

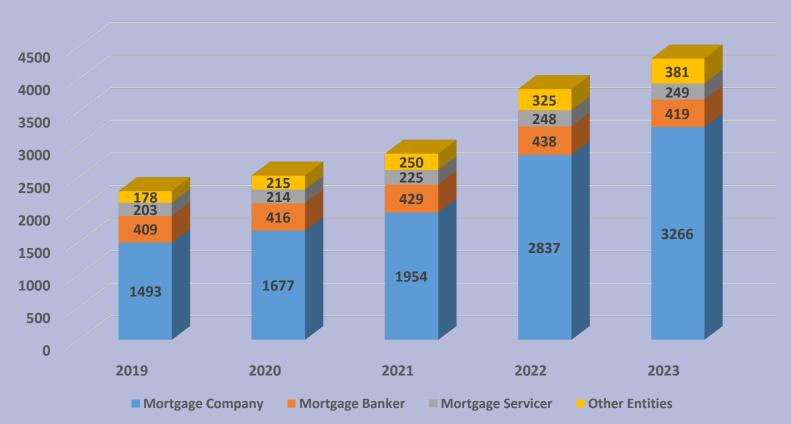
Licensing Update and Issues

11th Annual Mortgage Industry Seminar

November 6, 2023

Entity License/Registrations as of October 31

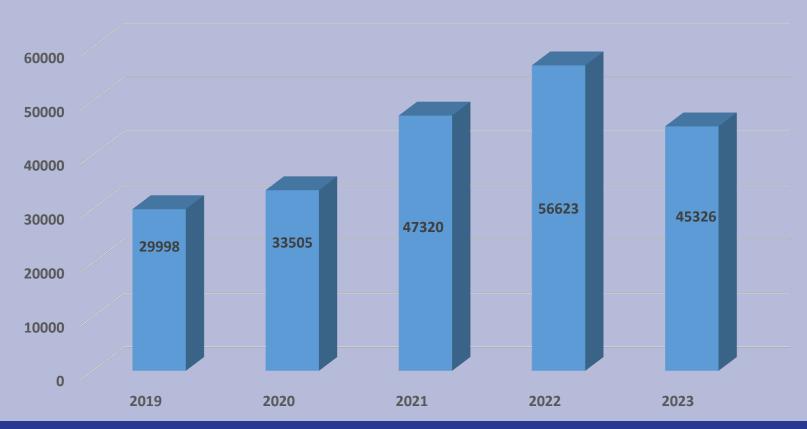






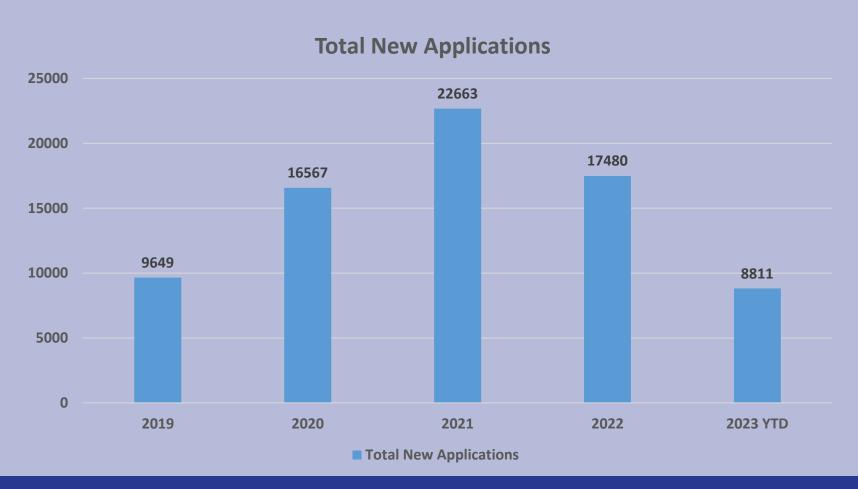
Number of Residential Mortgage Loan Originators







Total New License Applications





Current Processing Times

As of October 30, 2023, processing times for initial review of a Licensing Application:

- Company (MU1) 7 days.
- Branches (MU3) 5 days.
- RMLO (MU4) 4 days



Reasons for Delay of Approval

Companies (MU1):

- Company name does not match IRS Documents.
- Company or DBA not registered with the Texas Secretary of State.
- Registered Agent and Registered Agent Address does not match.



Reasons for Delay of Approval

Branches (MU3):

- Operating Agreement not provided.
- New branch does not have a linked Texas Licensed RMLO.
- Linked RMLO is requesting Temporary Authority.



Reasons for Delay of Approval

RMLO (MU4):

- Mailing Address does not match residential address.
- Current employer information does not match the Registered Location information.
- Not providing documents for Disclosure questions that were answered "Yes".
- Paying NMLS fees with an ACH.



New in Licensing

• Effective November 1, 2023, there is new Licensing Fee Schedule.

https://www.sml.texas.gov/news/fy2024-licensing-fee-schedules/



2023 Renewal Cycle

- Renewal Period will run from November 1, 2023 to December 31, 2023.
- Reinstatement Period will run from January 1, 2024 to February 29, 2024.
- No Reinstatement Period for Residential Mortgage Loan Servicers Registrations.



2023 Renewal Cycle

Things to remember about License Renewals:

- File your Renewal Request as soon as possible.
- Check your State License/Registration List for Outstanding License Items.
- Complete your Continuing Education as soon as possible.
- If you have a Residential Mortgage Servicer Registrations, convert to an Electronic Surety Bond (ESB).





Questions and Comments