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SF Cevallos MF, LP Austin, Texas taryn.merrill@greystar.com

RE: Art House

Dear SF Cevallos MF, LP:

The Texas Department of Housing and Community Affairs (Department) has reviewed the Public Facility Corporation (PFC) Audit Report submitted by Stephanie Naquin on June 2, 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 South Flores Lofts Apartments.

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 **September 1, 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 <u>pfc.monitoring@tdhca.texas.gov</u>.



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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,

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Christina Thompson PFC Monitor

CC: Stephanie.Naquin@novoco.com

# Audit Report Art House

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

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-four (24) 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.

## TEXAS DEPARTMENT OF HOUSING AND COMMUNITY AFFAIRS

## DETAIL FINDINGS AND CORRECTIVE ACTION REPORT

#### PFC ID: A24-015-0021 PFC User: SF Cevallos MF, LP Property Name: Art House Address: 215 E. Cevallos St., San Antonio, TX, 78204

Regulatory Agreement Date: 9/3/2020 Audit Report Received Date: 6/2/2025 Corrective Action Due Date: 9/1/2025

Audit Report Review Date: 6/27/2025

PROGRAM: PFC

### PROPERTY FINDINGS

Finding:	Failure to comply with the Public Facility Corporation Regulatory Agreement				
	Non-Compliance			Correction	
Unit #	Date	Reason	Corrective Action	Date	
Property Wide	6/2/2025	Household in determining qualification for occupancy of	Submit to the Department for review an owner's statement of compliance with the Regulatory Agreement moving forward, along with a blank template of the Lease or Lease Addenda that includes the required language.		

Finding:	Household above the income limit				
	Non-Compliance			Correction	
Unit #	Date	Reason	Corrective Action	Date	
162	12/22/2023	Annualizing the average of the most recent paystubs for the household resulted in the household's annual gross income of \$72,395.96, which exceeds the applicable 80% AMI income limit of \$70,880.	To correct, designate unit 162 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 162 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.		

	Non-Compliance			Correction
Jnit #	Date	Reason	Corrective Action	Date
218	9/7/2024	Annualizing the average of the most recent paystubs for the household resulted in the household's annual gross income of \$71,404.75 , which exceeds the applicable 80% AMI income limit of \$70,800.	To correct, designate unit 218 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 218 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, submit a copy of the household file, application, verification of income and assets, executed Income Certification and lease agreement.	

Finding:	ing: Gross rent exceeds the highest rent allowed under the Regulatory Agreement					
	Non-Compliance			Correction		
Unit #	Date	Reason	Corrective Action	Date		
123	8/31/2024	Unit 123 is designated as 80% AMI. The household's rent of \$1,852 exceeds the 80% AMI rent limit of \$1,770.	To correct, reduce the household's rent to \$1,770 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).			

0	Non-Compliance			Correction	
Unit #	Date	Reason	Corrective Action	Date	
128	8/30/2024	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 reported income "other" income is received. This source of income was not verified. 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.		

Finding:	Household above the income limit			_
Unit #	Non-Compliance Date	Reason	Corrective Action	Correction Date
271	10/16/2024	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 reported income was being received. File contained K-1 for 2022 and 2023. Regulatory Agreement requires income tax returns for the most recent two years for this type of verification. 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 verification, lasse contract and applicable lease addendums to the Department for review.	

Finding	Failure to comply with the Public Facility Corporation Regulatory Agreement				
	Non-Compliance			Correction	
Unit #	Date	Reason	Corrective Action	Date	

331	12/17/2024	In accordance with the Regulatory Agreement, Section 3(c), annual Income Certification of income must be obtained by the household's anniversary date (occupancy date of the unit) and no less than once in a 12-month period. Unit number 331 moved in December 17, 2023, and the annual Income Certification due on December 17, 2024 has not been completed as required.	submit to the Department for review. Submit the following documentation for review: application, verification of income/assets and an executed 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	
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201	12/30/2024	In accordance with the Regulatory Agreement, Section 3(c), annual Income Certification of income must be obtained by the household's anniversary date (occupancy date of the unit) and no less than once in a 12-month period. Unit number 201 moved in December 30, 2023, and the annual Income Certification due on December 30, 2024 has not been completed as required.	for review: application, verification of income/assets and an executed 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 mulailified household. Submit conies of the application(s) income and asset	