

More than One Million Americans Became Homeowners through Downpayment Assistance Programs



Downpayment Assistance Programs (DPA) = Economic Growth

Downpayment assistance programs in the U. S. created \$38.6 billion in revenues, 235,000 jobs, and \$4.6 billion in total tax revenues*

America Needs Downpayment Assistance Programs

Since 1997, DPA programs have helped more than one million Americans realize the dream of homeownership. Reinstating DPA programs today will play a key role in creating jobs, reversing foreclosure trends and stimulating the economy.

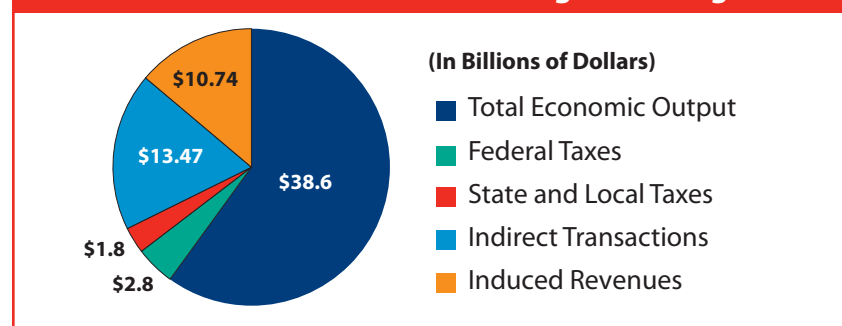
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DPA Programs: Providing An Economic Stimulus

- DPA accounts for \$150 billion in home sales annually.*
- Downpayment assistance played a crucial role in helping stimulate the economy.*
- 207,184 new and existing housing units were sold in the United States with downpayment assistance.*
- Roughly 40 percent of the FHA originated loans utilized downpayment assistance programs.*
- Over 40% are first-time homebuyers of ethnic minority and over a third are female-headed households.*
- In 2008, Nehemiah's DPA program helped families purchase more than 78,000 new and existing housing. More than 25% of those sales were on foreclosed homes, effectively taking them off the market.*

* Between December 2007 - November 2008

Economic Growth Generated Through DPA Programs



DPA Programs: Providing 235,000 Jobs Nationwide

- Approximately 195,000 additional jobs from new housing construction.
- Approximately 39,600 additional jobs from new home sales.

DPA Programs: Stabilizing Communities through Homeownership

- Homeowners are more likely to make personal and social investments in their neighborhoods, schools, churches and communities.
- Homeowners are 16% more likely to vote in local elections.
- Homeowners are 10% more likely to work to solve local problems.

Jump start the economy...RESTORE DPA PROGRAMS TODAY!