

aggregate amounts of assistance available under the Specially Adapted Housing (SAH) grant program will increase by 2.44 percent for fiscal year (FY) 2021.

**DATES:** The increases in aggregate amounts are effective October 1, 2020.

**FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT:**

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**SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION:** In accordance with 38 U.S.C. 2102(e); 2102A(b)(2); and 2102B(b)(2), and 38 CFR 36.4411, the Secretary of Veterans Affairs announces the fiscal year (FY) 2021 aggregate amounts of assistance available to Veterans and Service members eligible for SAH program grants.

Section 2102(e)(2) authorizes the Secretary of Veterans Affairs to increase the aggregate amounts of SAH assistance annually based on a residential home cost-of-construction index. In accordance with 38 CFR 36.4411(a), the Secretary uses the Turner Building Cost Index for this purpose.

In the most recent quarter for which the Turner Building Cost Index is available (the second quarter of 2020), the index showed an increase of 2.44% over the index value listed for the second quarter of 2019 (available at <http://www.turnerconstruction.com/cost-index> and last visited August 7, 2020). Therefore, pursuant to 38 CFR 36.4411(a), the aggregate amounts of assistance for SAH grants made pursuant to 38 U.S.C. 2101(a) and 2101(b) will increase by 2.44% for FY 2021.

Sections 2102A(b)(2) and 2102B(b)(2) require the Secretary of Veterans Affairs to apply the same percentage calculated pursuant to section 2102(e) to section 2102A and 2102B-authorized grants. As such, the maximum amount of assistance available under these grants will also increase by 2.44% for FY 2021.

The increases are effective as of October 1, 2020, in accordance with 38 U.S.C. 2102(e), 2102A(b)(2), and 2102B(b)(2).

**Specially Adapted Housing: Aggregate Amounts of Assistance Available During FY 2021**

This announcement states the new maximum grant amounts for the following three types of SAH grants: Section 2101(a) and temporary residence adaptation (TRA) grants;

section 2101(b) grants and TRA grants; and section 2102B grants.

**Section 2101(a) Grants and TRA Grants**

Effective October 1, 2020, the aggregate amount of assistance available for SAH grants made pursuant to 38 U.S.C. 2101(a) will be \$100,896 during FY 2021. The maximum TRA grant made to an individual who satisfies the eligibility criteria under 38 U.S.C. 2101(a) and 2102A will be \$44,295 during FY 2020.

**Section 2101(b) Grants and TRA Grants**

Effective as of October 1, 2020, the aggregate amount of assistance available for SAH grants made pursuant to 38 U.S.C. 2101(b) will be \$20,215 during FY 2021. The maximum TRA grant made to an individual who satisfies the eligibility criteria under 38 U.S.C. 2101(b) and 2102A will be \$7,909 during FY 2021.

**Section 2102B Grants**

Effective as of October 1, 2020, the amount of assistance available for SAH grants made pursuant to 38 U.S.C. 2102B will be \$100,896 during FY 2021; however, the Secretary of Veterans Affairs may waive this limitation for a Veteran if the Secretary determines a waiver is necessary for the rehabilitation program of the Veteran.

**Signing Authority**

The Secretary of Veterans Affairs, or designee, approved this document and authorized the undersigned to sign and submit the document to the Office of the Federal Register for publication electronically as an official document of the Department of Veterans Affairs. Brooks D. Tucker, Acting Chief of Staff, Department of Veterans Affairs, approved this document on October 15, 2020 for publication.

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**DEPARTMENT OF VETERANS AFFAIRS**

**Notice of Performance Review Board Members**

**AGENCY:** Department of Veterans Affairs, Corporate Senior Executive Management Office.

**ACTION:** Notice.

**SUMMARY:** Agencies are required to publish a notice in the **Federal Register**

of the appointment of Performance Review Board (PRB) members. This notice announces the appointment of individuals to serve on the PRB of the Department of Veterans Affairs.

**DATES:** This list is effective October 22, 2020.

**ADDRESSES:** Corporate Senior Executive Management Office, Department of Veterans Affairs, 810 Vermont Avenue NW, Washington, DC 20420.

**FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT:**

Contact Carrie Johnson-Clark, Executive Director, Corporate Senior Executive Management Office (006D), Department of Veterans Affairs, 810 Vermont Avenue NW, Washington, DC 20420, (202) 632-5181.

**SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION:** The membership of the Department of Veterans Affairs Performance Review Board is as follows:

Reeves, Randy (Chair)  
 Brahm, Victoria  
 Bologna, Mark  
 Carroll, J. David  
 Czarnecki, Tammy  
 Farrisee, Gina  
 Galvin, Jack  
 Isaacks, Scott  
 Jones, Luwanda  
 MacDonald, Edna  
 Matthews, Kameron  
 Mattison-Brown, Valerie  
 Mayo, Jeffrey  
 McDivitt, Robert  
 McDougal, Skye  
 Mitrano, Catherine  
 Murray, Edward J.  
 Ogilvie, Brianne  
 Oshinski, Renee  
 Oswalt, John  
 Pope, Brent  
 Rivera, Fernando  
 Simms, Christopher B.  
 Streitberger, William  
 Tallman, Gary  
 Thomas, Lisa  
 Tibbits, Paul  
 Verschoor, Thayer

**Authority:** 5 U.S.C. 4314(c)(4).

**Signing Authority**

The Secretary of Veterans Affairs approved this document and authorized the undersigned to sign and submit the document to the Office of the Federal Register for publication electronically as an official document of the Department of Veterans Affairs. Robert L. Wilkie, Secretary, Department of Veterans Affairs, approved this document on October 14, 2020, for publication.

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