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City of Austin

Recommendation for Action

File #: 20-3125, Agenda Item #: 35.

10/1/2020

Posting Language

Set a public hearing related to an application by Springdale Manor Apartments, LP, or an affiliated entity, for housing tax credits for a multi-family development that will be financed through the private activity bond program to be known as Springdale Manor Apartments, located at or near 7601 Springdale Road, Austin, Texas, 78724, within the City. (Suggested date: Thursday, October 15, 2020, Austin City Hall, 301 W. Second Street, Austin, Texas)

Lead Department

Neighborhood Housing and Community Development.

Fiscal Note

This item has no fiscal impact.

For More Information:

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Additional Backup Information:

This action sets a public hearing to receive public comment on an application that will be (or has been) submitted to the Texas Department of Housing and Community Affairs (TDHCA). The Applicant, Springdale Manor Apartments, LP, or an affiliated entity, seeks funding for the Development through 4% Low Income Housing Tax Credits (LIHTC) and private activity bonds. After the public hearing, Council will consider a resolution of support for the proposed development. The property is located within City Council District 1.

Proposed Development

Springdale Manor Apartments, LP, which is an affiliate of parent company Journeyman Group, plans to develop a 186 unit multi-family development to be located at 7601 Springdale Road, Austin, Texas, 78724. The community will be affordable to households earning at or below 80% of the Austin Median Family Income (MFI). The development is proposed to be partially funded with 4% Low Income Housing Tax Credits and tax-exempt bonds issued by Travis County Housing Finance Corporation (TCHFC). An affiliate of TCHFC will be the General Partner of the Development's Partnership, thereby allowing for a full property tax exemption. No funding from the Austin Housing Finance Corporation is being requested.

The proposed development's application to the City, as well as socioeconomic characteristics and amenities in the surrounding area, may be found at

https://austintexas.gov/department/low-income-housing-tax-credit-4-percent-applications.