#### THE CALIFORNIA DEBT LIMIT ALLOCATION COMMITTEE

# November 16, 2011

#### Staff Report

# REQUEST FOR A QUALIFIED PRIVATE ACTIVITY BOND ALLOCATION FOR A QUALIFIED RESIDENTIAL RENTAL PROJECT

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Applicant: California Statewide Communities Development Authority

**Allocation Amount Requested:** 

**Tax-exempt:** \$1,967,515

**Project Information:** 

Name: Shady Lane Apartments

**Project Address**: 2401 Shady Lane

Project City, County, Zip Code: Anderson, Shasta, 96007

**Project Sponsor Information:** 

Name: Shady Lane Partners, LP (Community Revitalization and

Development Corporation and Cyrus Youssefi).

**Principals**: David Rutledge for Community Revitalization and

Development Corporation and Cyrus Youssefi

**Property Management Company:** C.F.Y. Development, Inc.

**Project Financing Information:** 

Bond Counsel: Orrick, Herrington & Sutcliffe LLP

**Underwriter**: Not Applicable

Credit Enhancement Provider: Not Applicable

**Private Placement Purchaser**: JPMorgan Chase Bank, N.A.

**TEFRA Hearing Date**: October 4, 2011

**Description of Proposed Project:** 

**State Ceiling Pool:** Rural

Total Number of Units: 33, plus 1 manager unit

**Type:** Acquisition and Rehabilitation

**Type of Units:** Family

The proposed acquisition and rehabilitation project is an existing property located on approximately 2.16 acres in the City of Anderson. The site currently contains nine buildings, seven of which are low income multi-family apartments and two separate one-story buildings that contain the property management office as well as a community laundry room. The project consists of 34 total units including one manager unit and 33 restricted units targeting large family tenants. The rehabilitation is anticipated to begin in January 2012 and will be completed by December 2012.

#### **Description of Public Benefits:**

**Percent of Restricted Rental Units in the Project:** 100%

58% (19 units) restricted to 50% or less of area median income households.
42% (14 units) restricted to 60% or less of area median income households.

Unit Mix: 1, 2 & 3 bedrooms

There will be no service included in the project.

#### **Term of Restrictions:**

**Income and Rent Restrictions:** 55 years

#### **Details of Project Financing:**

**Estimated Total Development Cost:** \$ 3,611,590

**Estimated Hard Costs per Unit:** \$ 30,703 (\$1,013,200 /33 units) **Estimated per Unit Cost:** \$ 109,442 (\$3,611,590 /33 units) **Allocation per Unit:** \$ 59,622 (\$1,967,515 /33 units)

**Allocation per Restricted Rental Unit:** \$ 59,622 (\$1,967,515 /33 restricted units)

Sources of Funds:	Construction		Permanent	
Tax-Exempt Bond Proceeds	\$	1,967,515	\$ 936,650	
Deferred Developer Fee	\$	299,889	\$ 159,885	
LIH Tax Credit Equity	\$	118,985	\$ 1,189,854	
Direct & Indirect Public Funds	\$	1,225,201	\$ 1,225,201	
Other (Existing Reserves)	\$	0	\$ 100,000	
Total Sources	\$	3,611,590	\$ 3,611,590	
Uses of Funds:				
Acquisition Cost	\$	1,556,201		
Hard Construction Costs	\$	1,013,200		
Architect & Engineering Fees	\$	25,000		
Contractor Overhead & Profit	\$	74 800		

Contractor Overhead & Profit 74,800 Developer Fee \$ 299,889 Relocation \$ 20,000 Cost of Issuance \$ 158,500 Capitalized Interest 75,000 389,000 Other Soft Costs (Marketing, etc.) Total Uses \$ 3,611,590

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#### Description of Financial Structure and Bond Issuance:

The proposed project will be structured as a private placement transaction provided by JPMorgan Chase Bank, N.A. for a construction and permanent loan. The construction loan will be for \$1,967,515 which is the total of the tax-exempt bond request to be issued by the California Statewide Communities Development Authority. The interest rate on the construction loan will be one-month LIBOR plus 3.00% multiplied by the Bank's tax exempt factor, adjusted monthly on a 360 day basis. The construction period will last for 18 months. The monthly payment on the construction loan will be interest only on funds as disbursed until maturity. The permanent loan will be locked at construction loan closing and will carry an interest rate of approximately 5.60% if the loan were to be funded today. The term of the permanent loan will be 18 years with a 30 year amortization, commencing

#### **Analyst Comments:**

Not Applicable

#### **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:** 

62.5 out of 118

[See Attachment A]

#### **Recommendation:**

Staff recommends that the Committee approve \$1,967,515 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	0
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	0
Negative Points	-10	-10	0
Total Points	118	98	62.5

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.