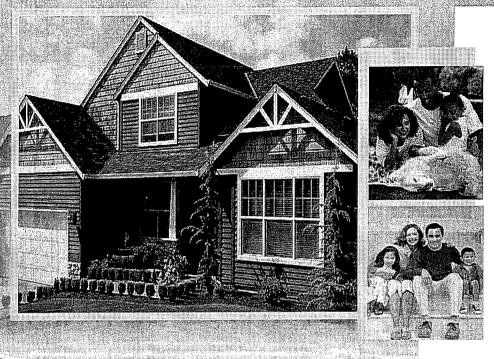
# BUY A HOME <u>AND</u> PUT MONEY BACK IN YOUR POCKET





# What is an MCC? How does it benefit someone who is purchasing a home?

A Mortgage Credit Certificate (MCC) reduces the amount of Federal income tax you pay, giving you more available income to qualify for a mortgage loan.

An MCC allows the homebuyer to claim a tax credit for a portion of the mortgage interest paid annually. It is a dollar-for-dollar reduction against their federal tax liability\*.

The tax credit provided by the MCC is also used to calculate the amount of disposable income available to purchase a home. In this manner, eligible homebuyers can increase their ability to qualify for the mortgage loan itself.

The new homeowner can claim the MCC tax credit every year, for as

long as they occupy the home purchased as their primary residence and pay mortgage interest, up to the term of the original mortgage loan.

### Value of an MCC Tax Credit Combined with a Tax Deduction\*

For example purposes only	W/MCC TAX CREDIT	W/O MCC TAX CREDIT TAX DEDUCTION
Total Income (married, joint filing)	\$60,000	\$60,000
Itemized Interest	(7,800)	(9,000)
Exemptions (2)	(6,200)	(6,200)
Total Taxable Income	\$46,000	\$44,800
Federal Income Tax Liability	\$6,118	\$5,959
MCC Credit (20%)	(1,800)	(0)
Taxes Paid	\$4,300	\$5,959

Example is based on a \$200,000 mortgage x 4.5% interest rate = \$9,000 annual interest; \$9,000 times 20% MCC Credit = \$1,800. This illustration is simplified for example purposes only. Actual figures may vary and many other considerations may impact actual tax debt\*...

#### Who can apply?\*

You may qualify for the program if:

- You are purchasing your first home.
- You have not owned a home during the past three years.
- Your annual household income does not exceed the program income limits.
- The home's purchase price does not exceed the maximum allowed purchase price limits.
- You will occupy the home as your primary residence.

### How to apply?

Your MCC Approved Lender will help you determine if you qualify, and help you submit your MCC application when you apply for your mortgage loan. Call us today.

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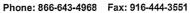
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## CHF MCC Program Overview

Program Sponsor: CRHMFA Homebuyers Fund 1215 K Street, Suite 1650 Sacramento, CA 95814	Program Administrator: National Homebuyers Fund, Inc. 1215 K Street, Suite 1650 Sacramento, CA 95814 (866) 643-4968 phone (916) 444-3551 fax admin@nhfloan.org	Program Start: 01/03/2011 Program End: 12/31/2012	
MCC Funds Available (First Mortgages)	\$67,084,833		
MCC Tax Credit Amount	20% of annual mortgage interest paid		
Eligible Loan Area	See CHF 2010 Counties List		
Targeted Area Census Tracts	See CHF 2010 Targeted Area Census Tracts List		
Transaction Type	Purchase transactions only; no refinance transactions		
Eligible Mortgages	FHA, VA, USDA-RHS, Fannie Mae or Freddie Mac Fixed-rate or adjustable-rate		
Eligible Properties	Single-family, detached or condominiums, half-plexes, townhouses, manufactured homes. 2-4 unit properties as long as one unit is occupied by the homebuyer. (Restrictions apply; see Program Manual)		
Residency Requirement	Primary residence only		
Purchase Price Limits	See CHF 2010 Counties List – Purchase Price Limits		
Homebuyer Eligibility	Persons who have not owned a "principal residence" within the past three (3) years. Requirement waived in designated Targeted Areas.		
Income Limits – Based on Household Income	See CHF 2010 Approved Counties List – Income Limits		
Federal Recapture Tax	If the buyer sells or otherwise disposes of the home during the nine (9) years from the Loan Closing date, buyer may be subject to a Federal Recapture Tax.  Several conditions can exempt the MCC holder from the Recapture Tax. The tax is based on a calculation that considers the gain, if any, on the sale of the home, the number of years that pass before the home is sold, the median family income for the buyer's area and the buyer's adjusted gross income at the time the home is sold. See Program Manual for details.		
MCC Application Fee	Application Fee: \$350.00  Non-refundable; may be paid by Borrower, Lender or Seller.		
Other Program Fees If applicable	Late Submission Fee: \$100.00 Assumption Fee: \$350.00 Re-issuance Fee: \$250.00		

Additional guidelines apply. See Program Manual for complete guidelines.