# COUNTY COUNCIL OF PRINCE GEORGE'S COUNTY, MARYLAND 2025 Legislative Session

Resolution No.	CR-027-2025		
Proposed by _	The Chair (by request - County Executive)		
Introduced by	Council Members Watson, Olson, Harrison, Ivey, Fisher, Blegay,		
	Hawkins and Dernoga		
Co-Sponsors			
Date of Introduc	etion March 18, 2025		

#### RESOLUTION

## A RESOLUTION concerning

Housing Investment Trust Fund ("HITF") for Housing and Community Development For the purpose of committing and allocating the amount of two million, five hundred thousand dollars (\$2,500,000) in Prince George's County Housing Investment Trust Fund ("HITF") Program funds to the New Carrollton – Affordable – Phase 1 project, an eligible activity, for gap financing of new affordable rental housing construction.

WHEREAS, pursuant to Sections 10-295, 10-297, 10-298 and 10-299 of the Prince George's County Code, the County Executive and the County Council of Prince George's County, Maryland adopted County Bill CB-021-2012, which set forth the County's Housing Investment Trust Fund Program; and

WHEREAS, the County established the Housing Investment Trust Fund, in order to authorize a funding and program mechanism to address foreclosure related issues facing residents in the County. The County sought to establish a Foreclosure Recovery Initiative Fund to allow Prince George's County to support private investments, attract new homebuyers, and expand partnerships with the non-profit community by providing critically needed financial assistance for housing rehabilitation projects, first time homebuyers, and foreclosure mediation counseling agencies; and

WHEREAS, pursuant to Sections 10-295, 10-297, 10-298 and 10-299 of the Prince George's County Code, and adopted in County Bill CB-057-2017, the Housing Investment Trust Fund Program was amended to include the provision of gap financing to support the development of new construction, rehabilitation and preservation of workforce and affordable

housing, consistent with the adopted Prince George's County Five-Year Consolidated Housing and Community Development Plan. In addition to serving as a vehicle to address foreclosures with the County, the purpose of the amendment was to enable the County to support the development of new construction and preservation of existing workforce and affordable housing which would allow Prince George's County to provide Workforce Housing Gap Financing with an emphasis on supporting the development of new construction, rehabilitation and preservation of workforce and affordable housing while targeting households earning up to 120% of the area median income ("AMI"); and

WHEREAS, the New Carrollton – Affordable – Phase 1 project involves the new construction of one hundred twelve (112) units of new affordable multi-family rental housing for low-income to moderate-income seniors, known as the New Carrollton – Affordable – Phase 1, located at 4051 Garden City Drive, Hyattsville, Maryland 20785; and

WHEREAS, Attachments "A-1," "A-2," and "A-3," describe the New Carrollton – Affordable – Phase 1 project, the associated costs and the source(s) of funding for the project, as attached hereto and made a part hereof; and

WHEREAS, Attachment "B" describes a summary of the financial commitment and allocation of two million, five hundred thousand dollars (\$2,500,000) in HITF Program funds to support the New Carrollton – Affordable – Phase 1 project, as attached hereto and made a part hereof; and

WHEREAS, the commitment and allocation of two million, five hundred thousand dollars (\$2,500,000) in HITF Program funds will provide gap financing necessary to construct and complete the New Carrollton – Affordable – Phase 1 project; and

WHEREAS, the County Executive recommends the County's financial commitment to the New Carrollton – Affordable – Phase 1 project and an allocation of two million, five hundred thousand dollars (\$2,500,000) in HITF Program funds to support this project.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED by the County Council of Prince George's County, Maryland, that the commitment and allocation of the Housing Investment Trust Fund for Housing and Community Development to the New Carrollton – Affordable – Phase 1 project is hereby approved in the amount of two million, five hundred thousand dollars (\$2,500,000), as more particularly described in Attachments "A-1 – A-3," and "B," respectively, as attached hereto and made a part hereof.

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BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that this Resolution shall become effective as of the date of its adoption.

Adopted this 29th day of April, 2025.

COUNTY COUNCIL OF PRINCE GEORGE'S COUNTY, MARYLAND

BY:

Edward P. Burroughs III

Chair

ATTEST:

Donna J. Brown

Clerk of the Council

#### **ATTACHMENT A-1**

#### PROJECT INFORMATION SHEET

New Carrollton - Affordable – Phase 1 4051 Garden City Drive Hyattsville, Maryland 20785

## **COUNCILMANIC DISTRICT 5**

**PROJECT DESCRIPTION**: A one hundred twelve (112) unit affordable senior

rental apartment community that will be constructed in New Carrollton, Maryland. All units will be affordable, and rents will be restricted for forty (40)

years.

**OWNER:** New Carrollton Affordable Senior I, LLC

**DEVELOPER**: Urban Atlantic Development LLC

**CONTACT**: Alan Lederman

Managing Director of Development Urban Atlantic Development LLC

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**NEIGHBORHOOD/LOCALITY**: New Carrollton, Prince George's County, District 5

**UNIT MIX**: A mix of one (1) and two (2) bedroom units

**AFFORDABILITY**: All units will be priced at levels affordable to

households earning seventy percent (70%) or less of the Area Median Income (AMI) for forty (40) years

#### **ATTACHMENT A-2**

#### PROJECT INFORMATION SHEET

New Carrollton - Affordable - Phase 1 4051 Garden City Drive Hyattsville, Maryland 20785

## **COUNCILMANIC DISTRICT 5**

## PROJECT DESCRIPTION:

The New Carrollton – Affordable – Phase 1 project (the "Project") is a proposed one hundred twelve (112) unit transit-oriented senior affordable housing development to be located at 4051 Garden City Drive, Hyattsville, Maryland 20785, and developed by Urban Atlantic Development LLC. The target population will be seniors with household incomes at or below seventy percent (70%) of the Area Median Income ("AMI").

The Project will consist of one hundred seven (107) one (1) bedroom units and five (5) two (2) bedroom units within one (1) elevator building of four (4) or less stories. The Project dedicates more than three thousand, five hundred (3,500) square feet to planned amenities, which include entertainment rooms, fitness centers, business centers, a library, a pet spa and a swimming pool.

The Project is in an Opportunity Zone, Qualified Census Tract, and Transit Oriented Development Zone. Additionally, it sits within 0.5 mile of the New Carrollton Metro station, which is the terminus of the Orange Line, the future Purple Line, home to an AMTRAK and MARC station, as well as having a bus station serving multiple Metro bus lines and Greyhound.

The proposed development is part of a forty (40) Acre Joint Development Agreement between Urban Atlantic Development LLC and Washington Metro Transit Authority (WMATA). To date, the Project has seen more than three hundred fifty million dollars (\$350,000,000) in new construction development.

Historically, affordable housing has been an afterthought in metropolitan, transit-oriented developments. By including high-quality affordable housing early in the master development of New Carrollton Metro Center, this project guarantees housing reserved at seventy percent (70%) of the AMI to be included in the center of a much larger development. Without this project, residents at this proposed income level will be priced out of this area, as land value and market rate rent are expected to increase with additional new construction development in the coming

years.

Urban Atlantic Development LLC., the applicant/owner of the proposed New Carrollton – Affordable – Phase 1 project, is an experienced developer that has raised and deployed over one billion, three hundred million dollars (\$1,300,000,000) in debt and equity to develop over five hundred thirty (530) acres of land development and infrastructure, while creating over eight thousand, eight hundred (8,800) residential units and four hundred thousand (400,000) square feet of commercial space. Whiting Turner Contracting Company will provide General Contracting services and Washington, D.C. based BKV Group DC, PPLC, will serve as architect.

# **ATTACHMENT A-3**

# PROJECT FINANCING ESTIMATE

# New Carrollton - Affordable - Phase 1 4051 Garden City Drive Hyattsville, Maryland 20785

# **COUNCILMANIC DISTRICT 5**

SOURCES		Amount	Percentage
Tax-exempt Bond		13,140,000	37.16%
CDA - Rental Housing Works		3,500,000	9.90%
Prince George's County		2,500,000	7.07%
LIHTC Proceeds		13,515,509	38.22%
Deferred Developer Fee		2,010,318	5.68%
Interim Income		697,372	1.97%
TOTAL	\$	35,363,199	100.00%

USES		Amount	Percentage
Construction costs		22,283,825	63.01%
Fees related to construction or rehab		3,271,701	9.25%
Total financing fees and charges		4,271,165	12.08%
Acquisition costs		207,348	0.59%
Developer's fee		3,378,040	9.55%
Syndication related costs - legal		976,277	2.76%
Guarantees and reserves		974,843	2.76%
TOTAL	\$	35,363,199	100.00%