

MACON-BIBB COUNTY LAND BANK AUTHORITY PROPERTY APPLICATION



This application will not be processed if NOT COMPLETED IN ITS ENTIRETY

CONTACT INFORMATION

Name of Applicant: _____

Individual Corporation or other entity

Mailing Address: _____

City: _____ State: _____ Zip: _____

Daytime Phone: _____ Alternative Phone #: _____

Email Address: _____

PROPERTY INFORMATION

Property Address: _____

Current Land Bank Inventory Property **Not** in Land Bank Inventory

Vacant Lot Next to My Property Vacant Lot Not Next to My Property

Vacant Residential Structure Vacant Commercial Structure

INTENDED USE OF PROPERTY

Occupy Sell Rent Land Contract Other: _____

If redevelopment is for rental purposes, how much will the monthly rent be: \$ _____

INCOME VERIFICATION

Name of Current Employer or Source of Income: _____

Employer/Source of Income Address: _____

Contact Phone: _____ Amount of Monthly Income: _____

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PLEASE SUBMIT THE FOLLOWING MATERIALS WITH THIS APPLICATION

A. FOR VACANT LOTS

- Submit on a separate sheet(s) of paper your plan for the use of the vacant lot. Include a timeline and how you will cover the cost of carrying out the plan.
- If you intend to use the property as a side lot, please include documentation that you are the owner of the adjoining property (Deed, Tax Assessor's Property Record, etc.)

B. FOR SINGLE FAMILY RESIDENTIAL STRUCTURES (NEW CONSTRUCTION OR REHAB OF EXISTING)

- Project Description
- Company Description and list of portfolio of comparable projects, as applicable
- Rehabilitation/Improvement specifications. Describe in detail the repairs to be completed, estimated cost for each item, and name of contractor of person who will perform the work
- A timeline for completion of the project
- Estimated project budget
- Project financing. Describe the source of funding available for the project. Additional documentation of financing may be requested (Cash, line of credit, mortgage preapproval or similar funding, etc.)
- Site plan(s), elevations, renderings, etc., as applicable

C. FOR MULTI-FAMILY OR COMMERCIAL NON RESIDENTIAL STRUCTURES (NEW CONSTRUCTION OR REHAB OF EXISTING)

- Provide all items listed for Category B (Single family Residential) .
- Development team description, including names and contact information for the following parties, as applicable:
 - a. Developer
 - b. Co-Developer or Partners
 - c. Owner
 - d. General Contractor
 - e. Consultants
 - f. Architect
 - g. Project Manager (during construction)
 - h. Lead construction lender
 - i. Project management (post construction)

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These requirements MUST BE MET to acquire properties through the Land Bank Authority:

- The property requested is vacant and unoccupied
- The Applicant has no fines or delinquent taxes owed to the local government
- All properties owned by the Applicant are in good standing and have no violations of city code or open property maintenance cases with Macon Bibb County
- The Applicant has not had a property foreclosure filed against them, or filed for bankruptcy within the past seven (7) years (extenuating circumstances may be considered).
- All business entities are active and in good standing with the Secretary of State
- All Applicants are in good standing with the Department of Revenue and IRS.

Please read the following, sign and date that you have read and understand the information

- An application will not be approved unless the applicant has sufficient funds to purchase the property and to perform all proposed improvements. Evidence of funding is required. The Land Bank will only accept a bank check or other type of payment with guaranteed funds such as a cashier's check, certified check from a title company escrow account, or money order.
- The Land Bank reserves the right to condition the sale on the buyer's acceptance of deed restrictions and/or other agreements. **The Land Bank reserves the right to accept or reject all land use/development proposals and offers for purchase.**
- The Land Bank Board of Directors must authorize all transactions.
- The potential property owner must obtain the necessary building permits and meet zoning requirements established for the proposed property for which they plan to develop
- Lead Warning Statement: Every purchaser of any interest in residential real property on which a residential dwelling was built prior to 1978 is notified that such property may present exposure to lead from lead-based paint that may place young children at risk of developing lead poisoning. Lead poisoning in young children may produce permanent neurological damage, including learning disabilities, reduced intelligence quotient, behavioral problems, and impaired memory. Lead poisoning also poses a particular risk to pregnant women. The seller of any interest in residential real property is required to provide the buyer with any information on lead-based paint hazards from risk assessments or inspection in the seller's possession and notifies the buyer of any known lead-based paint hazards. A risk assessment or inspection for possible lead-based paint hazards is recommended prior to purchase.
 - "Renovate Right" <http://www.epa.gov/lead/pubs/renovaterightbrochure.pdf>
 - "Protect Your Family" <http://www.epa.gov/lead/pubs/leadpdf.pdf>

- Buyer agrees to accept title "as is" , without any warranties or representations by the Land Bank including, without limitation, the property's suitability; habitability; fitness of buyers intended purposes of the property; environmental site conditions; zoning; adequacy of utility services; warranties of merchantability; or defects in the property's title. Buyer agrees to hold harmless and release the Land Bank for all conditions known and unknown to the property.
- Buyer agrees to indemnify, protect, hold harmless, defend, and release the Land Bank from any claims, losses, damages, costs, or expenses including, without limitation, all reasonable attorney's fees asserted against, incurred, or suffered by the Land Bank resulting from any contract breaches, personal injuries, or property damages occurring in, on, about, or related to the property resulting from any causes, except resulting from the acts or omissions of the Land Bank or its agents, employees, or contractors. Nothing in this article restricts the Land Bank's rights and remedies available at law or in equity.

Properties Acquired Through The In Rem Tax Foreclosure Process:

Applicants acknowledges that the property is not currently not in the name of the Macon-Bibb County Land Bank Authority, and an In Rem Tax Foreclosure must be initiated in order to bring the property to a tax sale where the Land Bank Authority can bid to acquire the property. If the application is approved, the Applicant agrees to pay **Three Thousand Five Hundred Dollars (\$3,500.00)** for the acquisition of the property. Prior to proceeding with the In Rem Tax Foreclosure, the Land Bank will cause a title search to be made, the cost of which shall be no greater than \$300.00, which amount shall be paid from the \$3,500.00 fee. Said title search fee is nonrefundable to Applicant, but will be applied to the \$3,500.00 fee if the Land Bank is the successful bidder at the tax sale. In the event any liens are revealed by the search that may not be extinguished by the In Rem process, Applicant will be notified that the In Rem will not be going forward and the \$3,500.00 fee, less the title search fee, will be returned to the Applicant. If the title search does not reveal any such liens the Land Bank will proceed with the In rem foreclosure and will hold the remainder of the purchase amount in escrow until successfully bidding on the property. If the Land Bank is the successful bidder, the Land Bank will acquire the property after the 60 day right of redemption period, abate the delinquent taxes and convey the property to the Applicant. In the event that the Land Bank is not the successful bidder and is unable to acquire the subject property, the **Three Thousand Five Hundred Dollars (\$3,500.00)**, less the title search fee, will be returned to the applicant.

Applicant agrees that if the Land Bank is the successful bidder, applicant will not enter, nor permit or allow others to enter the property, prior to the recording of a deed from the Macon-Bibb County Land Bank Authority to Applicant, unless Applicant has received written permission from the Land Bank.

Applicant acknowledges that the Macon-Bibb County Land Bank Authority may not currently own the subject property. The Land Bank will pursue the acquisition of the subject property through an in rem foreclosure, but acquisition efforts may not be successful. Applicant acknowledges that submission of an application does not guarantee future ownership of the property.

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Applicant understands that Macon-Bibb County Land Bank Authority will dispose of the property in accordance with the Macon-Bibb County Land Bank Authority's Disposition Process as determined by the Board of Directors and in consideration of the highest and best use of the property.

Signature (Required)

I have read and understand the information provided above.

Signature of Applicant: _____ Date: _____

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ATTACHMENTS FOR NEW CONSTRUCTION AND RENOVATION OF A STRUCTURE(S)

The following information must be attached to this document before your application will be processed. The application will not be considered complete until it is submitted with **all** attachments.

About the project:

- A description of the project (no more than one page in length)
- A detailed breakdown of the project costs
- A marketing plan (a plan on how to sell the completed unit(s)), if applicable
- A reasonable timeline for completion of the project

Also for Renovation...

- Rehab specifications (include any information on energy efficiencies or green construction practices)
 - A sample rehab specifications template is attached. Please use this template or one similar

Also for New Construction...

- Building elevations & construction drawings
- A site plan, including at a minimum: 1) the building footprint (how the building will be positioned on the lot) 2) accessory buildings and their placement 3) landscaping

Experience:

Include specific documentation of up to **two** prior projects, including description of projects, before and after photos, development costs and market values, addresses, and any additional information that would assist our staff in determining the Applicant's ability to complete the proposed project.

Financing:

Documentation is required to verify the funding necessary to purchase and to complete the renovation of new construction. This typically includes:

- Letters from all banks or other lending institutions approving any financing proposed for the project. The letters should contain the amount, term, and all requirements of the financing; it should state that the financing can be used for the proposed project. The amount of financing must be equal or exceed the amount contained in the development project costs.

- Personal or business bank statements and a letter from the applicant, if the applicant proposes to use existing cash. The amount of the statements must equal or exceed the amount contained in the development project costs.
- Specific information on any other proposed source of project funding.

Signature (Required)

I hereby authorize the Macon-Bibb County Land Bank Authority to obtain any credit, criminal, or other information necessary to 1) Determine my ability, or the ability of the party that I represent, to complete the proposed project. 2) Verify the information supplied in this application. All information that I have provided is accurate to the best of my knowledge and will remain confidential.

Signature of Applicant: _____ Date: _____

Rehab Specifications Template

Please use this template or one similar

PROJECT ADDRESS: _____

CATEGORIES (Add more as needed)	Replace	Repair	No Repair planned	Detailed Description of Work Indicate if work is a repair to existing or a replacement; include type of materials proposed (ceramic floor, granite countertops, types of cabinets, etc.) or if materials are contributing to the historic character of the building. Provide as much detail as possible. If buyer plans to perform certain work to save on costs, explain and give estimate of the work's value.	<u>TOTAL COST</u>
KITCHEN	Check boxes that apply			Indicate if a total gut renovation; or if reusing or replacing cabinets, counters, flooring, appliances, sinks, faucel, and similar items.	
Cabinets and Countertops					
Flooring					
Walls					
Appliances					
Sink/fixtures					
Bathroom # 1				Indicate if total gut rehab or repair, install new or reuse bath fixtures	
Vanity/Sink/Toilet					
Shower/Tub enclosure					
Flooring					

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Bathroom # 2	Replace	Repair	No Repair planned	Indicate if total gut rehab or repair, install new or reuse bath fixtures
Vanity/Sink/Toilet				
Shower/Tub enclosure				
Flooring				
Mechanical	Replace	Repair	No Repair planned	Indicate if total replacement of mechanical systems, new or reuse furnace, a/c, hot water heater, electric box (and type), etc. Some information may be captured in room, such as plumbing fixtures, electric outlets, etc.
HVAC				
Electric, include electric panel				
Plumbing, including hot water tank				
Entire House (Or Additional Rooms)	Replace	Repair	No Repair planned	Note which rooms, if not entire house
Painting				
Drywall/Plaster Repair				
Interior Doors				
Flooring				
Trim Carpentry				

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Exterior	Replace	Repair	No Repair planned	Note which rooms, if not entire house	
Windows					
Roof, downspouts, gutters					
Exterior Siding, trim					
Chimney, flashing					
Exterior doors					
Garage, if applicable					
Driveway, sidewalk, steps					
Porch					
Landscaping, yard					
List additional categories:					

**Sample Work Write-Up of Estimated Costs
Proposed Rehabilitation of Existing Structure**

	<u>WORK ITEM DESCRIPTION</u>	<u>ESTIMATE COST</u>
Site	Demo/New Landscape	\$ 500.00
	Repair Driveway in backyard	\$ 1,000.00
	Permit	\$ 200.00
	Dumpsters	\$ 500.00
Demolition	Demo Concrete Steps on Front Porch	\$ 500.00
	Demo Shed in back yard	\$ 200.00
	Demo Bathroom	\$ 200.00
	Demo A/C Furnace and patch floor L/M	\$ 700.00
Framing	Frame New Walls L/M	\$ 1,000.00
	Hang cabinets	\$ 400.00
	Rear Porch Labor/Materials	\$ 1,200.00
Roofing	5" Gutter & Downspout L/M	\$ 650.00
Vinyl Siding	Labor/Materials	\$ 1,000.00
Replace Windows	Labor/Materials	\$ 1,200.00
Drywall	Drywall L/M	\$ 1,700.00
Finishes	Painting Walls L/M	\$ 1,600.00
	Painting Ceiling L/M	\$ 1,050.00
	Cabinet Island and Hood Allowance	\$ 2,000.00
	Sand floor 450 sq ft X \$12	\$ 900.00
	Trim Carpenter-Labor/Material	\$ 1,500.00
	Carpet- 60 yards	\$ 1,500.00
	Tile Floor 120 sq ft X \$8 L/M	\$ 960.00
	Appliances	\$ 1,500.00
	Laundry room floor 50 sq ft X \$6	\$ 300.00
HVAC	Labor/Materials ____ Ton/ Seer ____	\$ 4,000.00
Plumbing	Fixtures (tub/shower, toilets, sinks)	\$ 2,000.00
Electrical	Labor/Materials	\$ 3,000.00
	ESTIMATED TOTAL COSTS TO REHAB	<u>\$ 31,260.00</u>