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Caroline on Voss, LLC Houston, Texas assetmanagement@morgangroup.com

RE: Caroline on Voss

Dear Caroline on Voss LLC:

The Texas Department of Housing and Community Affairs (Department) has reviewed the Public Facility Corporation (PFC) Audit Report submitted by Stephanie. Naquin on May 30, 2025. This review was performed as required by Section 303.042 (c) of Chapter 303, the Texas Administrative Code Chapter 10, Subchapter I, and the Regulatory Agreement/Deed Restriction for Caroline on Voss.

Events of noncompliance have been identified and corrective action is required. The attached Findings Report details the event(s) of noncompliance and the required corrective action. This notice begins the corrective action period. Please supply all requested documentation no later than **August 26, 2025**, the last day of the corrective action period.

If clarification is necessary to complete the corrective action, contact us as soon as possible. If it is not possible to provide the requested documentation by the corrective action period, correct as much as you can and submit a corrective action plan detailing how and when the remaining issue(s) of noncompliance will be corrected.

The Department recommends submitting a cover letter explaining the documentation submitted to address each event of noncompliance. Submit corrective action to <a href="mailto:pfc.monitoring@tdhca.texas.gov">pfc.monitoring@tdhca.texas.gov</a>.



If you have any questions about this monitoring report, please contact Christina Thompson toll free in Texas at (800) 643-8204, directly at (512) 475-3907, or email: christina.thompson@tdhca.texas.gov.

Sincerely,

Christina Thompson

**PFC Monitor** 

CC: Stephanie.Naquin@novoco.com

## **Audit Report**

#### Caroline on Voss

The Texas Department of Housing and Community Affairs provides the following Technical Assistance:

- Annual Income Certifications as described in Section 3(c) of the Development's Regulatory Agreement, must be obtained on the anniversary of such Low-Income Household's occupancy of the unit, and in no event less than once in every 12-month period following each Low-Income Household's occupancy of a unit. The file sample revealed one (1) household files where the income certification was conducted after the anniversary date. Ensure all recertifications are completed in accordance with the Regulatory Agreement to maintain compliance.
- Annual income also includes all income derived from assets as identified and calculated in accordance with 24 CFR § 5.609(a). All income and asset sources must be properly verified and documented to ensure full compliance. The file sample revealed twenty-three (23) household files where income from asset was not verified. Moving forward, failure to verify and document assets will result in a finding of noncompliance. Households with assets valued at \$51,600 or less may utilize the Asset Certification of Net Family Assets form found on the Department's website here https://www.tdhca.texas.gov/compliance-forms or a comparable form.

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#### **DETAIL FINDINGS AND CORRECTIVE ACTION**

PFC ID: A24-101-0018

PFC User: Caroline on Voss, LLC

Property Name: Caroline on Voss

Address: 2525 S Voss Rd, Houston, TX 77057

Regulatory Agreement Date: 8/31/2021 Audit Report Received Date: 5/30/2025 Corrective Action Due Date: 8/26/2025

Audit Report Review Date: 6/25/2025

PROGRAM: PFC

## PROPERTY FINDINGS

	Non-Compliance	_		Correction
Unit #	Date	Reason	Corrective Action	Date
448	1 12/9/2023	Unit #448 is designated as 60% AMI. The household's rent of \$1,156 exceeds the 60% AMI rent limit of \$1,135.	To correct, reduce the household's rent to \$1,135 per month. Calculate the rent overage from the time of move-in, and either refund or credit the household the overpaid rent. Submit the follow documentation for review: the rent overage calculation, an amended lease contract reflecting the new rent amount, the household's rent ledger of the new rent amount reflected and the rent credit (if applicable) or a copy of the cancelled check (if a refund is issued).	

	Household above	the income limit		
	Non-Compliance			Correction
Unit #	Date	Reason	Corrective Action	Date
366	5/30/2025	The file was requested as part of the twenty-percent sample; however the file provided to the Auditor only contained the lease contract. Auditor reports income cannot be determined or verified as tenant file is incomplete.	The owner may complete a retroactive income certification that completely and clearly documents the sources of income and assets for all household members that were in place at the time of the initial occupancy and apply income limits in effect on the move-in date. Submit for Department review a copy of the application(s), income and asset verifications and a new Income Certification form the time of move-in. Or the owner has the option to complete a new current certification using current income and assets sources and current income limits. Submit for Department review a copy of the application(s), income and asset verifications and a new Income Certification form. If the household has moved out or is not income eligible, occupy the unit or another comparable unit on the property with a new qualified household. Submit copies of the application(s), income and asset verifications, an executed income Certification, lease contract and applicable lease addendums to the Department for review.	

	Non-Compliance			Correction
Jnit #	Date	Reason	Corrective Action	Date
140		Annualizing the average of the most recent paystubs for the household resulted in the household's annual gross income of \$66,306.24, which exceeds the applicable 80% AMI income limit of \$60,560.	To correct, designate unit 140 to an non-program unit since their income exceeds the 80% AMI limit and lease the next available unit of comparable or smaller size to a household that income qualifies at the 80% AMI limit.  Owner may survey existing vacant non-program units to replace unit 140 and reserve as a program-unit to be occupied with a household that income qualifies at 80% AMI. Submit documentation to the Department that the unit is vacant and a statement that it is reserved to be occupied by a Low-Income Household. Or if the household's circumstances have changed, the owner may certify them under current circumstances using current income limits. If verifying under current circumstances, submit a copy of the household file, application, verification of income and assets, executed Income Certification and lease agreement.	

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Jnit #	Date	Reason	Corrective Action	Date
177	1 12/26/2023	Annualizing the average of the most recent paystubs for the household resulted in the household's annual gross income of \$60,013.20 , which exceeds the applicable 80% AMI income limit of \$59,680.	To correct, designate unit 177 to an non-program unit since their income exceeds the 80% AMI limit and lease the next available unit of comparable or smaller size to a household that income qualifies at the 80% AMI limit.  Owner may survey existing vacant non-program units to replace unit 177 and reserve as a program-unit to be occupied with a household that income qualifies at 80% AMI. Submit documentation to the Department that the unit is vacant and a statement that it is reserved to be occupied by a Low-Income Household. Or if the household's circumstances have changed, the owner may certify them under current circumstances using current income limits. If verifying under current circumstances, submit a copy of the household file, application, verification of income and assets, executed Income Certification and lease agreement.	

Finding:	Household above	the income limit		
	Non-Compliance			Correction
Unit #	Date	Reason	Corrective Action	Date
237	10/29/2024	Annualizing the average of the most recent paystubs for the household resulted in the household's annual gross income of \$73,477.30, which exceeds the applicable 80% AMI income limit of \$60,560.	To correct, designate unit 237 to an non-program unit since their income exceeds the 80% AMI limit and lease the next available unit of comparable or smaller size to a household that income qualifies at the 80% AMI limit. Owner may survey existing vacant non-program units to replace unit 237 and reserve as a program-unit to be occupied with a household that income qualifies at 80% AMI. Submit documentation to the Department that the unit is vacant and a statement that it is reserved to be occupied by a Low-Income Household. Or if the household's circumstances have changed, the owner may certify them under current circumstances using current income limits. If verifying under current circumstances, submit a copy of the household file, application, verification of income and assets, executed Income Certification and lease agreement.	

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419	12/26/2024	Annualizing the average of the most recent paystubs for the household resulted in the household's annual gross	To correct, designate unit 419 to an non-program unit since their income exceeds the 80% AMI limit and lease the next available unit of comparable or smaller size to a household that income qualifies at the 80% AMI limit. Owner may survey existing vacant non-program units to replace unit 419 and reserve as a program-unit to be occupied with a household that income qualifies at 80% AMI. Submit documentation to the Department that the unit is vacant and a statement that it is reserved to be occupied by a Low-Income Household. Or if the household's circumstances have changed, the owner may certify them under current circumstances using current income limits. If verifying under current circumstances, submit a copy of the household file, application, verification of income and assets, executed Income Certification and lease agreement.	

Finding:	Household above	the income limit		
	Non-Compliance			Correction
Unit #	Date	Reason	Corrective Action	Date
448	12/9/2023	Annualizing the average of the most recent paystubs for the household resulted in the household's annual gross	To correct, designate unit 448 to an 80% AMI unit since their income exceeds the 60% AMI limit and lease the next available unit of comparable or smaller size to a household that income qualifies at the 60% AMI limit. Owner may survey existing vacant non-program units to replace unit 448 and reserve as a program-unit to be occupied with a household that income qualifies at 60% AMI. Submit documentation to the Department that the unit is vacant and a statement that it is reserved to be occupied by a Low-Income Household. Or if the household's circumstances have changed, the owner may certify them under current circumstances using current income limits. If verifying under current circumstances, submit a copy of the household file, application, verification of income and assets, executed Income Certification and lease agreement.	

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146	11/9/2024	In accordance with Section 3(c) of the Regulatory Agreement, the following items are acceptable to determine income eligibility: (1) pay stubs for the most recent four-week period; (2) income tax returns for the most recent two tax years; (3) conduct a consumer credit search; (4) obtain an income verification from the applicant's current employer; (5) obtain an income verification from the Social Security Administration; or (6) if the applicant is unemployed, does not have income tax returns or is otherwise unable to provide other forms of verification as required above, obtain another form of independent verification.  The household file indicated the tenant receives income from multiple employment sources. The file contained one (1) paystub covering a two-week pay period and in- consecutive paystubs for the second source of income. Regulatory Agreement requires pay stubs for the most recent four-week period. Auditor reports income cannot be determined or verified.	The owner may complete a retroactive income certification that completely and clearly documents the sources of income and assets for all household members that were in place at the time of the initial occupancy and apply income limits in effect on the move-in date. Submit for Department review a copy of the application(s), income and asset verifications and a new Income Certification form the time of move-in. Or the owner has the option to complete a new current certification using current income and assets sources and current income limits. Submit for Department review a copy of the application(s), income and asset verifications and a new Income Certification form. If the household has moved out or is not income eligible, occupy the unit or another comparable unit on the property with a new qualified household. Submit copies of the application(s), income and asset verifications, an executed Income Certification, lease contract and applicable lease addendums to the Department for review.	

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381	11/4/2024	In accordance with Section 3(c) of the Regulatory Agreement, the following items are acceptable to determine income eligibility: (1) pay stubs for the most recent four-week period; (2) income tax returns for the most recent two tax years; (3) conduct a consumer credit search; (4) obtain an income verification from the applicant's current employer; (5) obtain an income verification from the Social Security Administration; or (6) if the applicant is unemployed, does not have income tax returns or is otherwise unable to provide other forms of verification as required above, obtain another form of independent verification.  The household file contained inconsecutive paystubs. Regulatory Agreement requires pay stubs for the most recent four-week period. Auditor reports income cannot be determined or verified.	The owner may complete a retroactive income certification that completely and clearly documents the sources of income and assets for all household members that were in place at the time of the initial occupancy and apply income limits in effect on the move-in date. Submit for Department review a copy of the application(s), income and asset verifications and a new Income Certification form the time of move-in. Or the owner has the option to complete a new current certification using current income and assets sources and current income limits. Submit for Department review a copy of the application(s), income and asset verifications and a new Income Certification form. If the household has moved out or is not income eligible, occupy the unit or another comparable unit on the property with a new qualified household. Submit copies of the application(s), income and asset verifications, an executed Income Certification, lease contract and applicable lease addendums to the Department for review.	