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Section 304 T&I Custodial Accounts

304.01 Deposits

Requirements

You must:

- use T&I Custodial Accounts for
  - all Borrower payments for T&I Impositions per Part V, Chapter 3: Custodial Accounts, Section 304.02: T&I Impositions, and
  - Servicing Advances you make for these items; and
- not commingle T&I Custodial Account funds with
  - P&I Custodial Account funds, or
  - funds for any other Custodial Account.

Operating Procedures

You may establish:

- 1 T&I Custodial Account for all T&I deposits from all Mortgage Loans; or
- 2 separate T&I Custodial Accounts, with funds for all
  - Cash Mortgage Loans in 1 T&I Custodial Account, and
  - Securitized Mortgage Loans in the other T&I Custodial Account.

You must obtain Fannie Maes consent to establish a separate T&I Custodial Account for an individual

- Mortgage Loan, or
- Borrower.

304.02 T&I Impositions

Requirements

Unless precluded by the Loan Documents, you must:

- collect monthly payments from the Borrower;

- ensure all T&I Impositions are timely paid, including:
  - real estate taxes;
  - special assessments;
  - water and sewer assessments;
  - PILOTs;
  - insurance premiums;
  - ground lease rents; and
  - all other charges or obligations that could become a Lien against the Property; and
- pay any penalty or late fee if you fail to make timely payments.

Guidance

You may:

- Charge the Borrower for any penalty or late fee incurred if the failure to timely pay was due to insufficient T&I Custodial Account funds.
- Use qualified third-party vendors (that you manage and monitor) to
  - collect T&I Custodial Account funds, and
  - pay T&I Impositions.

304.03 Shortfalls

Requirements

T&I Custodial Account shortfalls must be paid by

- the Borrower, or
- you (i.e., a Servicing Advance).

304.04 Prohibited Uses

Requirements

You must not use any T&I Custodial Account funds to:

- supplement a shortfall in the Borrower's monthly P&I payment to Fannie Mae;

- reimburse yourself for any Servicing Advance unless it is recovered from subsequent collections for that Mortgage Loan; or
- supplement a shortfall in a Borrower's taxes or insurance payment using another Borrower's tax or insurance deposits.

Guidance

You may use a Borrower's own tax or insurance deposits to cover a shortfall in the Borrower's tax or insurance obligation if you adjust future deposits per Part V, Chapter 3: Custodial Accounts, Section 308.04B: Insufficient Funds.

304.05 No Financing for T&I Impositions

Requirements

To pay any T&I Impositions, you must not

- provide financing to the Borrower, or
- allow the Borrower to obtain financing.

Glossary

B

Borrower	Person who is the obligor per the Note. **Synonyms** • Borrowers • Borrower's

C

Cash Mortgage Loan	Mortgage Loan purchased by Fannie Mae in exchange for cash. **Synonyms** • Cash Mortgage Loans
Custodial Account	Account established by the Servicer for depositing P&I payments, T&I payments, and escrow, reserve, or other funds received from the Borrower per any Loan Document, including the: • Collateral Agreement; • Multifamily Loan Agreement; or • Security Instrument. **Synonyms** • Custodial Accounts

G

Ground Lease	Contract for the rental of land, usually on a long term basis.
Guide	Multifamily Selling and Servicing Guide controlling all Lender and Servicer requirements unless a Lender Contract specifies otherwise. **Synonyms** • DUS Guide

L

Lease	Written agreement between an owner and the tenant of a Property stipulating the conditions for possession and use of real estate for a specified period of time and rent. **Synonyms** • Leases
Lien	Lien, mortgage, bond interest, pledge, security interest, charge, or encumbrance of any kind. **Synonyms** • Liens
Loan Documents	All Fannie Mae-approved documents evidencing, securing, or guaranteeing the Mortgage Loan. **Synonyms** • Loan Document • Mortgage Loan Document • Mortgage Loan Documents

M

Mortgage Loan	Mortgage debt obligation evidenced, or when made will be evidenced, by • the Loan Documents, or • a mortgage debt obligation with a Fannie Mae credit enhancement. **Synonyms** • Mortgage Loans • Mortgage Loan's

P

P&I	Principal and interest

P&I Custodial Account	Custodial Account for principal and interest deposits. **Synonyms** • P&I Custodial Accounts
PILOT	Payment In Lieu Of Taxes. **Synonyms** • PILOTs
Property	Multifamily residential real estate securing the Mortgage Loan, including the • fee simple or Leasehold interest, • Improvements, and • personal property (per the Uniform Commercial Code). **Synonyms** • Properties • Property's

S

Securitized Mortgage Loan	Mortgage Loan backing an MBS, PFP MBS, or REMIC. **Synonyms** • Securitized Mortgage Loans

Servicing Advance	All amounts required to be paid by the Borrower, for • all taxes and assessments against each Property, • all insurance premiums for insurance for each Property to insurance carrier(s) acceptable to Fannie Mae, in accordance with the Guide, and • any other payment, as determined by Fannie Mae, necessary to preserve and protect the Property or to exercise any legal or equitable remedies (other than foreclosure) against the Borrower or the Property (including attorney, appraisal, or other professional fees) or any other obligations relating to the Property as set forth in the Loan Documents. **Synonyms** • Servicing Advances

T

T&I Custodial Account	Custodial Account for the deposit of T&I and other impound escrow funds. **Synonyms** • T&I Custodial Accounts
T&I Impositions	Amounts for taxes, insurance, and other charges assessed against or owing on the Property which you deem necessary to protect the Property and/or prevent Liens imposed on it. **Synonyms** • T&I Imposition
Taxes and Insurance	Taxes or assessments that may become a Lien on the Property and insurance premiums. **Synonyms** • T&I • Tax and Insurance