Agenda Item No. 7.42 Application No. 20-735

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: Housing Authority of the City of San Diego

Allocation Amount Requested:

Tax-exempt: \$12,150,000

Project Information:

Name: 2139 El Cajon Blvd

Project Address: 2139 El Cajon Blvd

Project City, County, Zip Code: San Diego, San Diego, 92104

Project Sponsor Information:

Name: Trestle Mississippi, LP (Trestle Mississippi, LLC/National

Principals: David Allen and Robert Morgan Sole Managers for Trestle

Mississippi, LLC/Stephen Margetic, CEO for National Housing

MGP LLC

Property Management Company: Hyder and Company

Project Financing Information:

Bond Counsel: Kutak Rock LLP

Private Placement Purchaser: Citibank, 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 **Total Number of Units:** 61

Manager's Units: 1 Unrestricted

Type: New Construction

Population Served: Family

El Cajon Blvd is a new construction project located in San Diego and sits on a 10,674 square foot urban lot. The project consists of 54 restricted rental units, 6 market rate units and 1 unrestricted manager unit. The project will have 24 studio units, 25 one-bedroom units and 12 two- bedroom units. The building will consists of 5 levels of Type III-A wood framing over 1 level Type I concrete podium, with a gross area of 51,200 SF. Exterior renovations will consist of decorative masonry block, concrete and glazing on the ground floor with a mix of stucco and panel siding on the upper floors. Resident-serving common spaces will include a community room with a full kitchen, seating and television area; laundry room; outdoor courtyard with seating; two common balconies, one with a gas grill; and a meeting room that will be used for resident services. The construction is expected to begin February 2021 and be completed in June 2022.

Description of Public Benefits:

Percent of Restricted Rental Units in the Project: 90%

90% (54 units) restricted to 50% or less of area median income households.

Unit Mix: Studio, 1 & 2 bedrooms

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:	\$	22,838,857
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Estimated Hard Costs per Unit: \$ 202,884 (\$12,375,898 /61 units including mgr. unit)

Estimated per Unit Cost: \$ 374,407 (\$22,838,857 /61 units including mgr. unit)

Allocation per Unit: \$ 199,180 (\$12,150,000 /61 units including mgr. unit)

Allocation per Restricted Rental Unit: \$ 225,000 (\$12,150,000 /54 restricted units)

Sources of Funds:	Construction		Permanent	
Tax-Exempt Bond Proceeds	\$	12,150,000	\$ 2,580,000	
Taxable Bond Proceeds	\$	0	\$ 4,250,000	
LIH Tax Credit Equity	\$	505,129	\$ 5,501,290	
Income from Operatons	\$	198,293	\$ 198,293	
Deferred Developer Fee	\$	229,274	\$ 229,274	
National Housing Corporation (NHC) Loan	\$	9,276,160	\$ 9,600,000	
Accrued Interest on NHC Loan	\$	480,000	\$ 480,000	
Total Sources	\$	22,838,856	\$ 22,838,857	

Uses of Funds:

Land Cost/Acquisition	\$ 2,180,000
New Construction	\$ 11,849,573
Contractor Overhead & Profit	\$ 526,325
Architectural Fees	\$ 893,900
Survey and Engineering	\$ 115,800
Construction Interest and Fees	\$ 1,690,289
Permanent Financing	\$ 25,000
Legal Fees	\$ 120,000
Reserves	\$ 300,000
Appraisal	\$ 12,500
Hard Cost Contingency	\$ 1,375,296
Other Project Costs	\$ 1,497,837
Developer Costs	\$ 2,252,337
Total Uses	\$ 22,838,857

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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 \$12,150,000 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
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
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	10
Service Amenities	10	10	10
New Construction or Substantial Renovation	10	10	10
Sustainable Building Methods	10	10	10
Forgone Eligible Developer Fee (Competitive Allocation Process Only)	10	10	10
Minimum Term of Restrictions (Competitive Allocation Process Only)	10	10	10
Negative Points (No Maximum)	-10	-10	0
Total Points	145	125	120