

## **HomeOwnership Announcement**

## October 30, 2020

## **WorkForce Advantage 2.0 Product Release**

Effective today, October 30, 2020, MassHousing released the WorkForce Advantage 2.0 (**WFA 2.0**). The features and benefits of WFA 2.0's include:

- DPA loan is a 0% interest deferred mortgage with a 360 month amortization due upon Sale,
  Refinance or Payoff of the First Mortgage.
- DPA loan amount will be increasing to 5% of the sales price or \$25k, whichever is less, in Gateway Cities and the City of Boston.
- DPA loan amount in the remaining communities of the Commonwealth will increase to 5% of the sales price or \$15k, whichever is less.
- 2-unit properties in addition to single family, condominiums and PUDs.
- A Lender Paid Single MI premium with MIPlus benefits paid by MassHousing with no LLPAs.
- MIPlus Benefits provided to borrowers.

MassHousing has developed the following tools and guides to assist you with your WFA 2.0 product roll out:

- New WFA 2.0 Product Matrix (Announcement 2020.17)
- New Household Income and Acquisition Cost limits
- Corresponding Origination Documents
- New <u>Certification of Income Eligibility Process Seller Guide Section 3.9.2</u>
  (Compliance Income Certified by MassHousing)
- Updated Training Calendar

Please note the WFA product will no longer be available effective with this announcement. For more information on the NEW WFA 2.0, please contact us at 888-843-6432 option 4 or email homeownership@masshousing.com with your questions.

