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Mortgage Lender of the Year
Academy Mortgage Corporation

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Now we move on to our next awards category, Homeownership. For the last two years, MFA has set records for the number of homebuyers who have used our mortgage products – more than 5,000 families. But it’s not MFA who gets down payment assistance and low interest rate loans into the hands of borrowers. It’s the Realtors, loan officers and real estate professionals across this state who make that happen.

That is why this first homeownership award, the X Mortgage Lender of the Year award, is so important to us. I am pleased to announce that MFA’s 2018 Mortgage Lender of the Year is the X **Academy Mortgage Corporation**.

Founded in 1988, Academy Mortgage is one of the nation’s X largest and most respected independent mortgage lenders. They are headquartered in Salt Lake City and have more than 260 branches across the country. They are licensed to originate in 49 states.

And here’s what’s important to us here in New Mexico. For a X 12-month period that ended in May of this year, Academy Mortgage Corporation originated 580 MFA loans for a total of \$85,607,971. That translates into 580 New Mexico families who now have a X home of their own because of Academy Mortgage.

The Academy team in Albuquerque has proven time and time again that they are willing to go the extra mile to help families realize the dream of homeownership. They do an outstanding job representing MFA.

X Please join me in welcoming Barry Abt, Academy Mortgage branch manager, who will accept this award on behalf of Academy Mortgage. **X title slide**