Homeownership Assistance Programs

Program Comparisons	EBP	HOW
Income Limits Maximum	< 80% AMI (Area Median Income)	>80% to 120% AMI (Area Median Income)
Maximum Grant per Household	Up to \$25,000	Up to \$25,000
Purchase Price Limit	No	Yes ¹
Use of Grant Funds:		
Down payment	Yes	Yes
 Closing Costs (Includes Homebuyer Education/Counseling) 	Yes	Yes ²
Rehabilitation Assistance	Yes	No
Property must be owner-occupied primary residence?	Yes	Yes
First-time homebuyer	Required	Not Required
First-time homebuyer education and counseling	Required	Required
Minimum homebuyer down payment	\$500	\$2,000
5-year retention mortgage and note	Required	Required

¹ Based on Mortgage Revenue Bond limits ² Customary purchase transaction costs **only**