Substantial Recapitalization Plan for Independence Plaza & China Clipper

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Agenda Item 5.C





Renovation Scopes

Staff created the following three scopes of work for the renovations at IP & CC:

- 1. Life-Safety Scope
- 2. Minimum Scope
- 3. Syndication Scope







Funding Renovations

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- 1. Existing Property Reserves
- 2. Mortgage Refinance
- 3. Tax Credit Syndication
- 4. Preservation Funds from the AHA Reserve Policy
- 5. Defer Renovations







Funding Renovations, 2

For Mortgage Refinance & Tax Credit Syndication, staff evaluated financing scenarios using:

- a. Reducing Expenses
- **b.** Increasing Property Income
- c. Combination of Reducing Expenses and Increasing Income





Funding Renovations, 3

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Funding Renovations, 4

AHA Reserve Policy

- Established in Oct. 2021, for the next five years
- Funded by AHA's net income
- Three category of funds:
 - 1. Operating Reserve
 - 2. Preservation Fund
 - 3. Production Fund







Staff Considerations

Pending analysis on Esperanza Apartments, there are a couple of paths forward:

- Implement renovations at all three properties, with a \$5 M spending cap.
- Prioritize China Clipper's minimum scope, with a portion of funds going towards critical scope items at IP and Esperanza. Staff propose a \$5 M spending cap.

*Either strategy would be funded through the Preservation funds from the AHA Reserve Policy.





Next Steps

- 1. Consult with auditors regarding the potential to structure funds as a soft loan, by February 2023;
- 2. Evaluate Esperanza's construction scope and financing opportunities by February 2023;
- 3. Creation of rehabilitation and acquisition ad hoc committee in February 2023;
- 4. Procure seismic evaluations for portfolio by mid-2023;
- 5. Evaluate the tax increment operating subsidy potentially available to IP by mid-2023; and
- 6. Present proposed timeline and estimated costs for IP, CC, & Esperanza and impacts to the available Reserve Policy funds in August 2023.





Questions/Comments?



