

San Diego Housing Commission (SDHC) Application for State of California Department of Housing and Community Development Local Housing Trust Fund (LHTF)

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Introduction

- July 9, 2024: The California Department of Housing and Community Development released a Notice of Funding Availability (NOFA) for the Local Housing Trust Fund (LHTF) Program.
- San Diego City Council action December 15, 2008, authorizes SDHC to submit applications to the State for any LHTF NOFAs the state issues.
- Awarded funds can be used to provide loans to pay for construction or rehabilitation of:
 - Affordable rental housing projects
 - Emergency shelters
 - Permanent supportive housing
 - Transitional housing
 - Homebuyer/homeowner projects, including accessory dwelling units (ADUs) or junior ADUs
- If funds are awarded to SDHC, \$5 million in matching State grant funds would be available for eligible projects in the City of San Diego.
 - Anticipated to be used to develop multifamily affordable rental housing or permanent supportive housing for City of San Diego households with income from 30 percent to 60 percent of Area Median Income.





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Description	AMI Level
 Kindred Apartments: 125 units affordable at 30-60% of AMI and one unrestricted manager's unit March 15, 2024: SDHC Board approved SDHC loan 	63 units @ 30% AMI 22 units @ 40% AMI 12 units @ 50% AMI 28 units @ 60% AMI 1 unrestricted manager
 Navajo Family Apartments: 44 units affordable at 30-60% of AMI and one unrestricted manager's unit June 10, 2022: SDHC Board approved SDHC loan 	8 units @ 30% AMI 2 units @ 50% AMI 34 units @ 60% AMI 1 unrestricted manager
 Hillcrest Hall: 97 units affordable at 30-60% of AMI and one unrestricted manager's unit June 21, 2024: SDHC Board approved SDHC loan 	31 units @ 30% AMI 11 units @ 50% AMI 55 units @ 60% AMI 1 unrestricted manager





SDHC – LHTF Application Fiscal Considerations

- Approval will increase Fiscal Year 2025 funding sources and uses available by \$5 million if the application is awarded.
- Administrative expenses related to the execution of eligible activities may not exceed 5 percent of Program Funds.
- Funding sources approved by this action will be as follows:
 - State Local Housing Trust Funds up to \$5,000,000
- Funding uses approved by this action will be as follows:
 - Affordable Rental Housing Development and Administration up to \$5,000,000





SDHC – LHTF Application Staff Recommendations

That the SDHC Board of Commissioners take the following actions:

- 1) Authorize and direct SDHC to submit an application on behalf of the City of San Diego to the State of California Department of Housing and Community Development (Department) Local Housing Trust Fund Program for grant funds in an amount up to \$5 million in accordance with the July 9, 2024, Notice of Funding Availability (NOFA).
- 2) If the application is approved, authorize Lisa Jones, SDHC's President and Chief Executive Officer (President and CEO), or designee, to commit \$5 million in matching funds on a dollar-for-dollar basis from the City of San Diego (City) Affordable Housing Fund, as required by the Department's NOFA, and execute and deliver a Standard Agreement as required.
- 3) Authorize SDHC's President and CEO, or designee, to amend the list of eligible projects in Attachment 1, if necessary.
- 4) Authorize SDHC's President and CEO, or designee, to execute any and all documents and instruments that are necessary and/or appropriate to implement these approvals, in a form approved by General Counsel, and to take such actions as are necessary and/or appropriate to implement these approvals.





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Questions & Comments

