

THE CALIFORNIA DEBT LIMIT ALLOCATION COMMITTEE
November 17, 2010
Staff Report
*REQUEST FOR A QUALIFIED PRIVATE ACTIVITY BOND ALLOCATION FOR A
QUALIFIED RESIDENTIAL RENTAL PROJECT*

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Applicant: California Housing Finance Agency

Allocation Amount Requested:
Tax-exempt: \$7,095,000

Project Information:
Name: Jackson Hills Apartments
Project Address: 300 New York Ranch Road
Project City, County, Zip Code: Jackson, Amador, 95642

Project Sponsor Information:
Name: Jackson Preservation Limited Partnership (LINC-Torrance Associates LLC and Jackson Preservation Partners LLC)
Principals: Hunter L. Johnson and Karen Maeshima for LINC-Torrance Associates LLC; and William E. Szymczak and Jon LaLanne for Jackson Preservation Partners LLC

Project Financing Information:
Bond Counsel: Orrick, Herrington & Sutcliffe LLP
Underwriter: Not Applicable
Credit Enhancement Provider: HUD, PNC Multifamily, MAP Lender
Private Placement Purchaser: Not Applicable
TEFRA Hearing Date: June 22, 2010

Description of Proposed Project:
State Ceiling Pool: Rural
Total Number of Units: 85, plus 1 manager unit
Type: Acquisition and Rehabilitation
Type of Units: Senior (57 units) & Family (23 units)

Description of Public Benefits:
Percent of Restricted Rental Units in the Project: 94%
21% (18 units) restricted to 50% or less of area median income households.
73% (62 units) restricted to 60% or less of area median income households.
Unit Mix: 1 & 2 bedrooms

Term of Restrictions:
Income and Rent Restrictions: 55 years

Details of Project Financing:

Estimated Total Development Cost:	\$	15,693,990	
Estimated Hard Costs per Unit:	\$	60,671	(\$5,157,070 /85 units)
Estimated per Unit Cost:	\$	184,635	(\$15,693,990 /85 units)
Allocation per Unit:	\$	83,471	(\$7,095,000 /85 units)
Allocation per Restricted Rental Unit:	\$	88,687	(\$7,095,000 /80 restricted units)

Sources of Funds:	<u>Construction</u>	<u>Permanent</u>
Tax-Exempt Bond Proceeds	\$ 7,095,000	\$ 7,095,000
Developer Equity	\$ 1,400,000	\$ 450,910
Direct & Indirect Public Funds	\$ 7,198,990	\$ 8,148,080
Total Sources	\$ 15,693,990	\$ 15,693,990

Uses of Funds:	
Acquisition Cost	\$ 7,005,000
Hard Construction Costs	\$ 5,157,070
Architect & Engineering Fees	\$ 53,500
Contractor Overhead & Profit	\$ 643,965
Developer Fee	\$ 1,400,000
Relocation	\$ 202,000
Cost of Issuance	\$ 536,469
Capitalized Interest	\$ 192,189
Other Soft Costs	\$ 503,797
Total Uses	\$ 15,693,990

Legal Questionnaire:

The Staff has reviewed the Applicant's responses to the questions contained in the Legal Status portion of the application. No information was disclosed to question the financial viability or legal integrity of the Applicant.

Total Points: 69.5 out of 128
 [See Attachment A]

Recommendation:

Staff recommends that the Committee approve \$7,095,000 in tax exempt bond allocation.

ATTACHMENT A

EVALUATION SCORING:

Point Criteria	Maximum Points Allowed for Non-Mixed Income Projects	Maximum Points Allowed for Mixed Income Projects	Points Scored
Federally Assisted At-Risk Project or HOPE VI Project	20	20	10
Exceeding Minimum Income Restrictions:	35	15	29
Exceeding Minimum Rent Restrictions [Allowed if 10 pts not awarded above in Federally Assisted At-Risk Project or HOPE VI Project]	[10]	[10]	0
Gross Rents	5	5	5
Large Family Units	5	5	0
Leveraging	10	10	10
Community Revitalization Area	15	15	0
Site Amenities	10	10	7.5
Service Amenities	10	10	5
New Construction	10	10	0
Sustainable Building Methods	8	8	3
Negative Points	-10	-10	0
Total Points	128	108	69.5

The criteria for which points are awarded will also be incorporated into the Resolution transferring Allocation to the Applicant as well as the appropriate bond documents and loan and finance agreements.