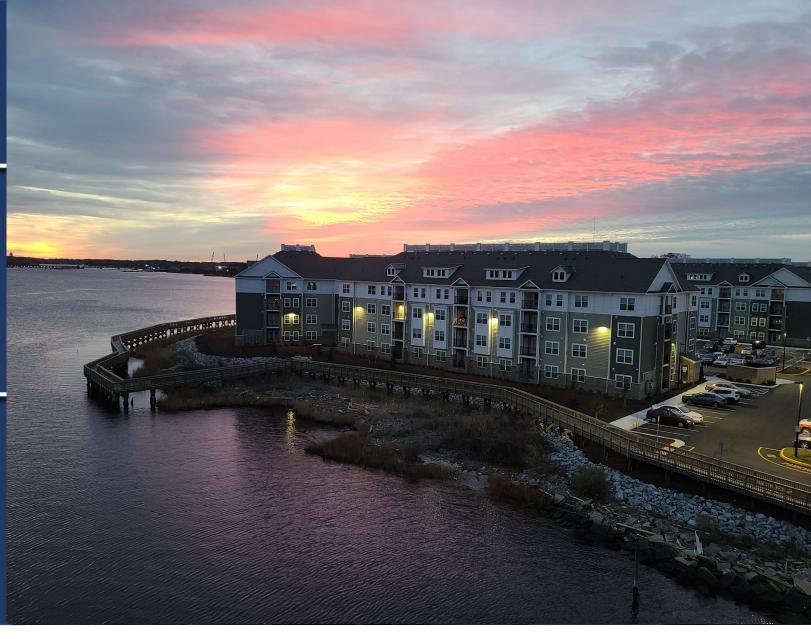
#### **Affordable Housing** Strategic Funding Opportunities

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### > AGENDA

# > Simpler Times

# > The Calm and The Storm

### New Equilibrium Breeds Renewed Strategy



# > Simpler Times

- Simple Capital Funding Strategy
  - Equity
    - 9% or 4% Low-Income Housing Tax Credit (LIHTC) Equity
  - Debt
    - Single Mortgage
- How was this possible?
  - Attractive Cost of Capital
    - Interest Rates
    - LIHTC Equity Pricing



### THE RETREAT AT HARBOR POINTE

246 Affordable Apartments on the Historic Elizabeth River







RETREAT



# > The Calm and The Storm

#### • Opportunities

- Cost of Capital
  - Historically Low Interest Rates
  - Strong LIHTC Equity Pricing

#### Issues

- Cost escalation
  - Construction
  - Operations
- Delays
  - Materials
  - Labor shortage







# > New Equilibrium Breeds Renewed Strategy

#### • A New Equilibrium

- Funding Shortfalls
  - Increased Uses of Funds Cost of Development
  - Decreased Sources of Funds Debt and Equity Proceeds

#### • Renewed Strategy - Funding Opportunities

- Green Building Incentives
  - 45L Tax Credit Increased by 2023 Inflation Reduction Act
- State and Federal Support
  - American Rescue Plan Act (ARPA)
  - Virginia Department of Housing and Community Development (DHCD)
    - Affordable and Special Needs Housing
  - Federal Home Loan Bank of Atlanta (FHLB)
    - Affordable Housing Program



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- Renewed Strategy Funding Opportunities (cont.)
  - Locality Support
    - Revitalization Resolution Virginia Code §36-55.30:2.A.
    - Tap fees
    - Capital impact fees
    - Building permit fees
    - Real Estate Tax Rebatement Virginia Code § 58.1-3219 and § 15.2-4901







### **MARKET HEIGHTS**

164 Affordable Apartments in Norfolk's St. Paul's District





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