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**NEWTOWN SAVINGS BANK OFFERS HOMEBUYER ASSISTANCE PROGRAM**

NEWTOWN, CT – Newtown Savings Bank is a participant in this year's Federal Home Loan Bank of Boston's Equity Builder Program, which assists local homebuyers with down-payment and closing costs as well as homebuyer counseling and rehabilitation assistance.

The \$3.1 million program is designed to expand homeownership opportunities by providing grants to assist households at or below 80 percent of the area median income. Borrowers are eligible to receive up to \$11,000 in assistance on a first come first serve basis. Buyers must also complete a homebuyer counseling program.

Additional details are available by contacting any Newtown Savings Bank mortgage representative at 800.461.0672.

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*Newtown Savings Bank is a community bank headquartered in Newtown, Connecticut, with over \$1.2 billion in assets. The Bank has 14 branches in Newtown, Bethel, Brookfield, Danbury, Monroe, Oxford, Shelton, Southbury, Trumbull and Woodbury, along with the New Haven Regional Lending Center in Hamden, CT. For more information and location details visit [NSBonline.com](http://NSBonline.com) or call 800.461.0672.*

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