

Affordable Housing Funding Recommendation

Developer	Blue Sky Communities, LLC	
Development	Skyway Lofts 2	
Location	3800 34th Street S., St Petersburg	
Total Project Cost	\$22,998,407.00	
Per Unit Cost	\$348,461.00	
County Funds Requested	\$3,400,000.00	
Per Unit County Subsidy	\$51,515.00	
Other Local Government Funds	\$6,500,000.00 (City of St Pete)	
Total Per Unit Local Gov. Subsidy	\$150,000.00 (County+ City)	
Per Affordable Unit Subsidy	\$150,000.00	
County Funds as % of Project Cost	15%	
Leverage	6.76	
Developer Fee	\$3,143,758.00 (Amount deferred- \$264,387.00)	
Developer Fee as % of Project Cost	: 14%	
Total Units/Assisted Units	66/66	
Percent of Assisted to Total Units	100%	
Use of County Funds	Land Acquisition (\$2M) and Construction (\$1.4M)	
Location (CRA, Transit)	Primary Transit Corridor, CRA	
Mixed Use	No	
Estimated Construction Start	May 2023	

<u>Households Served</u> – The development consists of 66 units that will serve families that have incomes in the following categories:

At or below 30% - 12 households 51-60% - 38 households 61-80% - 16 households

<u>Staff Recommendation</u> – Recommend Approval of the requested funding.

<u>Conditions</u> - Success in securing all funding sources, City of St Petersburg approval of the site plan, and satisfactory results from due diligence process.

<u>Scoring</u> – The project scored 143 out of 220 available points. Strengths include non-competitive funding sources, project location on a primary transit corridor and within a CRA, and the proposed incomes to be served.

<u>Narrative</u> – Skyway Lofts 2 is new construction of a 66-unit apartment community. The project will be funded with 4% Housing Credits financing, with major subordinate funding to be provided by City of St. Petersburg ARPA funds. Skyway Lofts phase 1 is a 9% Housing Credits development adjacent to this Phase 2 project, which is intended to have the same architecture and share property management.

Financing

Source	Amount	Use	Status
HFA Multi-Family	\$3,300,000.00	Construction	Pending
Bonds			
4% Tax Credit Equity	\$ 9,534,020.00	Construction/Permanent	Pending
		Financing	
St. Petersburg ARPA	\$ 6,500,000.00	Construction	Approved
County Funding	\$ 3,400,000.00	Land	Requested
		Acquisition/Construction	
Deferred Dev Fee	\$ 264,387.00	Construction	Confirmed
Total	\$ 22,998,407.00		

