

SILETZ HOME IMPROVEMENT POLICY
Tribal Council Resolution # 26
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PROGRAM FUNCTION: The Housing Improvement Program will provide technical and financial assistance to members of the Siletz Tribe to improve their housing conditions.

ELIGIBLE PROJECTS: Renovation and repair of existing homes, and down payment as defined in categories (a) repair to housing that will remain nonstandard (b) repair to housing that will become to standard, (c) down payment as detailed in 25 CFR 261.4.

ELIGIBLE APPLICANTS: Siletz Tribal members living within the eight county area are eligible for assistance for repair of the housing in which they live, or for down payment for purchase of a home.

PRIORITY OF APPLICANTS: Because of limited funding the following rating criteria will be followed:

The first step in establishing a workable rating criteria is:

1. Any tribal member 60 years or older 5 points
2. Gross earnings of household:
 - A. 0 to 6,999 5 points
 - B. 7,000 to 11,999 3 points
 - C. 12,000 and over 1 point
3. Size of family residing in household:
 - A. 4 or more persons 5 points
 - B. 2 or 3 persons 3 points
 - C. 1 persons 1 point
4. Any extenuating circumstances or unique situation should be included on applications.
5. In an extreme emergency the Agency Superintendent may authorize a grant up to \$500.00.
6. Those applications receiving ratings of eight (8) or over will be rated as highest priority and will receive first come first serve funding in the first none months of each fiscal year
7. During the last three months of each year, applications on file will receive funding with the higher rating receiving first priority on a date received basis.