#### THE CALIFORNIA DEBT LIMIT ALLOCATION COMMITTEE

May 17, 2017 Staff Report

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

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Applicant: California Public Finance Authority

**Allocation Amount Requested:** 

**Tax-exempt:** \$7,184,171

**Project Information:** 

Name: E. Boyd Esters Manor Apartments

**Project Address**: 1101 N. Central Avenue

**Project City, County, Zip Code**: Compton, Los Angeles, 90222

**Project Sponsor Information:** 

Name: Southeast Senior Housing Preservation, L.P. (Rosecrans Manor)

**Principals:** Delores Zurita **Property Management Company:** Monfric, Inc.

**Project Financing Information:** 

**Bond Counsel:** Orrick, Herrington & Sutcliffe LLP

**Private Placement Purchaser:** Red Stone Tax Exempt Funding LLC

**Cash Flow Permanent Bond:** Not Applicable

Public Sale: Not Applicable

Underwriter: Not Applicable

**Credit Enhancement Provider:** Not Applicable

**Rating:** Not Applicable

**TEFRA Noticing Date:** March 22, 2017 **TEFRA Adoption Date:** April 11, 2017

**Description of Proposed Project:** 

**State Ceiling Pool:** General **Total Number of Units:** 50

Manager's Units: 1 Unrestricted

**Type:** Acquisition and Rehabilitation **Population Served:** Senior Citizens/Special Needs

E. Boyd Esters Manor Apartments is an existing project located in Compton on a 1.5-acre site. The project consists of 49 rental units and 1 unrestricted manager unit. The project will offer 12 studio units and 38 one-bedroom units. Building exterior renovations will consist of roof repairs, patio cover replacement and new paint. Interior renovations will include improvements to the elevator and to the community room. Individual apartment unit improvements will include AC/heating system upgrades, electrical and plumbing fixture upgrades, new kitchen and bathroom cabinets and countertops, new kitchen appliances, new window treatments, flooring replacement and new paint. Lastly, common or site area renovations will consist of parking lot resurfacing and re-sealing, lighting improvements and widening of concrete walkways. The rehabilitation is expected to begin in July 2017 and to be completed March 2018.

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

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

40% (20 units) restricted to 50% or less of area median income households.

58% (29 units) restricted to 60% or less of area median income households.

Unit Mix: Studio & 1 bedroom

The proposed project will not be providing service amenities.

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**Income and Rent Restrictions:** 55 years

# **Details of Project Financing:**

<b>Estimated Total Development Cost:</b>	\$	14,204,956	
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Estimated Hard Costs per Unit: \$ 21,930 (\$1,096,492 /50 units including mgr. units)

Estimated per Unit Cost: \$ 284,099 (\$14,204,956 /50 units including mgr. units)

Allocation per Unit: \$ 143,683 (\$7,184,171 /50 units including mgr. units)

**Allocation per Restricted Rental Unit:** \$ 146,616 (\$7,184,171 /49 restricted units)

<b>Sources of Funds:</b>	Construction		 Permanent	
Tax-Exempt Bond Proceeds	\$	7,184,171	\$	4,419,813
LIH Tax Credit Equity	\$	1,071,423	\$	3,571,411
Seller Carryback Loan	\$	3,519,140	\$	3,519,140
HUD 202 Loan	\$	2,430,222	\$	2,430,222
Net Income From Operations	\$	0	\$	264,370
Total Sources	\$	14,204,956	\$	14,204,956

#### **Uses of Funds:**

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Land Cost/Acquisition	\$ 8,450,000	
Rehabilitation	\$ 1,187,281	
Relocation	\$ 75,000	
Contractor Overhead & Profit	\$ 87,719	
Architectural Fees	\$ 100,000	
Survey and Engineering	\$ 80,000	
Construction Interest and Fees	\$ 910,774	
Permanent Financing	\$ 141,653	
Legal Fees	\$ 280,000	
Reserves	\$ 810,218	
Appraisal	\$ 8,600	
Hard Cost Contingency	\$ 125,000	
Other Project Soft Costs	\$ 411,462	
Developer Costs	\$ 1,537,249	
Total Uses	\$ 14,204,956	

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# **Analyst Comments:**

None

# **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 out of 140 [See Attachment A]

#### **Recommendation:**

Staff recommends that the Committee approves \$7,184,171 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	Points Scored	
Preservation Project	20	20	20	
Exceeding Minimum Income Restrictions:	35	15	35	
Exceeding Minimum Rent Restrictions				
[Allowed if 10 pts not awarded above in Preservation Project]	[10]	[10]	0	
Gross Rents	5	5	5	
Large Family Units	5	5	0	
Leveraging	10	10	10	
Community Revitalization Area	5	5	0	
Site Amenities	10	10	5	
Service Amenities	10	10	0	
New Construction or Substantial Renovation	10	10	0	
Sustainable Building Methods	10	10	0	
Forgone Eligible Developer Fee (Competitive Allocation Process Only)	10	10	N/A	
Minimum Term of Restrictions (Competitive Allocation Process Only)	10	10	N/A	
Negative Points (No Maximum)	-10	-10	0	
Total Points	140	110	75	

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.