2019 Baston **ANNUAL CONFERENCE** & SHOWPLACE Happy Borrowers, Happy **Partners: How an App Helped Transform Our Business** 

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# **Servicing Loans**

- Servicing department is called HomeLoanServ
- Servicing Idaho since 1990
- Professional staff dedicated to customer service
- Multiple language services
- Customer service scores in the excellent category

### HomeLoanServ.





# **Servicing Center**

- Call center handles 1,200
   calls per day
- Interactive Voice Response
- 100 staff in the customer service and Servicing
- 145,000 loans serviced
- About 100,000 people use
   Borrower Connection monthly







## Servicing Partnership



- Servicing loans for our six partner states since 2014
- Servicing income help with our mission to help the homeless and underserved
- Our partnership has made us better every year







### History of Borrower Connection

• First version - year launched 2000

These rates do not represent a quote from IHFA or any other lender.

Effective July 14, 2000 the following mortgage interest rates will be in effect for Idaho Housing and Finance Association:

Last update on: 07.14.00 Current <u>IHFA 30-Year Fixed Rates</u>: 0 discount points (par) 7.04% 1 discount point 6.89% 2 discount points 6.74% <u>"I.Q." Interest Qualifier Program Rates</u>: (Stepped Rates\*) 0 discount points (par) 6.56% - 7.31% 1 discount point 6.41% - 7.16% 2 discount points 6.26% - 7.01%

#### Log In Please

Please enter your UserId and Password. If this is your first time, Please use the Apply for Access button at left.. Passwords are case sensitive.

User ID:	*	
Password:	*	Log In

#### Session ID: 614654328

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### History of Borrower Connection

 Second version - year launched 2013

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Home > Log In	•			
To log in to <b>Borrower Connection</b> please enter your <b>User Name</b> and <b>Password</b> below, then click the <b>Log In</b> button. Recover User Name	Reminder: Please be aware that HomeLoanServ			
User Name: (probably your email address)	never accepts credit or debit cards to make your monthly mortgage payment.			
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#### February 2017 payments

The February 1, 2017 payment must be made by 6pm MST on Tuesday, February 26, 2017. February 2017 payments made after 6pm MST will not post until March 1, 2017 and will be reported as delinquent to the credit bureaus.

#### 2016 1098 IRS Tax Form Information

2016 IRS 1098 tax forms were mailed January 31, 2017. The information is also available here, on-line. After logging into your account, click HOME, then Year End Tax Information. The form is not needed to file. Borrower Connection Tutorial: How To Create a New User Account

Trouble Logging In? Click our <u>Contact Us</u> page for help.

Click the play button!



### **New Borrower Connection**





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### What Borrower Connection does

- Borrower submits monthly payment
- View their account information
- Manage their ACH
- Tax documents
- Escrow statement
- FAQ

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## Security

- Multifactor Authentication
  - Text, Email, Phone Call
- Red Flag Rule
- Graham-Leach-Bliley Info Security
- Service Organization Control (SOC2)





## Helping the Homeless

- Donation request when they make their mortgage payment
- "Now that we've helped you get in a home, please help those less fortunate."
- A non-profit invested \$5M for affordable housing
- Support shelters and shelter service
- Help avoid evictions



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## **The Development Team**

- 12 month implementation
- Agile method
- 6 months design phase
- 6 months programming
  - C# and SQL
- Thee programmers, two testers, and three designers





















### **Customer Service**

- 100,000 monthly users
- 40 customer service calls per day





### NCSHA

### How has this helped us

- Since the 2018 launch, we've had positive feedback from borrowers
- They love the look and feel with the mobility
- Saved on numerous call to customer support line for people making their payment
- Help reduce our call volume





### **Lessons Learned**

- Spend the most time on the design phase
- Pilot the project
- Limit the "bells and whistles" to a later date
- Build the web app using the agile methodology
- Meet weekly on the project status





### **No Questions, OK Maybe One**

