Agenda Item No. 7.41 Application No. 20-671

#### THE CALIFORNIA DEBT LIMIT ALLOCATION COMMITTEE

December 21, 2020 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:** \$10,170,000

**Project Information:** 

Name: Bidwell Place Apartments

**Project Address**: 403 E. Bidwell Street

**Project City, County, Zip Code**: Folsom, Sacramento, 95630

**Project Sponsor Information:** 

Name: Bidwell Place, LP (St. Anton Bidwell Place, LLC / PacH Anton South

Principals: Peter H. Geremia for St. Anton Bidwell Place, LLC; Mark A. Wiese

for PacH Anton South Holdings, LLC; Robert A. Reinhardt for Bank

of America, N.A.

**Property Management Company:** St. Anton Multifamily, Inc.

**Project Financing Information:** 

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

**Private Placement Purchaser:** Bank of America, N.A.

**Cash Flow Permanent Bond:** Not Applicable

**Public Sale:** Not Applicable **Underwriter:** Not Applicable

Credit Enhancement Provider: Not Applicable

**Rating:** Not Applicable

**Description of Proposed Project:** 

**State Ceiling Pool:** General New Construction Pool

**Total Number of Units:** 75

Manager's Units: 1 Unrestricted

**Type:** New Construction

**Population Served:** Family

Bidwell Place Apartments is a new construction project located in Folsom, CA 2.09-acre site. The project consists of 74 restricted rental units and 1 unrestricted manager's unit. The project will have 9 studio units, 39 one-bedroom units, and 27 two-bedroom units. The building will be a 3 story wood-framed building. Common amenities include a leasing office, fully equipped communal kitchen, business center, fitness center, community room, swimming pool, sun deck, tot lot, garden landscaping, and bike racks. Each unit will have a washer and dryer, laundry room access, patio or balcony, fully equipped kitchen, dishwasher, refrigerator, self-cleaning oven range, microwave, garbage disposal, and mirrored medicine cabinets. There are 120 parking spaces provided. The construction is expected to begin January 2021 and be completed in July 2022.

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

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

23 units) restricted to 50% or less of area median income households. 65% (51 units) restricted to 60% or less of area median income households.

**Unit Mix:** Studio, 1 & 2 bedroon

The proposed project will be receiving service amenity points.

### **Term of Restrictions:**

**Income and Rent Restrictions:** 55 years

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

**Estimated Total Development Cost:** \$ 17,781,839

Estimated Hard Costs per Unit: \$ 195,176 (\$14,638,190 /75 units including mgr. units)

Estimated per Unit Cost: \$ 237,091 (\$17,781,839 /75 units including mgr. units)

Allocation per Unit: \$ 135,600 (\$10,170,000 /75 units including mgr. units)

**Allocation per Restricted Rental Unit:** \$ 137,432 (\$10,170,000 /74 restricted units)

Sources of Funds:	 Construction	 Permanent
Tax-Exempt Bond Proceeds	\$ 10,170,000	\$ 6,960,000
LIH Tax Credit Equity	\$ 0	\$ 5,758,912
Deferred Developer Fee	\$ 0	\$ 551,530
Deferred Costs	\$ 0	\$ 249,000
Net Income From Operations	\$ 0	\$ 1
City of Folsom	\$ 4,150,000	\$ 4,150,000
Bank of America, N.A.	\$ 1,091,007	\$ 0
Pre-Conversion NOI	\$ 0	\$ 112,396
Total Sources	\$ 15,411,007	\$ 17,781,839

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

Land Cost/Acquisition	\$	2,369,700
New Construction	\$	8,568,663
Contractor Overhead & Profit	\$	556,962
Architectural Fees	\$	202,500
Survey and Engineering	\$	262,608
Construction Interest and Fees	\$	305,287
Permanent Financing	\$	430,584
Legal Fees	\$	180,000
Reserves	\$	176,459
Hard Cost Contingency	\$	568,959
Local Development Impact Fees	\$	1,753,474
Other Project Costs (Soft Costs, Marketing, etc.)		686,643
Developer Costs	\$	1,720,000
Total Uses	\$	17,781,839

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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:**

120 out of 145 [See Attachment A]

### **Recommendation:**

Staff recommends that the Committee approves \$10,170,000 in tax-exempt bond allocation on a carryforward basis.

# ATTACHMENT A

# **EVALUATION SCORING:**

Point Criteria	Maximum Points Allowed for Non- Mixed Income Projects	Maximum Points Allowed for Mixed Income Projects	Points Scored
Preservation Project	20	20	0
Exceeding Minimum Income Restrictions:	35	15	35
Exceeding Minimum Rent Restrictions  [Allowed if 10 pts not awarded above in Preservation Project]	[10]	[10]	10.00
Large Family Units	5	5	0.00
Gross Rents	5	5	5.00
Leveraging	10	10	10.00
Community Revitalization Area	5	5	0.00
Site Amenities	10	10	10.00
Service Amenities	10	10	10.00
New Construction or Substantial Renovation	10	10	10.00
Sustainable Building Methods	10	10	10.00
Forgone Eligible Developer Fee (Competitive Allocation Process Only)	10	10	10.00
Minimum Term of Restrictions (Competitive Allocation Process Only)	10	10	10.00
Negative Points (No Maximum)	-10	-10	0.00
Total Points	145	125	120.00