



Rural Development

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SUBJECT: Interest Rate Changes for Community
Facilities Programs

Effective from October 1, 2017, through December 31, 2017, the interest rates for direct community facility loans are as follows:

Poverty Line...unchanged at.....4.500%
 Intermediate...increased to.....4.000%
 Market.....increased to.....3.500%

For this quarter, all loans may be obligated at the lower market rate. Please notify appropriate personnel of these rates.

EXPIRATION DATE:
December 31, 2017

FILING INSTRUCTIONS:
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