# HDP EXIT FROM THE ISLAND VILLAGE PARTNERSHIP

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# Island Village Partnership Exit Summary

- Affordable rental housing development at 1245 Market St., San Diego, 92101, for households with low income.
  - 281 residential units with rents restricted between 50% to 60% of AMI.
  - Originally developed in 2004 with tax-exempt bonds, low-income housing tax credits, and loans from various governmental entities, including the San Diego Housing Commission (SDHC) and California Housing Finance Agency (CalHFA).
- Island Village initially included a tax credit investment partner, which exited the partnership in 2015 after receiving the benefit of tax credits awarded to the project.



#### Island Village Partnership Exit Site Photo





### Island Village Partnership Exit Compliance and Partnership

- SDHC monitors compliance with the DCC&Rs and Tax-Exempt Bond Regulatory Agreement.
- CalHFA and the California Tax Credit Allocation Committee monitor compliance with their respective agreements.
- In 2015, HDP formed HDP Island Village LLC, a California limited liability company, to act as the managing general partner for a new limited partnership, East Village West LP, to acquire and operate Island Village in accordance with the deed restrictions.
- East Village West LP admitted three family trusts as limited investment partners and East Village West, LLC, as a co-general partner.



#### Island Village Partnership Exit Ownership Structure

 In 2022, one limited partner divided its interest among four family trusts in accordance with the Limited Partnership Agreement (LPA), resulting in the current ownership structure below:

| Name  | Partnership Interest |
|---|----------------------|
| GENERAL PARTNERS:   |                      |
| East Village West LLC   | 0.06%                |
| HDP Island Village LLC  | 0.04%                |
| LIMITED PARTNERS:   |                      |
| Jonathan Roper and Ugne Skripkus Roper, as Trustees of the      | 0.10%                |
| Roper Living Trust dated February 24, 2012                      |                      |
| Birch Trust dated September 16, 2022                            | 39.80%               |
| Paulius Kudirka and Victoria Kudirka, as Trustees of the P. and | 0.10%                |
| V. Revocable Living Trust dated May 21, 2009                    |                      |
| Amber VJ Irrevocable Trust, dated September 7, 2022             | 19.90%               |
| Hal Gregory Kuykendall and Denise Lynette Kuykendall, as        | 20.00%               |
| Trustees of the Kuykendall Family Trust dated May 8, 1998       |                      |
| David Stapleton, as Trustee of the Stapleton Family Trust       | 20.00%               |
| dated September 16, 2015  |                      |
| Total:  | 100.00%              |

### Island Village Partnership Exit Managing General Partner

- As the Managing General partner, HDP Island Village, LLC, receives an annual fee of \$30,000 to perform the following duties:
  - Monitor compliance with government regulations.
  - Obtain annual property tax welfare exemptions.
  - Participate in and execute partnership management major decisions, which are determined by general partners' vote based on percentage ownership interest.
- The annual Asset Management fee offsets all HDP costs associated with this property's Asset Management, Financial and Legal oversight.
- Significant staff time and legal resources are allocated to this asset.



### Island Village Partnership Exit HDP Oversight Obligations

- Island Village is in HDP's real estate portfolio but has a unique ownership and financial structure from typical HDP partnerships.
  - Investment partners do not receive any tax credits and have the authority to obtain supplemental financing with no remaining government agency loans.
- The investment partner's return on investment is cash flow distributions, which may include proceeds from supplemental financing.
- No requirement for an annual financial audit by a third-party auditor.
- HDP primarily meets its oversight and monitoring obligations through third-party audits.



# Island Village Partnership Exit HDP Oversight Obligations (Continued)

- HDP would have to incur audit expense if one is conducted, anticipated to exceed the annual fee HDP receives.
- Major partnership decisions are decided by a General Partner vote based on partnership interest, and so controlled by the co-General Partner, East Village West, LLC.
- Major decisions defined in the Limited Partnership Agreement include determining excess cash distributions, borrowing money, refinancing, and modifying any deed restrictions.



#### Island Village Partnership Exit Affordable Housing Status

- The property is well-maintained, secured with strong occupancy.
- Royal Management, the third-party property management company, oversees the daily operations at Island Village.
- All 281 units at Island Village will continue to operate as affordable housing through December 21, 2060.
- SDHC's Compliance and Monitoring department will continue to monitor the project for the compliance of the terms of the deed restrictions.



#### Island Village Partnership Exit Partnership Expiration

- The limited partnership agreement expires in 2064.
  - Upon expiration, the co-General Partner controls partnership assets through liquidation.
  - Net proceeds after debt repayment are distributed to partners based on ownership interest.
- HDP's 0.04% interest equates to \$400 for every \$1,000,000 of net profit.
- The absence of an audit requirement on financial statements and the limited authority of HDP Island Village, LLC as a managing general partner present significant challenges for HDP in overseeing this asset.



#### Island Village Partnership Exit HDP Oversight Limitations

- HDP's oversight is restricted to property site inspections, reviewing the financial reports as provided, and conducting the annual welfare exemption paperwork.
- HDP lacks the ability to influence the future directions of the property and partnership.
- HDP would be assigning their partnership interest to a replacement nonprofit at HDP's sole discretion, with a planned exit date of December 31, 2024.
- Recruitment of a local nonprofit housing and homelessness service providers who currently support tenants at the property as the substitute nonprofit partner.
- Such a partnership will benefit the property by enhancing the service provider's involvement.



#### Island Village Partnership Exit Fiscal Considerations

- Approval of this action will reduce the Asset Management fees collected by \$30,000.
- Approval of this action will reduce the associated Asset Management, Fiscal and Legal costs associated with the oversight and monitoring of this property.



#### Island Village Partnership Exit Staff Recommendations

That the Housing Development Partners (HDP) Board of Directors (Board) take the following actions:

- 1. Approve HDP's exit from the Island Village Partnership.
- 2. Find that the foregoing action just and reasonable as to HDP for purposes of California Corporations Code Section 5234.



#### Island Village Partnership Exit

# **Questions/Comments**



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