

USDA Rural Development: A Portfolio with a Purpose

Fiscal Year 2020 Funding

Committed to growing the economy and preserving quality of life, USDA Rural Development (RD) is rural America's steadfast partner in building prosperity. In Fiscal Year 2020, RD invested nearly \$40 billion in more than 177,000 housing, business, and infrastructure projects in rural communities. The Agency invested more than \$1.5 billion in telecommunication/e-connectivity loan and grant funding to support 295¹ projects across the country. With a total loan portfolio of \$234.4 billion, this Agency not only delivers affordable housing, access to capital for local businesses, and infrastructure in rural communities, it also creates opportunities for them to grow and attract high-quality jobs and commerce, because RD believes when rural America thrives, all America thrives.

Rural Development Programs Fiscal Year 2020 Yearly Totals

	AMOUNT	NUMBER OF AWARDS
Business and Industry Loan Guarantees ²	\$1,659,536,488	384
Intermediary Relending Program	\$18,888,888	27
Renewable Energy Loan Guarantees and Grants ³	\$386,367,455	2,304
Rural Business Development Grant	\$40,889,923	557
Rural Economic Development Loans and Grants	\$58,690,786	94
Value-Added Producer Grants	\$38,219,484	202
Water and Waste Disposal Direct Loans	\$1,398,548,417	583
Water and Waste Disposal Loan Guarantees	\$27,901,182	20
Water and Waste Disposal Grants	\$665,080,059	717
Telecom Loans and Grants	\$1,538,408,310	345 ¹
Electric Direct Loans and Loan Guarantees	\$6,344,471,000	125
Single-Family Housing Direct Loans	\$1,001,886,004	5,825
Single-Family Housing Loan Guarantees	\$23,074,581,630	137,970
Single-Family Housing Repair Loans and Grants	\$50,182,403	7,582
Single-Family Housing Self-Help Technical Assistance Grants	\$26,113,138	49
Multi-Family Housing Rural Rental Housing Direct Loans	\$97,336,776	124
Multi-Family Housing Loan Guarantees	\$228,486,473	150
Farm Labor Housing Loans and Grants	\$29,281,181	24
Rental Assistance (number of units)	\$1,375,000,000	241,256
Community Facilities Direct Loans	\$1,267,839,823	548
Community Facilities Loan Guarantees	\$100,718,100	26
Community Facilities Grants	\$113,719,369	1,777
All Other Programs ⁴	\$163,409,895	7,985
Nationwide Total	\$39,705,556,784	177,132

¹ 345 Telecom awards reflect individual obligations that encompass a total of 295 projects that account for loan and grant awards.

² For all loan guarantee programs, Rural Development backs the loans, which are made by private-sector lenders that partner with USDA to participate in the programs.

³ Renewable Energy Loan Guarantees and Grants include the Renewable Chemical, and Biobased Product Manufacturing Assistance Program. The number of obligations includes the multiple payments made to each recipient under the Advanced Biofuel Payment Program.

⁴ Other programs refers to smaller scale programs: Rural Housing Site Loans, Housing Application Packaging, Individual Water and Waste, Technical and Supervisory Assistance, Housing Preservation Grants, Multi-Family Housing Preservation and Revitalization Loans and Grants, and Tenant Vouchers; Rural Business Investment and Rural Microentrepreneur Assistance Programs, Rural Cooperative Development, Delta Health Care Services, and Socially Disadvantaged Groups Grants; and Bulk Fuel, High Energy Cost Grant, Rural Alaska Village Grant, and Circuit Rider Technical Assistance Programs.

Data tables in the report reflect funding levels for USDA Rural Development programs as of Sept. 30, the close of the fiscal year. These figures can be subject to change based on de-obligations or other adjustments that may occur after the close of the fiscal year.

Official, system-of-record funding data was provided by the USDA Rural Development National Financial and Accounting Operations Center, St. Louis, Missouri. Phone: (314) 457-4152.

Rural Development Loan Portfolio as of September 30, 2020

LOAN PORTFOLIO	# OF LOANS	AMOUNT OF PRINCIPAL OUTSTANDING
DIRECT PORTFOLIO		
Housing and Community Facilities		
Single Family Housing	233,899	\$14,295,659,769
Multi-Family Housing	22,332	\$9,942,950,000
Community Facility	6,173	\$10,321,235,760
Total Housing & Community Facilities	262,404	\$34,559,845,529
Utilities		
Water & Waste	14,838	\$13,247,553,730
Electric	2,168	\$47,240,946,290
Broadband/Telecom	685	\$2,720,668,933
Total Utilities	17,691	\$63,209,168,953
Business and Cooperative		
Business Programs ¹	13	\$3,979,000
RMAP	173	\$42,426,695
Intermediary Relending Program	1,053	\$344,215,000
Rural Economic Development	385	\$200,181,342
Total Business & Cooperative	1,624	\$590,802,037
Total Direct Portfolio	281,719	\$98,359,816,519
GUARANTEED PORTFOLIO		
Housing and Community Facilities		
Single Family Housing	1,025,694	\$124,889,909,825
Multi-Family Housing	1,243	\$1,598,993,597
Community Facility	561	\$1,165,313,456
Total Housing & Community Facilities	1,027,498	\$127,654,216,878
Utilities		
Water & Waste	94	\$93,587,832
Electric/Other	14	\$144,758,565
Total Utilities	108	\$238,346,397
Business and Cooperative		
Business & Industry Loans	2,672	\$6,616,295,594
Renewable Energy Loans	346	\$1,179,319,411
Bio-Refinery Loans	8	\$310,580,000
Total Business & Cooperative	3,026	\$8,106,195,004
Total Guaranteed Portfolio	1,030,632	\$135,998,758,279
TOTAL LOAN PORTFOLIO	1,312,351	\$234,358,574,798

¹ The Business and Industry direct program has not been funded since fiscal year 2001.