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## 2015 HOME Application Round

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The annual HOME Application Round is starting now with an anticipated deadline of March or April 2015. Region XII COG will be submitting a region-wide application, meaning all member cities are eligible to participate.

If your city is interested in participating, we are requesting that the city commit \$2,500 for each project that is completed in the community. The city can designate the maximum number of projects to be allowed during the program, which will offer assistance to first time homebuyers on a first-come first-serve basis. The city will not have to pay any match if there are no projects completed in the community.

This grant will provide awarded homebuyers up to \$35,000 in down payment and repair assistance as a grant. The grant term will be five to ten years, depending on the amount of assistance.

Applications may be submitted by a county or for individual cities.

**If your city or county is interested, please contact Laurie Gilbert by email, [lgilbert@region12cog.org](mailto:lgilbert@region12cog.org), or by phone, (712) 775-7820, by February 20, 2015.**