

Financial Products Quarterly Report

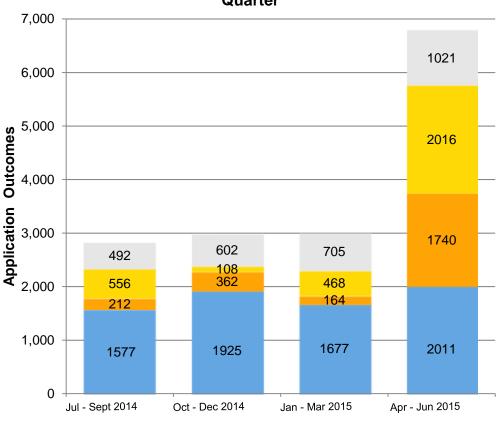
Period Ending 30 June 2015

KiwiSaver HomeStart Grant

The KiwiSaver HomeStart Grant replaced the KiwiSaver deposit subsidy from 1 April 2015. Like the KiwiSaver Deposit subsidy, the grant provides eligible first-home buyers with a grant of up to \$5,000 for individuals and up to \$10,000 for couples to put towards the purchase of an existing/older home.

In addition, the new KiwiSaver HomeStart grant also provides eligible first-home buyers with a grant of up \$10,000 for individuals and up to \$20,000 for couples to help with purchasing a brand new property.

Demand for the new grant has been significantly larger than what it was for the deposit subsidy and this has resulted in some processing issues. However, with the application of additional resources timeframes for processing an application are now within agreed timeframes.



Status of KiwiSaver HomeStart Applications by Quarter

Approved Pre-Approved In Process Declined, Withdrawn and Other

| HomeStart Applica | | | | | |
|-------------------|----------|------------------|------------|-------------------------------------|-------|
| Quarter | Approved | Pre- Approved | In Process | Declined, Withdrawn and Other | Total |
| Jul - Sept 2014 | 1577 | 212 | 556 | 492 | 2837 |
| Oct - Dec 2014 | 1925 | 362 | 108 | 602 | 2997 |
| Jan - Mar 2015 | 1677 | 164 | 468 | 705 | 3014 |
| Apr - Jun 2015 | 2011 | 1740 | 2016 | 1021 | 6788 |

| | Applica | ations Ap | proved | G | irants pai | id | Properties bought | | \$ Paid | | | |
|-----------------------|----------|-----------|--------|----------|------------|-------|-------------------|-----|---------|----------|---------|---------|
| TLA | Existing | New | Total | Existing | New | Total | Existing | New | Total | Existing | New | Total |
| Far North | 15 | - | 15 | 12 | | 12 | 10 | | 10 | 53,000 | | 53,000 |
| Whangarei | 55 | 1 | 56 | 45 | 1 | 46 | 35 | 1 | 36 | 188000 | 6,000 | 194,000 |
| Kaipara | 2 | - | 2 | 2 | | 2 | 2 | | 2 | 10,000 | | 10,000 |
| Auckland | 191 | 48 | 239 | 162 | 31 | 193 | 121 | 21 | 142 | 675,000 | 278,000 | 953,000 |
| Thames/ Coromandel | 6 | - | 6 | 3 | | 3 | 2 | | 2 | 12,000 | | 12,000 |
| Hauraki | 8 | - | 8 | 7 | | 7 | 5 | | 5 | 27,000 | | 27,000 |
| Waikato | 24 | 1 | 25 | 18 | 1 | 19 | 17 | 1 | 18 | 84,000 | 10,000 | 94,000 |
| Matamata Piako | 18 | - | 18 | 15 | | 15 | 12 | | 12 | 61,000 | | 61,000 |
| Hamilton | 95 | 8 | 103 | 81 | 4 | 85 | 59 | 3 | 62 | 346,000 | 30,000 | 376,000 |
| Waipa | 31 | - | 31 | 26 | | 26 | 19 | | 19 | 120,000 | | 120,000 |
| Otorohanga | 4 | - | 4 | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - |
| South Waikato | 14 | - | 14 | 7 | | 7 | 7 | | 7 | 30,000 | | 30,000 |
| Waitomo | 6 | - | 6 | 4 | | 4 | 3 | | 3 | 18,000 | | 18,000 |
| Taupo | 21 | - | 21 | 14 | | 14 | 12 | | 12 | 54,000 | | 54,000 |
| Western BoP | 15 | 3 | 18 | 10 | 2 | 12 | 9 | 1 | 10 | 46,000 | 16,000 | 62,000 |
| Tauranga | 60 | 22 | 82 | 43 | 16 | 59 | 33 | 11 | 44 | 177,000 | 134,000 | 311,000 |
| Rotorua | 39 | - | 39 | 28 | | 28 | 22 | | 22 | 119,000 | | 119,000 |
| Whakatane | 21 | - | 21 | 15 | | 15 | 11 | | 11 | 62,000 | | 62,000 |
| Kawerau | 7 | - | 7 | 5 | | 5 | 4 | | 4 | 22,000 | | 22,000 |
| Opotiki | 1 | - | 1 | 1 | | 1 | 1 | | 1 | 5,000 | | 5,000 |
| Gisborne | 19 | 2 | 21 | 16 | 2 | 18 | 12 | 1 | 13 | 64,000 | 18,000 | 82,000 |
| Hastings | 32 | - | 32 | 28 | | 28 | 22 | | 22 | 117,000 | | 117,000 |
| Napier | 45 | - | 45 | 31 | | 31 | 21 | | 21 | 135,000 | | 135,000 |
| Central Hawkes Bay | 11 | - | 11 | 9 | | 9 | 7 | | 7 | 40,000 | | 40,000 |
| New Plymouth | 41 | - | 41 | 31 | | 31 | 24 | | 24 | 132,000 | | 132,000 |
| Stratford | 7 | - | 7 | 6 | | 6 | 4 | | 4 | 27,000 | | 27,000 |
| South Taranaki | 8 | - | 8 | 5 | | 5 | 5 | | 5 | 24,000 | | 24,000 |
| Ruapehu | 3 | - | 3 | 2 | | 2 | 1 | | 1 | 8,000 | | 8,000 |
| Wanganui | 42 | 1 | 43 | 31 | 1 | 32 | 28 | 1 | 29 | 135,000 | 10,000 | 145,000 |
| Rangitikei | 8 | - | 8 | 4 | | 4 | 4 | | 4 | 16,000 | | 16,000 |
| Manawatu | 21 | - | 21 | 15 | | 15 | 11 | | 11 | 66,000 | | 66,000 |
| Palmerston North | 66 | 1 | 67 | 57 | | 57 | 44 | | 44 | 242,000 | | 242,000 |
| Tararua | 9 | - | 9 | 6 | | 6 | 5 | | 5 | 26,000 | | 26,000 |
| Horowhenua | 22 | 2 | 24 | 17 | 2 | 19 | 15 | 2 | 17 | 71,000 | 16,000 | 87,000 |
| Kapiti Coast | 18 | - | 18 | 14 | | 14 | 10 | | 10 | 60,000 | | 60,000 |
| Porirua | 31 | 3 | 34 | 24 | 3 | 27 | 17 | 3 | 20 | 107,000 | 24,000 | 131,000 |
| Upper Hutt | 28 | 6 | 34 | 23 | 6 | 29 | 19 | 4 | 23 | 99,000 | 52,000 | 151,000 |
| Lower Hutt | 92 | 13 | 105 | 74 | 10 | 84 | 47 | 7 | 54 | 310,000 | 84,000 | 394,000 |
| Wellington | 44 | 6 | 50 | 37 | 2 | 39 | 27 | 1 | 28 | 162,000 | 14,000 | 176,000 |
| Masterton | 23 | - | 23 | 15 | | 15 | 11 | | 11 | 69,000 | | 69,000 |
| South Wairarapa | 2 | 2 | 4 | 2 | 2 | 4 | 2 | 1 | 3 | 9,000 | 14,000 | 23,000 |
| Tasman | 17 | 2 | 19 | 14 | | 14 | 11 | | 11 | 57,000 | | 57,000 |
| Nelson | 56 | - | 56 | 45 | | 45 | 35 | | 35 | 194,000 | | 194,000 |

KiwiSaver HomeStart Grant Overview by Territorial Local Authority to June 2015

| Marlborough | 32 | 4 | 36 | 25 | 2 | 27 | 22 | 1 | 23 | 106,000 | 16,000 | 122,000 |
|---------------------|------|-----|------|------|-----|------|------|----|------|-----------|-----------|-----------|
| Kaikoura | 1 | - | 1 | 1 | | 1 | 1 | | 1 | 5,000 | | 5,000 |
| Grey | 7 | - | 7 | 4 | | 4 | 3 | | 3 | 16,000 | | 16,000 |
| Westland | 7 | - | 7 | 7 | | 7 | 4 | | 4 | 29,000 | | 29,000 |
| Hurunui | 7 | - | 7 | 5 | | 5 | 3 | | 3 | 24,000 | | 24,000 |
| Waimakariri | 24 | 19 | 43 | 20 | 15 | 35 | 15 | 8 | 23 | 82,000 | 124,000 | 206,000 |
| Christchurch | 186 | 21 | 207 | 154 | 15 | 169 | 118 | 10 | 128 | 634,000 | 128,000 | 762,000 |
| Selwyn | 7 | 13 | 20 | 3 | 9 | 12 | 2 | 6 | 8 | 14,000 | 82,000 | 96,000 |
| Ashburton | 17 | - | 17 | 14 | | 14 | 11 | | 11 | 59,000 | | 59,000 |
| Timaru | 33 | - | 33 | 27 | | 27 | 21 | | 21 | 110,000 | | 110,000 |
| Waimate | 2 | - | 2 | 2 | | 2 | 2 | | 2 | 10,000 | | 10,000 |
| Waitaki | 18 | - | 18 | 16 | | 16 | 16 | | 16 | 67,000 | | 67,000 |
| Central Otago | 25 | - | 25 | 20 | | 20 | 15 | | 15 | 86,000 | | 86,000 |
| Queenstown Lakes | 9 | 5 | 14 | 8 | 3 | 11 | 5 | 2 | 7 | 34,000 | 26,000 | 60,000 |
| Dunedin | 86 | 3 | 89 | 73 | 2 | 75 | 54 | 1 | 55 | 318,000 | 14,000 | 332,000 |
| Clutha | 7 | - | 7 | 5 | | 5 | 5 | | 5 | 17,000 | | 17,000 |
| Southland | 9 | 2 | 11 | 6 | | 6 | 5 | | 5 | 22,000 | | 22,000 |
| Gore | 13 | - | 13 | 12 | | 12 | 9 | | 9 | 47,000 | | 47,000 |
| Invercargill | 53 | 2 | 55 | 37 | | 37 | 32 | | 32 | 149,000 | | 149,000 |
| Total | 1821 | 190 | 2011 | 1443 | 129 | 1572 | 1109 | 86 | 1195 | 6,108,000 | 1,096,000 | 7,204,000 |

| Total HomeStart grants paid | \$7,204,000 | |
|--|-----------------------|---|
| Existing properties | \$6,108,000 | |
| New properties | \$1,096,000 | |
| Average individual g build Average individual g existing properties Average amount pai existing property Average amount pai new build | rant for d out per | \$8,496 \$4,233 \$5,508 \$12,744 |

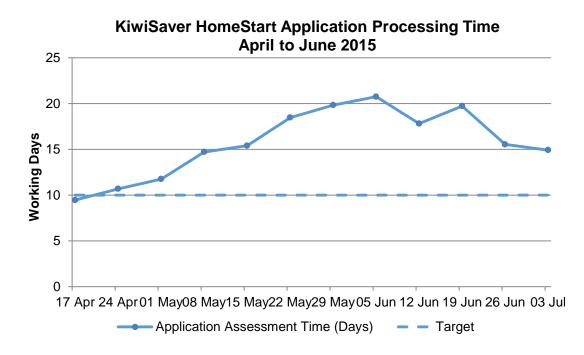
Average subsidy/grant payments from April 2014 to June 2015

KiwiSaver deposit subsidy average amounts paid out from July 2014 to March 2015

| | Jul 2014 | Aug 2014 | Sep 2014 | Oct 2014 | Nov 2014 | Dec 2014 | Jan 2015 | Feb 2015 | Mar 2015 |
|--------------|-------------|-------------|-------------|-------------|-------------|-------------|-------------|-------------|-------------|
| Average (\$) | 4,158 | 4,037 | 4,110 | 4,195 | 4,148 | 4,168 | 4,262 | 4,223 | 4,281 |

KiwiSaver HomeStart grant average amounts paid out from April 2015 to June 2015

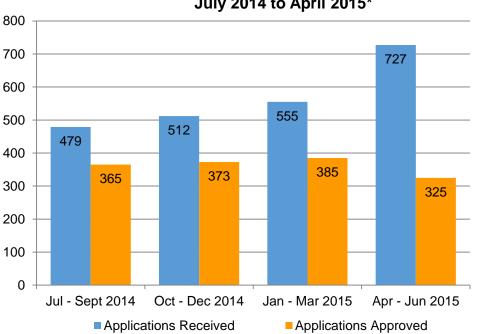
| | Apr | May | Jun |
|--------------|-------|-------|-------|
| | 2015 | 2015 | 2015 |
| Average (\$) | 4,720 | 4,645 | 4,519 |



KiwiSaver Savings Withdrawal Determination for Previous Home Owners

First-home buyers are able to apply to withdraw all or part of their savings to assist with purchasing a first home. From 1 April 2015, all funds, with the exception of \$1,000, can be withdrawn.

Previous home owners may still be eligible for a KiwiSaver first-home withdrawal, providing they are deemed to be in the same financial position as someone who has never owned a property. This financial assessment is conducted by Housing New Zealand and should the client be eligible, a letter is produced to assist with their application to withdraw their contributions.

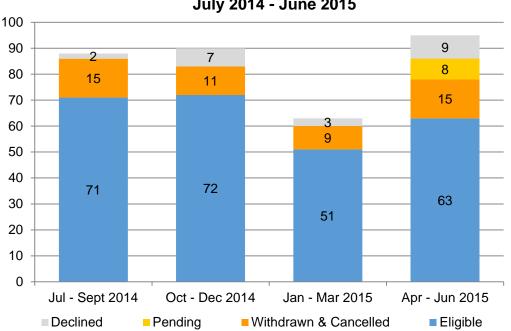


Previous Owner Savings Withdrawal Applications July 2014 to April 2015*

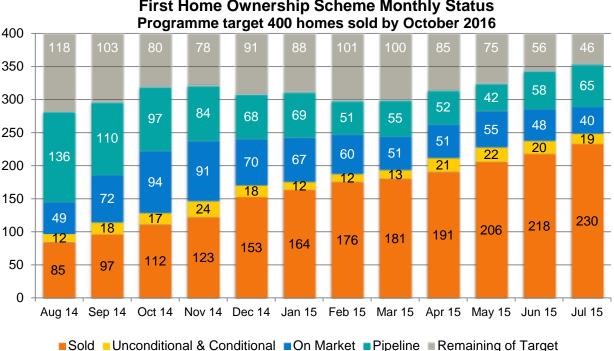
* In Q4, there would still be a number of applications where Housing New Zealand are awaiting further documents from applicants, in order to complete the assessment of their applications.

FirstHome Ownership Scheme

FirstHome properties are Housing New Zealand homes located in areas where changing demand has resulted in an over supply of some type of houses. These properties are initially made available to eligible first-home buyers for a period of three-months. Eligible clients are then able to receive a grant of 10% of the purchase price of the FirstHome property, capped at a maximum of \$20,000. Housing New Zealand established the scheme with a target of facilitating a purchase for 400 first-home buyers by October 2016.



FirstHome Applications July 2014 - June 2015



First Home Ownership Scheme Monthly Status

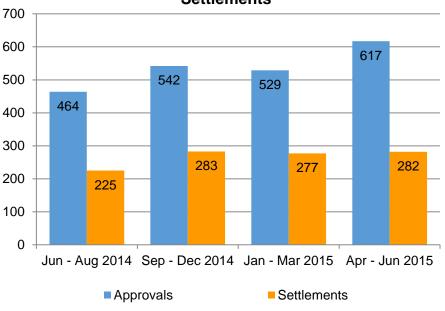
| Fir | stHomes | sold from October 2 | 013 to 21 Ju | ly 2015 by TLA | |
|----------------|---------|---------------------|--------------|----------------|-----|
| Awanui | 2 | Kaikohe/Kaitaia | 6 | Rotorua | 1 |
| Balclutha | 3 | Kaiwaka | 2 | Shannon | 1 |
| Blenheim | 5 | Levin | 12 | Stratford | 5 |
| Bulls | 1 | Manaia | 1 | Taihape | 2 |
| Coopers Beach | 1 | Marton | 4 | Taumarunui | 6 |
| Cromwell | 1 | Matamata | 4 | Te Kuiti | 2 |
| Dargaville | 2 | Milton | 1 | Thames | 1 |
| Dunedin | 16 | Morrinsville | 4 | Timaru | 2 |
| Edgecumbe | 1 | Napier | 1 | Waihi | 1 |
| Flaxmere | 12 | Netherton | 1 | Waipawa | 2 |
| Foxton | 8 | Opotiki | 4 | Waipukurau | 6 |
| Gore | 2 | Opunake | 2 | Wairoa | 2 |
| Geraldine | 1 | Otaki | 1 | Wanganui | 52 |
| Greymouth | 4 | Otorohanga | 5 | Waverley | 1 |
| Hastings | 3 | Paeroa | 2 | Wellington | 1 |
| Havelock North | 4 | Palmerston North | 1 | Westport | 4 |
| Hawera | 4 | Patea | 6 | Whakatane | 1 |
| Invercargill | 11 | Picton | 1 | Whangarei | 1 |
| | | | Total | | 230 |

| Sale Price of Settled Properties | \$24,635,000 |
|-------------------------------------|--------------|
| Number of FirstHome Grants paid Out | 230 |
| Value of Paid Grants | \$2,441,900 |
| Grants Repaid | 1 |
| Value of Repaid Grants | \$16,000 |

Welcome Home Loans

Welcome Home Loan is offered by lenders, supported by Housing New Zealand, and, designed for first-home buyers who can afford to make regular repayments on a home loan, but have trouble saving for a large deposit. With Welcome Home Loan you only need a 10 percent deposit, not a 20 percent deposit as required by most lenders.

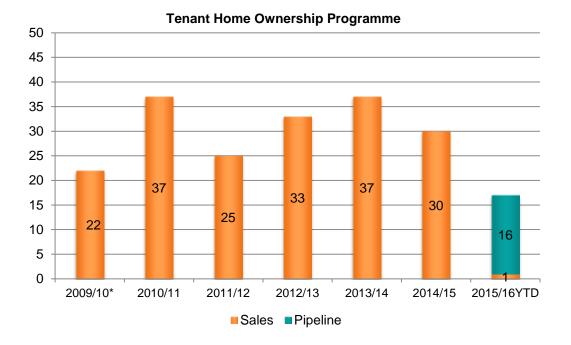
Housing New Zealand does not issue the loan. This is done through normal lenders such as selected banks and credit unions. Housing New Zealand underwrites the loan for the lender. Individual applicants are required to meet the lender's specific lending criteria. Income and House Price Caps apply.



Welcome Home Loans - Approvals and Settlements

Tenant Home Ownership

Housing New Zealand also offers its tenants the opportunity to purchase the house they rent. Not all properties are for sale, particularly in high-demand areas. However, tenants who live in houses that are not for sale but wish to buy a house will be given the option to buy other Housing New Zealand properties that have been identified as suitable for sale.



KiwiSaver First Home Savings Withdrawal

The KiwiSaver First Home Savings Withdrawal is administered by individual KiwiSaver scheme providers who report data on the withdrawals to Inland Revenue. It is the intention that data on the withdrawals will be available from the next quarterly report onward. Although Housing New Zealand does not administer this withdrawal, it forms part of the Government's programme of assistance for first home buyers.