# TEXAS DEPARTMENT OF HOUSING AND COMMUNITY AFFAIRS GOVERNING BOARD MEETING

# A G E N D A 10:00 AM December 8, 2022

Capitol Extension, Hearing Room E2.030 1100 Congress Ave Austin, Texas 78701

CALL TO ORDER ROLL CALL CERTIFICATION OF QUORUM

Pledge of Allegiance - I pledge allegiance to the flag of the United States of America, and to the republic for which it stands, one nation under God, indivisible, with liberty and justice for all.

Texas Allegiance - Honor the Texas flag; I pledge allegiance to thee, Texas, one state under God, one and indivisible.

Resolution recognizing December 21, 2022, as National Homeless Persons' Memorial Day

# CONSENT AGENDA

Items on the Consent Agenda may be removed at the request of any Board member and considered at another appropriate time on this agenda. Placement on the Consent Agenda does not limit the possibility of any presentation, discussion or approval at this meeting. Under no circumstances does the Consent Agenda alter any requirements under Chapter 551 of the Tex. Gov't Code, Texas Open Meetings Act. Action may be taken on any item on this agenda, regardless of how designated.

# ITEM 1: APPROVAL OF THE FOLLOWING ITEMS PRESENTED IN THE BOARD MATERIALS: EXECUTIVE

a) Presentation, discussion, and possible action on the Board meeting minutes summary for November 10, 2022

# ASSET MANAGEMENT

b) Presentation, discussion, and possible action regarding a Material Amendment to the Housing Tax Credit Application for Austin Colorado Creek Apartments (HTC #15423)

# MULTIFAMILY BOND FINANCE

- c) Presentation, discussion, and possible action on Inducement Resolution No. 23-011 for Multifamily Housing Revenue Bonds regarding authorization for filing applications for private activity bond authority for Aspen Park (#22623)
- d) Presentation, discussion, and possible action regarding the Issuance of Multifamily Housing Revenue Bonds (Palladium Oak Grove) Series 2022 Resolution No. 23-012, and a Determination Notice of Housing Tax Credits

This will be an open, public meeting conducted under Tex. Gov't Code, chapter 551, without COVID-19 emergency waivers. There will not be a remote online or telephone option for public participation. The meeting, however, will be streamed online for public viewing. Masks will be available for members of the public who wish to attend this public meeting.

Beau Eccles Board Secretary

Rosalio Banuelos Director of Asset Management

Teresa Morales Director of Multifamily Bond

Leo Vasquez, Chair

e) Presentation, discussion, and possible action on Inducement Resolution No. 23-013 for Multifamily Housing Revenue Bonds regarding authorization for filing applications for private activity bond authority for Corona Del Valle (21600) and Socorro Village (22604)

# COMMUNITY AFFAIRS

- f) Presentation, discussion, and possible action regarding authorization to release a Notice of Funding Availability for 2023 Community Services Block Grant Discretionary funds for education and employment initiatives for Native American and migrant seasonal farm worker populations
  - RULES
- g) Presentation, discussion, and possible action on adoption of amendments to 10 TAC Chapter 6, Community Affairs Programs, Subchapter B Community Services Block Grant, §6.201 Background and Definitions; §6.206 Strategic Plan, Community Assessment, and Community Action Plan; §6.207 Subrecipient Requirements; Subchapter C Comprehensive Energy Assistance Program, §6.304 Deobligation and Reobligation of CEAP Funds; §6.307 Subrecipient Requirements for Customer Eligibility Criteria, Provision of Services, and Establishing Priority for Eligible Households; §6.308 Allowable Subrecipient Administrative and Program Services Costs; §6.309 Types of Assistance and Benefit Levels; §6.310 Crisis Assistance Component; §6.311 Utility Assistance Component; §6.312 Payments to Subcontractors and Vendors; Subchapter D Weatherization Assistance Program, §6.402 Purpose and Goals; §6.403 Definitions; §6.406 Subrecipient Requirements for Establishing Household Eligibility and Priority Criteria; §6.407 Program Requirements; §6.408 Department of Energy Weatherization Requirements; §6.414 Eligibility for Multifamily Dwelling Units and Shelters; §6.416 Whole House Assessment; §6.417 Blower Door Standards; and directing that they be published for adoption in the *Texas Register*

# MULTIFAMILY FINANCE

 h) Presentation, discussion, and possible action on multiple requests for return and reallocation of tax credits under 10 TAC §11.6(5) related to Credit Returns Resulting from Force Majeure Events for Applications awarded in the 2021 competitive 9% tax credit round

# CONSENT AGENDA REPORT ITEMS

# ITEM 2: THE BOARD ACCEPTS THE FOLLOWING REPORTS:

- a) Media Analysis and Outreach Report, October 2022
- b) Report on TDHCA One-Time or Temporary Allocations Pandemic Response and Other Initiatives
- c) Report on the Draft Computation of Housing Finance Division Total and Unencumbered Fund Balances and Transfers to the Housing Trust Fund

# **ACTION ITEMS**

Executive Session: the Chair may call an Executive Session at this point in the agenda in accordance with the below-cited provisions<sup>1</sup> ITEM 3: EXECUTIVE

Executive Director's Report

Michael De Young Director of Community Affairs

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Cody Campbell Director of Multifamily Programs

# Michael Lyttle

Director of External Affairs Brooke Boston Deputy Director of Programs Joe Guevara Interim Director of Administration

> Leo Vasquez Chair

**Bobby Wilkinson** Executive Director, TDHCA

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>1</sup> Note: the Chair is not restricted by this item, and may call for an Executive Session at any time during the posted meeting.

# **ITEM 4: INTERNAL AUDIT**

- a) Report on the Meeting of the Audit and Finance Committee and Action on recommendations of that committee
- b) Presentation, discussion, and possible approval of the Annual Internal Audit Plan for Fiscal Year 2023

# ITEM 5: HOME AMERICAN RESCUE PLAN

Presentation, discussion, and possible action to authorize the issuance of the 2023-2 HOME American Rescue Plan Rental Development Notice of Funding Availability and publication in the *Texas Register* 

# ITEM 6: HOUSING RESOURCE CENTER

Presentation, discussion, and possible action on the draft 2023 State of Texas Low Income Housing Plan and Annual Report; proposed repeal of 10 TAC Chapter 1, Subchapter A, General Policies and Procedures, §1.23 concerning State of Texas Low Income Housing Plan and Annual Report; proposed new 10 TAC Chapter 1, Subchapter A, General Policies and Procedures, §1.23 concerning State of Texas Low Income Housing Plan and Annual Report; and directing their publication for public comment in the *Texas Register* 

# ITEM 7: COMMUNITY AFFAIRS

Report on the allocation of Program Year 2023 Community Services Block Grant awards

# ITEM 8: MULTIFAMILY BOND FINANCE

Quarterly report relating to staff-issued Determination Notices for 2022 Noncompetitive 4% Housing Tax Credit applications

# **ITEM 9: MULTIFAMILY FINANCE**

- a) Presentation, discussion, and possible action on an order adopting the repeal of 10 TAC Chapter 13, Multifamily Direct Loan Rule, and an order adopting the new 10 TAC Chapter 13, Multifamily Direct Loan Rule, and directing its publication in the Texas Register for adoption
- b) Presentation, discussion, and possible action regarding the approval for publication in the Texas Register of the 2023-1 Multifamily Direct Loan Notice of Funding Availability
- c) Presentation, discussion, and possible action on the adoption of the 2023 Multifamily Programs Application Procedures Manual

# PUBLIC COMMENT ON MATTERS OTHER THAN ITEMS FOR WHICH THERE WERE POSTED AGENDA ITEMS

The Board may go into Executive Session Pursuant to Tex. Gov't Code §551.074 for the purposes of discussing personnel matters including to deliberate the appointment, employment, evaluation, reassignment, duties, discipline, or dismissal of a public officer or employee;

Pursuant to Tex. Gov't Code §551.071(1) to seek the advice of its attorney about pending or contemplated litigation or a settlement offer;

Pursuant to Tex. Gov't Code §551.071(2) for the purpose of seeking the advice of its attorney about a matter in which the duty of the attorney to the governmental body under the Texas Disciplinary Rules of Professional Conduct of the State Bar of Texas clearly conflicts with Tex. Gov't Code Chapter 551; including seeking legal advice in connection with a posted agenda item;

Ajay Thomas Chair of Audit and Finance Committee Mark Scott Director of Internal Audit

Naomi Cantu HOME American Rescue Plan Director

> Elizabeth Yevich Director of Housing Resource Center

Michael De Young Director of Community Affairs

> Teresa Morales Director of Multifamily Bond

Cody Campbell Director of Multifamily Programs Pursuant to Tex. Gov't Code §551.072 to deliberate the possible purchase, sale, exchange, or lease of real estate because it would have a material detrimental effect on the Department's ability to negotiate with a third person; and/or

Pursuant to Tex. Gov't Code §2306.039(c) the Department's internal auditor, fraud prevention coordinator or ethics advisor may meet in an executive session of the Board to discuss issues related to fraud, waste or abuse.

# **OPEN SESSION**

If there is an Executive Session, the Board will reconvene in Open Session. Except as specifically authorized by applicable law, the Board may not take any actions in Executive Session.

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Personas que hablan español y requieren un intérprete, favor de llamar a Danielle Leath, al siguiente número 512-475-4606 por lo menos cinco días antes de la junta para hacer los preparativos apropiados.