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

Prepared by: Richard Fischer

Applicant: California Housing Finance Agency

Allocation Amount Requested:

Tax-exempt: \$6,650,000 **Taxable:** \$3,793,730

Project Information:

Name: Westview Terrace Apartments

Project Address: 287 West Westward Avenue **Project City, County, Zip Code**: Banning, Riverside, 92220

Project Sponsor Information:

Name: Banning Leased Housing Associates I, L.P.(Central Valley

Coalition for Affordable Housing Corporation and Banning

Leased Housing Associates I, LLC)

Principals: Alan Jenkins, Jennifer Bertuccio, Renee Downum and Chris

Alley for Central Valley Coalition for Affordable Housing Corporation; David L. Brierton, Jack W. Safar, Armand E. Brachman, Paul R. Sween, Jeffrey R. Huggett, Mark S.

Moorhouse, Christopher P. Barnes and Dominium Development & Acquisition, LLC for Banning Leased Housing Associates I,

LLC.

Project Financing Information:

Bond Counsel: Orrick, Herrington & Sutcliffe LLP

Underwriter: Not Applicable

Credit Enhancement Provider: Prudential Affordable Mortgage Corporation
Private Placement Purchaser: US Treasury Department (Freddie Mac)

TEFRA Hearing Date: September 20, 2010

Description of Proposed Project:

State Ceiling Pool: General

Total Number of Units: 74, plus 1 manager unit

Type: Acquisition and Rehabilitation

Type of Units: Family

Description of Public Benefits:

Percent of Restricted Rental Units in the Project: 100%

58% (43 units) restricted to 50% or less of area median income households.
 42% (31 units) restricted to 60% or less of area median income households.

Unit Mix: 1, 2, 3 & 4 bedrooms

Term of Restrictions:

Income and Rent Restrictions: 55 years

Details of Project Financing:

Estimated Total Development Cost: \$ 14,032,231

Estimated Hard Costs per Unit: \$ 46,927 (\$3,472,567 /74 units) **Estimated per Unit Cost:** \$ 189,625 (\$14,032,231 /74 units) **Allocation per Unit:** \$ 89,865 (\$6,650,000 /74 units)

Allocation per Restricted Rental Unit: \$ 89,865 (\$6,650,000 /74 restricted units)

Sources of Funds:	Construction		Permanent	
Tax-Exempt Bond Proceeds	\$	6,650,000	\$	6,650,000
Taxable Bond Proceeds	\$	3,793,730	\$	0
Deferred Developer Fee	\$	0	\$	477,921
LIH Tax Credit Equity	\$	665,853	\$	3,329,264
Direct & Indirect Public Funds	\$	500,000	\$	3,333,000
Other (Reserves from Seller,Income for Operations)	\$	242,046	\$	242,046
Total Sources	\$	11,851,629	\$	14,032,231
Uses of Funds:				
Acquisition Cost	\$	6,300,000		
On & Off Site Costs	\$	413,356		
Hard Construction Costs	\$	3,059,211		
Architect & Engineering Fees	\$	187,000		
Contractor Overhead & Profit	\$	428,289		
Developer Fee	\$	1,494,552		
Cost of Issuance	\$	184,803		
Other Soft Costs (Marketing, Legal, Reserves, etc.)	\$	1,965,020		
Total Uses	\$	14,032,231		

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:

75.5 out of 128

[See Attachment A]

Recommendation:

Staff recommends that the Committee approve \$6,650,000 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	35
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	5
Leveraging	10	10	10
Community Revitalization Area	15	15	0
Site Amenities	10	10	7.5
Service Amenities	10	10	0
New Construction	10	10	0
Sustainable Building Methods	8	8	3
Negative Points	-10	-10	0
Total Points	128	108	75.5

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.