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Immediately (unless otherwise noted)

Reference

Fannie Mae Servicing Guide SVC-2024-05

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Pursuant to Fannie Mae <u>SVC-2024-05</u>, the below referenced topics have been updated that are applicable to mortgage loans serviced under the MPF Xtra product:

- having policies and procedures to determine if a mortgage loan is eligible for charge-off prior to advances,
- evaluating a first lien mortgage loan for charge-off and release of lien.

Effective: Servicers are encouraged to implement these changes immediately but must comply with these changes by January 1, 2025.

To gain a full understanding of these topics, PFIs should review the entire Fannie Mae Announcement and any applicable Fannie Mae Servicing Guide chapters, forms, or exhibits noted in the announcements.

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Servicing Guide Announcement (SVC-2024-05)

Sept. 11, 2024

This Announcement describes the following update:

Updates to Charge-Off and Second Lien Consideration Policies*: clarifies servicer responsibilities related to charge-off and second lien consideration process and submission requirements.

View the list of impacted topics.

*Policy change not applicable to reverse mortgage loans.

Updates to Charge-Off and Second Lien Consideration Policies

We updated the Guide to clarify the servicer's responsibilities to

- have policies and procedures in place to determine if a mortgage loan is eligible for charge-off prior to advances,
- evaluate a first lien mortgage loan for charge-off and release of lien, and
- evaluate a second lien mortgage loan for a second lien consideration.

Effective: Servicers are encouraged to implement these changes immediately but must comply with these changes by January 1, 2025.

See the Servicing Guide for details about these updates.

Servicers who have questions about this Announcement should contact their Fannie Mae Account Team, Portfolio Manager, or Fannie Mae's Single-Family Servicer Support Center at 1-800-2FANNIE (1-800-232-6643). Have *Guide* questions? Get answers to all your policy questions, straight from the source. <u>Ask Poli</u>.



Impacted Topics

Section of the Announcement	Updated Servicing Guide Topics and Related Documents (Dated Sept. 11, 2024)
Update Charge-Off and Second Lien Policies	 <u>B-1-01, Administering an Escrow Account and Paying Expenses</u> <u>D1-1-02, Evaluating a First Lien Mortgage Loan for Charge-Off and Release of Lien</u>
	 <u>D1-1-03, Evaluating a Second Lien Mortgage Consideration of a Second Lien</u> <u>Mortgage Loan</u>
	 <u>F-1-24, Requesting Fannie Mae's Approval via Fannie Mae's Servicing Solutions</u> <u>System</u>
	 <u>F-4-02, List of Contacts</u>