



Amended Affordable Housing Funding Recommendation

Developer	Archway Partners	
Development	pment Seminole Square Apartments	
Location	2075 Seminole Blvd., Largo, FL 33778	
Use of Penny IV Funds	Land Acquisition and Construction Costs	
Location (CRA, Transit)	Primary and Secondary Transit	
Mixed Use	No	
Estimated Construction Start	January 2023	

	Original Budget	Revised Budget	
Total Project	\$27,553,517.00	\$30,757,794.00	
Cost			
Per Unit Cost	\$287,016.00	\$320,393.69	
Penny IV	\$4,000,000.00	\$5,560,000.00	
Funds	(\$1.875M Land, \$2.125M Construction)	(\$1.875M Land, \$3.685M Construction)	
Requested			
Per Unit	\$41,667.00	\$57,916.67	
Subsidy			
Per	\$41,667.00	\$57,916.67	
Affordable			
Unit Subsidy			
County Funds	15%	18%	
as % of			
Project Cost			
Leverage	6.89	5.55	
Developer Fee	\$3,552,300.00 (Amount deferred-	\$3,552,300.00 (Amount deferred-	
	\$1,985,377.00)	\$1,910,633.00)	
Developer Fee	13%	11.5%	
as % of			
Project Cost			

Households Served – The development consists of 96 units that will serve families that have incomes in the following categories:

0-30% - 34 households 51-60% AMI - 11 households 61-80% AMI - 51 households

<u>Staff Recommendation</u> – HCD Staff recommend approval of the funding request for Seminole Square Apartments. Land value as indicated in an appraisal dated August 2020 prepared by Hemisphere Real Estate is \$3,500,000.00.

<u>Conditions</u> - Success in securing all funding sources, and satisfactory results from due diligence process, including review by a third party to verify all calculations and assumptions and confirm the need for subsidy funding to make the project feasible for the developer.

<u>Scoring</u> – The project scored 143 out of 220 available points. Strengths include non-competitive funding commitments from 4% tax credit equity, JP Morgan private lending, and Local Government Support from the City of Largo, project location, and the proposed incomes to be served.

<u>Narrative</u> – Seminole Square Apartments is a new construction 96-unit, garden-style, affordable housing community located at 2075 Seminole Boulevard in Largo, FL. The project will consist of 48 1-bedroom/1-bathroom units and 48 2-bedroom/2-bathroom units. This development will serve residents at or below three income levels: 30%, 60%, and 80% of the Area Median Income (AMI). Eight units will be reserved specifically for veterans.

Source	Amount	Use	Status
Raymond James 4%	\$ 12,212,161.00	Construction/Permanent	LOI
Tax Credit Equity		Financing	
Citibank Permanent	\$ 9,625,000.00	Permanent Financing	LOI
1 st Mortgage			
City of Largo	\$ 1,450,000.00	Construction	Committed
Deferred Developer	\$ 1,910,633.00	Construction	Committed
Fee			
Pinellas County Penny	\$ 5,560,000.00	Land Acquisition &	Requested
IV		Construction	
Total Cost	\$30,757,794.00		

Financing

