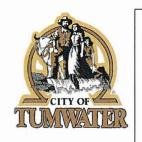
Exhibit "A"



CITY OF TUMWATER

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TAX EXEMPTION ON MULTI-FAMILY UNITS
WITHIN A DESIGNATED RESIDENTIAL
TARGET AREA

APPLICATION FOR A CONDITIONAL CERTIFICATE

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LEGAL OWNER: Fourth Street Housing, LLC	Email:				
Mailing Address PO Box 159 Arlington WA 98223	Phone: (360) 239-5971				
APPLICANT: Glenn Wells	Same as above				
Mailing Address 324 West Bay Dr ste 214 Olympia WA 98502	Phone: () 239-5971				
AGENT: NA	Email:				
Mailing Address	Phone: ()				
PROJECT INFORMATION PROPERTY ADDRESS: 1450 Odegard Rd SW PARCEL #: 12703240100 PROJECT NAME: The LEGAL DESCRIPTION: See attached	Kingswood				
RESIDENTIAL TARGET AREA WHERE PROJECT WILL BE I 8 OR 12 YEAR TAX CREDIT: BREWERY DIST	EVARD CORRIDOR				
12 YEAR TAX CREDIT ONLY: □ TUMWATER TOWN	WN CENTER				
□ LITTLEROCK RO	DAD SUBAREA				
INTEREST IN PROPERTY: FEE SIMPLE CONTRA	ACT PURCHASE OTHER				
DESCRIPTION OF THE PROJECT, INCLUDING USES OF ALL PROPOSED BUILDING AND ON- SITE AMENITIES: New 5 story, 181 residential units with 199 surface parking stalls and 12 street stalls. There is 27,200 SF of active and passive open space, which includes a					
rooftop garden terrace, fitness room, lounge, sports court and BBQ area.					
TOTAL NUMBER OF DWELLING UNITS PROPOSED: 181					
	XISTING OCCUPIED: 0				
** IF EXISTING UNITS ARE VACANT, DATE LAST OCCUPIED: ** AFFIDAVIT OF VACANCY MUST BE ATTACHED**					
TERM OF TAX EXEMPTION REQUESTED: 8 YEAR TAX CREDIT OR 12 YEAR TAX CREDIT					
NUMBER OF UNITS FOR WHICH A TAX EXEMPTION IS REQUESTED: 37					

EXPECTED START DATE: 1/15/23						
EXPECTED COMPLETION DATE: 12/15/24			· · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · ·			
TYPE OF PROJECT: □ NEW CONSTRUCTION		ERSION OF	EXISTIN	G STRUC		
☐ REHABILITATION OF MULTIFAMIL	YSTRUCT	URE				
IF THE PROJECT IS TO REHABILITATE EXIS	TING UNI	rs, how L	ONG HAV	E THE UN	ITS BEEN	
VACANT:						
COMPLETE THE FOLLOWING TABLE:						
PROPOSED DWELLING UNITS	STUDIO	1-BR	2-BR	3-BR+	TOTAL UNITS	
NUMBER OF INCOME-RESTRICTED UNITS	19	14	4	0	37	
NUMBER OF MARKET-RATE UNITS	62	63	19	0	144	
AVERAGE MONTHLY RENT (INCOMERESTRICTED)	1650	1850	2100	0		
AVERAGE MONTHLY RENT (MARKET-RATE)	1750	1950	2250	0		
AVERAGE UNIT SIZE (SF)	511	614	863			
DEVELOPMENT COST PER UNIT	114,970	138,15 <i>©</i>	194,180			
NUMBER OF UNITS VACANT FOR 12 MONTHS OR MORE*	NA		-			
NUMBER OF UNITS THAT ARE CURRENTLY OCCUPIED*	NA				•	
* COMPLETE IF APPLICANT WILL REHABILITATE EXISTING UNITS						
TOTAL SITE AREA: 114,044 PROPOSED DENSITY: 69 units/acre						
PERCENTAGE OF SPACE FOR PERMANENT RESIDENTIAL HOUSING: 0						
NON-RESIDENTIAL FLOOR AREA: 0						
DESCRIBE BUILDING USE AND SQUARE FEE			ACH USE:			
100% residential units and tenant amenities and building infrastructure						
PROJECTED COST OF CONSTRUCTION / REHABILITATION: \$28,000,000						
PROPERTY ACQUISITION COST \$ 1,600,000						
ESTIMATED TOTAL PROJECT COST: \$ 32,000,000						
SOURCE OF COST ESTIMATE: Previous projects and inflation allowances						
EXPECTED DATE TO START PROJECT: 1/15/23						
PROPOSED COMPLETION DATE: 12/15/24						
FOR PROJECTS SEEKING A 12-YEAR EXEMPTION OR ANY PROGRAM WITH AFFORDABILITY REQUIREMENTS, COMPLETE THE FOLLOWING TABLE:						

PROPOSED DWELLING UNITS	STUDIO	1-BR	2-BR	3-BR+	TOTAL UNITS
NUMBER OF INCOME-RESTRICTED UNITS	19	14	4	0	37
NUMBER OF UNITS AT OR BELOW 80% AMI (LOW-INCOME)	0	0	0	0	
AVERAGE RENT FOR LOW-INCOME UNITS	0	0	0	0 .	
NUMBER OF UNITS AT OR BELOW 115% AMI (MODERATE-INCOME)	19	14	4	0	37
AVERAGE RENT FOR MODERATE-INCOME UNITS	1650	1850	2100	0	

STATEMENT OF POTENTIAL TAX LIABILITY

AS OWNER OF THE LAND DESCRIBED IN THIS APPLICATION, I HEREBY INDICATE BY MY SIGNATURE THAT I AM AWARE OF THE ADDITIONAL TAX LIABILITY IF AND WHEN THE PROPERTY CEASES TO BE ELIGIBLE FOR EXEMPTION. I AM AWARE THAT THE TAX EXEMPTION MUST BE CANCELLED IF THE PROPERTY IS CONVERTED FROM MULTIFAMILY TO ANOTHER USE. I AM AWARE THAT IF I DECIDE TO CONVERT THE MULTIFAMILY HOUSING TO ANOTHER USE OR INTEND TO DISCONTINUE COMPLIANCE WITH THE AFFORDABLE HOUSING REQUIREMENTS, I MUST NOTIFY THE CITY COMMUNITY DEVELOPMENT DEPARTMENT AND THE COUNTY ASSESSOR WITHIN 60 DAYS OF THE CHANGE IN USE OR INTENDED DISCONTINUANCE.

OWNER SIGNATURE:	Al Ch

DATE: 11-9-22

AFFIRMATION

AS TAXPAYER(S) OF THE LAND DESCRIBED IN THIS APPLICATION, I HEREBY INDICATE BY MY SIGNATURE THAT I AM AWARE THAT THE EXEMPTION DOES NOT BEGIN UNTIL AFTER THE PROJECT IS COMPLETE AND I HAVE APPLIED FOR A FINAL CERTIFICATE OF EXEMPTION. I DECLARE UNDER PENALTY OF PERJURY UNDER THE LAWS OF THE STATE OF WASHINGTON THAT THIS APPLICATION AND ANY ACCOMPANYING DOCUMENTS HAVE BEEN EXAMINED BY ME AND THAT THEY ARE TRUE, CORRECT, AND COMPLETE TO THE BEST OF MY KNOWLEDGE.

OWNER SIGNATURE:	Colm	Less	

DATE: 11-9-22

IF APPLYING FOR A 12-YEAR CREDIT, PLEASE ATTACH A STATEMENT ADDRESSING THE FOLLOWING QUESTIONS:

- 1. Total number of units being proposed
- 2. Estimated rent per unit
- 3. Number of units rented to low or moderate income households (or other households)
- 4. Estimated income of those households
- 5. Method for insuring program compliance over the period of the exemption

A COMPLETE APPLICATION SHALL INCLUDE:

- 1. A completed City of Tumwater application setting forth the grounds for the exemption;
- 2. Preliminary floor and site plans of proposed project;

- 3. A statement acknowledging the potential tax liability when the project ceases to be eligible under this chapter:
- 4. Verification by oath or affirmation of the information submitted:
- 5. If the project is to rehabilitate existing units and if the units are occupied, provide a statement of how will the applicant provide existing tenants with relocation assistance;
- 6. If mixed use project, provide detail on residential and non-residential parking area.

For rehabilitation projects, the applicant shall also submit an affidavit that existing dwelling units have been unoccupied for a period of twelve months prior to filing the application and shall secure from the City verification of property noncompliance with the City's applicable building or housing codes.

Before application approval, the applicant shall enter into a contract with the City, approved by the City Council, regarding the terms and conditions of the project. After City Council approval of the contract, and Director of Community Development approval of the application, the Director shall issue a conditional Certificate of Acceptance of Tax Exemption. The Conditional Certificate expires three years from the date of approval unless an extension is granted as provided in this chapter."

SUMMARY OF PROCESS STEPS

- 1. **Pre-application meeting:** A meeting with staff to discuss the process and criteria is recommended prior to application.
- 2. **Application:** Complete the attached application and submit the applicable materials listed on the form along with the required filing fee. The application must be submitted prior to applying for a building permit.

3. Review process:

- a. The Community Development Department reviews the application and within 90 days determines whether it is consistent with the program criteria.
- b. If the proposal is found to be consistent, the Community Development Department Director may certify the project as eligible for the tax exemption. The applicant shall then enter into a contract with the City regarding the terms and conditions of the project.
- c. Upon approval of the contract by Community Development Department Director, the Director issues a Conditional Certificate of Tax Exemption. The Conditional Certificate expires three years from the date of approval unless an extension is granted.
- d. If the Community Development Department Director denies the eligibility for tax exemption, the applicant may file an appeal within 30 days of receipt of notice. The City Council decides the appeal.
- 4. **Application for final certificate:** Upon completion of the improvements agreed upon in the contract between the applicant and the City and upon issuance of a temporary or permanent certificate of occupancy, the applicant may request a Final Certificate of Tax Exemption. The applicant must file with the Community Development Department the following:
 - a. A statement of expenditures made with respect to each multifamily housing unit and the total expenditures made with respect to the entire property.
 - b. A description of the completed work with evidence of final City inspection of all work completed and a statement of qualification for the exemption.
 - c. A statement that the work was completed within the required three-year period or any authorized extension.
 - d. If applicable, a statement that the project meets the affordability requirements.
 - e. Other requirements, if applicable
 - f. Within 30 days of receipt of all materials required for the Final Certificate, the Community Development Department Director determines whether the project has been completed in accordance with the contract.

5. Issuance of final certificate.

- a. If approved, the Community Development Department Director files a Final Certificate of Exemption with the county assessor.
- b. If denied, within fourteen calendar days of receipt of the director's denial of a final certificate, the applicant may file an appeal with the City's hearing examiner, as provided in TMC Chapter 2.58.
- 6. **Annual compliance review.** Within thirty calendar days after the first anniversary of the date of filing the final certificate of tax exemption and each year thereafter for the tax exemption period, the

property owner shall file a notarized declaration with the director indicating the following:

- a. A statement of occupancy and vacancy of the multifamily units during the previous year;
- b. A certification that the property continues to be in compliance with the contract with the City and this chapter and, if applicable, that the property has been in compliance with the affordable housing requirements as described in RCW 84.14.020 since the date of the approved certificate;
- c. A description of any subsequent improvements or changes to the property; and
- d. Any additional information requested by the City in regards to the units receiving a tax exemption.
- e. City staff may also conduct on-site verification of the declaration.
- f. Failure to submit the annual declaration shall result in a review of the exemption per TMC 3.30.120.

PROJECT ELIGIBILITY CHECKLIST

The proposed project:

- Is in a designated residential targeted area.
- Does not displace any existing residential tenants from the property proposed for development without providing residents with comparable housing and opportunities to relocate.
- Is a multi-family or mixed-use project, which is at minimum 50% housing and provides at minimum four (4) new dwelling units.
- Will be completed within three years from the effective date of the City Council approved Conditional Contract of Tax Exemption, with the possibility of an extension under the ordinance.

(FOR CI	TY USE)
☐ Building is in a Multi-Family Tax Exemption Tar	get Areas
☐ Building is not in compliance with the City's Min	imum Housing Code
☐ Required Preliminary Plans are attached: ☐	Plans 🗆 Site Plan 🗆 Floor Plan
\square \$100 application fee received	
I certify under penalty of perjury that the information of knowledge, and further, that I am the owner of this prowork for which this permit application is made. I furth any claim (including costs, expenses, and attorney fees which may be made by any person, including the under extent such claim arises out of the reliance of the City, of the information supplied to the City as part of this applications.	operty or am authorized by the owner to perform the ler agree to hold harmless, the City of Tumwater as to incurred in investigation and defense of such claim), resigned, and filed against the City of Tumwater, to the including its officers and employees, upon the accuracy
Signature of Owner	Date
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Print Name Signature of Applicant/Agent	11-7-22 Date
Print Name	

THE KINGSWOOD 12 YEAR TAX EXEMPTION NARRATIVE

November 7, 2022

The Kingswood is a five-story, 181 unit apartment building located at 1450 Odegard Road SW. The unit mix is as follows:

(23) 2 bedroom/2bath

(77) 1 bedroom

(81) Studios

Total: 181 residential units

The estimated average rents including utilities (PSE power, water, hot water, sewer and garbage) are as follows:

2 bedroom unit: \$2,100 (81% of median income for 4 persons).

1 bedroom unit: \$1,850 (89% of median income for 2 persons).

Studios: \$1,650 (91% of median income for 1 person).

The 2022 HUD Thurston County median income and rent estimates including utilities:

Family of 4: $$103,300 \times .3 = $30,990/12 = $2,582$

Family of 2: $$82,851 \times .3 = $24,855/12 = $2,071$

Family of 1: $$72,463 \times .3 = $21,739/12 = $1,812$

Estimated income of households assuming 30% of income including utilities:

2 bedroom unit: $$103,300 \times .81 = $83,673$

1 bedroom unit: $$82,851 \times .89 = $74,469$

Studio: \$72,463 x .91 = \$65,941

Estimated income of households based on 3 times rent w/o utilities:

2 bedroom: $$1,950 \times 3 = $5,850/month$ 1 bedroom: $$1,700 \times 3 = $5,100/month$

Studio: $$1,500 \times 3 = $4,500/month$

The property manager will ensure compliance by tracking the following information on the targeted units:

Affordability limit (%)

Size of family

Family income

The Owner acknowledges that noncompliance with this program would result in a property tax liability and hereby commits to conform to all aspects of RCW 84.14.010 as it pertains to the 12-year tax exemption program.

It is anticipated that construction will commence at the first of the year, 2023. The applicant will fully comply with the City of Tumwater's Multifamily Housing Limited Property Tax Exemption Agreement stated in 3.30 TMC, including the yearly notarized declarations stating occupancy and vacancy, a certificate that the site continues to be in compliance, a description of any subsequent improvements or changes to the site, the income of each renter and any additional information requested by the city.