A Basic Loan Comparison

	10% Conventional FANNIE/FREDDIE	Community Home Buyers	FHA
Down Payment	10%*	3%	3.5%
Seller paid Costs "can be"	3%	3%	6%
Cash Needed to Close	Must be verified in buyers Bank Accounts. 60-Days	Must be verified in buyers Bank Accounts. 60- Days	Can be 100% gift, Cash on hand, verified or any combination.
Credit Scoring	680+ FICO	680+ FICO	Not Required
Bankruptcy	Discharged four years. Must re- establish 5 new trades, open 1 year.	Not Allowed	OK, 2 years from date of discharge.
Unpaid Collections	Must satisfy.	Must satisfy.	May be Ok, if more than 1-year old.
Late Payments	None past 24 months	None past 24 months	Varies. Looks at last 12 months & overall credit history.
Repossession, Charge-offs	Must be paid.	Must be paid.	Varies, depending on circumstance and credit history.
Cash Reserves	2 months of house payment.	1 month of house payment.	None Needed.

^{*} A 10% down is used for comparison purposes only. Mortgage Insurance Company's may not provide MI Certification in declining market locations with LTV higher than 90%.