



2016 Dates for the Student Loan Repayment Assistance Program (SLRAP)

February 16, 2016 **2016-2017** SLRAP Application Available on TAJF Grants System

February 25, 2016 Submission of 2015-2016 SLRAP Third Quarter LRAP Quarterly Certification DUE

First Week of March 2016 Fourth Quarter Payment Mailed for 2015-2016 SLRAP

March 25, 2016 Deadline for SUBMITTING **2016-2017** SLRAP Application

First Week of May 2016 SLRAP Recipients for **2016-2017** Notified

May 25, 2016 Submission of 2015-2016 SLRAP Fourth Quarter LRAP Quarterly Certification DUE

First Week of June 2016 First Quarter Payment Mailed for **2016-2017** SLRAP

August 25, 2016 Submission 2016-2017 of SLRAP First Quarter LRAP Quarterly Certification DUE

First Week of September 2016 Second Quarter Payment Mailed for 2016-2017 SLRAP

September 15, 2016 **2016-2017** <u>MID-YEAR</u> SLRAP Application Available on TAJF Grants System

October 15, 2016 Deadline for SUBMITTING 2016-2017 MID-YEAR SLRAP APPLICATION

November 15, 2016 SLRAP Recipients for <u>MID-YEAR</u> **2016-2017** Notified

November 23, 2016 Submission of 2016-2017 SLRAP Second Quarter LRAP Quarterly Certification DUE

First Week of December 2016 Third Quarter Payment Mailed for 2016-2017 SLRAP

SLRAP Guidelines (page 4) state: Throughout the year, TAJF will verify applicants' ongoing eligibility. Dates and LRAP Quarterly Certification deadlines are subject to change under the discretion of TAJF staff.

LRAP QUARTERLY CERTIFICATION INSTRUCTIONS:

Texas SLRAP payments are paid in advance. Recipients are to use the funds received to pay the monthly payments (3) for the upcoming quarter. To receive the quarterly check to be mailed, you must complete the LRAP Quarterly Certification for the preceding quarter by the end of the third month of the quarter. For example if you received a payment for June – August, you must complete the LRAP Quarterly Certification on WebGrants by the end of August in order for the second quarter payment to be timely mailed on the 1st week of September. If it is not completed, then payment will be delayed.

Steps for completing the LRAP Quarterly Certification: Log-in to WebGrants, select My Grants from the Main Menu, click on Status Reports, click on current LRAP quarterly certification, under Components select LRAP quarterly certification form, select "yes" or "no" for question 1-6 (#7 is optional to disclose pertinent information to TAJF), click Save, Mark as Complete and hit Submit.

| LRAP Quarterly Certification | | | | |
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| lease certify the following items by selecting 'yes' or 'no'. | | | | |
| 1. I certify I am either a) licensed to practice law in Texas, or b) licensed in another state and employed by an immigration legal services nonprofit. | | | | |
| 1. Attorney Licensure* ○ Yes ○ No | | | | |
| 2. I am an attorney in good standing with the licensing entity. | | | | |
| 2. Good standing [◆] ○ Yes ○ No | | | | |
| 3. I have used all of the previous loan advances toward payment of the debt as certified to in my application. | | | | |
| 3. Loan Payments* ○ Yes ○ No | | | | |
| 4. I am not in default, deferment or forbearance for any of my student debt, and I understand that the Texas Student Loan Repayment Assistance Program retains the right to request proof of loan repayment. | | | | |
| 4. Not in default* ○Yes ○No | | | | |
| 5. I continue to have outstanding eligible debt greater than the amount of the loan advances. | | | | |
| 5. Eligible debt* Yes No | | | | |
| 6. I applied for any and all other loan repayment assistance programs available to me for which I was/am eligible and I have fully disclosed such assistance in the application which serves as the basis for this LRAP loan. | | | | |
| 6. Other LRAP* ○Yes ○No | | | | |
| 7. Special Circumstances | | | | |
| If applicable, describe any special circumstances or disclosures which may render information provided in the LRAP application changed and/or inaccurate. (character limit of 2,000) | | | | |

¹ <u>Mid-Year</u> SLRAP eligibility requires that the applicant's date of employment with the qualifying organization was after the application deadline for the current SLRAP year.

Steps for Accessing & Certifying the LRAP Quarterly Certification Form

WebGrants (https://grants.tajf.org)

• Select My Grants from the Main Menu



• Click on Texas Student Loan Repayment Assistance Program 2015-2016 Application



• Click on **Status Reports**

| Grant Components | |
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| You can define your own alerts in the Alerts section | |
| Component | Last Edited |
| General Information | 02/05/2016 |
| Status Reports | |
| Payments | |
| Correspondence | |
| Applicant Data | |
| Certification of School Debt | |
| Other LRAP Assistance | |
| Grant Amount | |
| Opportunity | - |

- Click on current LRAP quarterly certification
- <u>DO NOT</u> select "Copy Existing Status Report"

| Status Reports | | | | Copy Existing Status Repo | rt Return to | Components |
|----------------|------------------|-----------------------|------------|---------------------------|----------------|------------|
| ID | Туре | Date From-To | Due Date | Submitted Date | Arrived? | Status |
| Test LRAP - 01 | Quarterly Report | 12/01/2015-02/29/2016 | 02/25/2016 | 02/04/2016 | On Time | Correcting |

Under Components, select LRAP Quarterly Certification Form



Now you will be able to view the new LRAP quarterly certification integrated form

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- You will select "yes" or "no" for questions 1 6. On line 7 Special Circumstances, this is an optional portion where you will be able to type in up to 2,000 characters describing any special circumstances or disclose any information to TAJF.
- Once all questions have been answered, click on *Save*.
- Mark as Complete and hit Submit
- This will complete your quarterly certification.