

Market Feasibility Analysis

Brightwood Lane Apartments 344 Andrew Drive Washington, Wilkes County, Georgia 30673

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Section B – Executive Summary

This report evaluates the continued market feasibility of the existing Brightwood Lane Apartments to be renovated utilizing financing from the 4% Tax-Exempt Bond program in Washington, Georgia. Based on the findings contained in this report, we believe a market will continue to exist for the subject development, assuming it is renovated and operated as proposed in this report. *Note that this report complies with the market study guidelines set forth by the Georgia Department of Community Affairs (GDCA) and U.S. Department of Agriculture (USDA).*

1. Project Description:

The proposed project involves the renovation of the 40-unit Brightwood Lane Apartments at 344 Andrew Drive in Washington, Georgia. Built in 1996, the project targets both family (general-occupancy) and senior (age 62+) households under the Rural Development Section 515 (RD 515) and Tax Credit programs, with 37 units receiving Rental Assistance (RA). The RA allows tenants of these units to pay up to 30% of their adjusted gross household incomes towards shelter costs (rent and utilities). According to management, the project is currently 100.0% occupied and maintains a 16-household waiting list.

The project will be renovated utilizing funding from the 4% Tax-Exempt Bond program, which will involve the extensive rehabilitation of each unit and the community spaces. Once renovations are complete, the project will target households with incomes of up to 60% of Area Median Household Income (AMHI). Notably, the project will continue to operate under the RD 515 program and the 37 units of RA are expected to be retained. The developer has also indicated that a Private Rental Assistance (PRA) subsidy will also be provided to all current unassisted tenants. This subsidy will prevent a rent increase on current unassisted tenants at the property resulting from the renovations. All renovations are expected to be complete in 2025. Additional details regarding the subject project are included in *Section C*.

2. Site Description/Evaluation:

The subject site is the existing Brightwood Lane Apartments property, located at 344 Andrew Drive in Washington, Georgia. The site is within a partially developed mixed-use area of Washington, with surrounding residential structures in good condition. Visibility and accessibility of the site are considered good, given the proximity of several local arterial roadways and the light vehicular traffic patterns within the immediate neighborhood, as well as the unobstructed location of the site along the adjacent Andrews Drive. Most essential community services are accessible within 2.0 miles, including (but not limited to) grocery stores, banks, restaurants, pharmacies, discount retailers, gas stations and convenience stores. Additionally, all essential community services are accessible through the demand-based services of Wilkes County Transit (WCT). Overall, the subject site's location and proximity to community services are anticipated to positively contribute to the subject's continued marketability. This is further evidenced by the 100.0% occupancy rate reported for the subject property. An in-depth site evaluation is included in *Section D*.

3. Market Area Definition:

The Site Primary Market Area (PMA) is the geographical area from which comparable properties and potential renters are expected to be drawn. It is also the geographic area expected to generate the most demographic support for the subject development. The Washington Site PMA includes all portions of Wilkes County, including the incorporated communities of Washington, Rayle and Tignall. Specifically, the boundaries of the Site PMA follow the Wilkes County line in all directions. The boundaries of the Washington Site PMA are generally within 19.0 miles of the site. A map illustrating these boundaries is included on page E-2 of this report.

4. Community Demographic Data:

The population and household bases within the Washington Site PMA are projected to remain relatively stable between 2023 and 2025. Household growth is only projected to occur among households ages 75 and older, though households under the age of 65 will continue to comprise over half (59.5%) of all households in the market through 2025. The number of renter households is projected to remain stable overall through 2025, with more than 1,200 renter households projected to remain in the market during this time. Of note, household growth is projected to occur among renters age 62 and older through 2025. Further, nearly half (49.3%) of all renter households (or 55.7% of renter households age 62 and older) are projected to earn less than 35,000 in 2025. Based on the preceding factors, a good base of potential support for affordable rental housing alternatives (both family and senior) will continue to exist within the Washington Site PMA for the foreseeable future. Additional demographic data is included in *Section F*.

5. Economic Data:

Following the onset of the COVID-19 pandemic in 2020, which decreased the overall employment base and increased the unemployment rate in Wilkes County, the local economy has improved overall both in terms of total employment and unemployment rates. Specifically, the employment base increased by over 100 jobs (3.2%) and the annual unemployment rate has declined to a ten-year low of 4.0% through June 2023. However, it is also of note that the total employment base remains below prepandemic levels for the county, while the annual unemployment rate is above those reported for the state and nation during the same time period. Regardless, the Wilkes County economy is recovering from the impact of the pandemic and beginning to stabilize, a trend that we expect will continue for the foreseeable future. This will, in turn, create a stable environment for the local housing market. Additional economic data is included in *Section G*.

6. Project-Specific Affordability and Demand Analysis:

Per GDCA guidelines, capture rates below 35.0% for projects in rural markets are typically considered acceptable. Thus, the subject project's family- and senior-specific capture rates in the subsidized scenario (ranging from 10.5% to 22.9%) are considered acceptable. This is particularly true when considering the limited availability among affordable rental properties surveyed in the market. However, the subject's capture rates in the non-subsidized scenario are considered high, as they range from 49.0% to 76.2%. This demonstrates that a limited base of support exists for the subject project at its proposed rent levels, without the availability of RA on 37 units (Scenario Two). As such, the subject project will likely experience challenges in reaching and/or maintaining a stabilized occupancy rate in this unlikely scenario.

Regardless, it is important to reiterate that the subject project involves the renovation of an existing property at which all units are currently occupied. The subject developer also anticipates most (if not all) current tenants will continue to incomequalify and remain at the property post renovation, assuming RA is retained. Thus, the subject's effective capture rate is 0.0%. Capture rates by targeted income level and bedroom type are included in *Section H*.

7. Competitive Rental Analysis

Following renovations, the subject property will offer two- and three-bedroom units targeting general-occupancy (family) households, and one- and two-bedroom units targeting senior (age 62+) households, earning up to 60% of Area Median Household Income (AMHI) under the Low-Income Housing Tax Credit (LIHTC) program. In addition, the property will also continue to operate with project-based Rental Assistance (RA) available to the majority (37 of 40) of units following renovations. It is important to note, however, that while the continued availability of RA will effectively allow the property to compete with other subsidized product in the market, only non-subsidized LIHTC properties are selected for this analysis. This is done to evaluate the subject project in the unlikely event it did not retain its subsidy and had to operate exclusively under the LIHTC guidelines.

Given that there were no non-subsidized LIHTC projects identified and surveyed within the Site PMA, we identified and surveyed six existing general-occupancy or age-restricted LIHTC properties in the nearby communities of Madison, Athens, Greensboro and Thompson, Georgia. These properties are not considered directly competitive with the subject project, given that they draw support from different geographic regions. However, these properties offer non-subsidized unit types similar to those offered at the subject property in terms of bedroom type and targeted age/income (AMHI) cohorts. Therefore, these six LIHTC projects have been selected for comparability purposes only.

Map I.D.	Project Name	Year Built/ Renovated	Total Units	Occ. Rate	Distance to Site	Waiting List	Target Market
Site	Brightwood Lane Apartments	1996 / 2025	24 (Family) 16 (Senior)	100.0%	-	16 HH	Families & Seniors 62+; 60% AMHI & RD 515
					50.6		Families; 50% & 60%
905	Canaan Crossing	2022	60	100.0%	Miles	303 HH	AMHI
	Lakewood Hills Senior				45.9		Seniors 55+; 50% & 60%
909	Village	2012	74	100.0%	Miles	125 HH	AMHI
					30.5		Families; 50% & 60%
912	Mary-Leila Lofts	1900 / 2016	71	95.8%	Miles	None	AMHI
					24.1		Seniors 55+; 30%, 50%,
913	Monterey Pass	2007	60	100.0%	Miles	50 HH	& 60% AMHI
					50.6		Families; 50% & 60%
915	Orchard Grove Apts.	2004	60	100.0%	Miles	36 Months	AMHI
					49.6		Seniors 55+; 50% & 60%
919	Silver Lakes Court	2016	44	100.0%	Miles	62 HH	AMHI

These six properties and the subject project are summarized as follows.

OCC. – Occupancy

HH - Households

900-series Map IDs located outside the Site PMA

The six LIHTC projects have a combined occupancy rate of 99.2%, five of which are 100.0% occupied with extensive waiting lists. These are clear indications of pent-up demand for both general-occupancy and age-restricted LIHTC product in the surrounding region.

The gross rents for the comparable projects and the proposed rents at the subject site, as well as their unit mixes and vacancies by bedroom are listed in the following table:

		Gross Rent/Percent of AMHI (Number of Units/Vacancies)						
Map I.D.	Project Name	One- Br.	Two- Br.	Three- Br.	Rent Special			
Site	Brightwood Lane Apartments (Senior Units)	\$673/60% (14)	\$809/60% (2)	-	-			
Site	Brightwood Lane Apartments (Family Units)	-	\$809/60% (20)	\$935 /60% (4)				
905	Canaan Crossing	\$627/50% (2/0) \$627/60% (6/0)	\$732/50% (6/0) \$732/60% (26/0)	\$806/50% (4/0) \$806/60% (16/0)	None			
909^	Lakewood Hills Senior Village	\$677/50% (16/0) \$813/60% (21/0)	\$814/50% (16/0) \$952/60% (21/0)	_	None			
912	Mary-Leila Lofts	\$550/50% (3/0) \$676/60% (11/1)	\$649/50% (8/0) \$800/60% (29/1)	\$737/50% (4/0) \$911/60% (16/1)	None			
		\$432/30% (4/0) \$637/50% (13/0)	\$518/30% (3/0) \$683/50% (16/0)					
913^	Monterey Pass	\$647/60% (11/0)	\$693/60% (13/0) \$740/50% (24/0)	- \$862/50% (16/0)	None			
915	Orchard Grove Apts.	- \$715/500/ (6/0)	\$740/60% (12/0)	\$862/60% (8/0)	None			
919^	Silver Lakes Court	\$715/50% (6/0) \$721/60% (22/0)	\$788/50% (3/0) \$861/60% (13/0)	-	None			

900-series Map IDs located outside the Site PMA

^Denotes age-restricted property

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The subject rents are within range of those reported for similar unit types in the region. However, it is also noteworthy that the subject property is older than these comparable properties, offering smaller unit sizes (square feet) and a generally inferior overall amenity package. These design characteristics will limit the subject's ability to achieve rents similar to those being achieved at comparable projects in the region, which could leave the property at a competitive disadvantage and/or result in higher than typical levels of tenant turnover if the project were to lose its subsidy. Additionally, as illustrated in Section H, the subject project will have a limited base of demographic support (i.e.: capture rate) at the proposed rent levels in the unlikely event the property lost Rental Assistance (RA) and had to operate exclusively under the LIHTC guidelines. As such, the subject project will likely experience challenges in reaching and/or maintaining a stabilized occupancy rate in this unlikely scenario.

In reality, however, the property will retain RA on 37 of 40 units following renovations. This will allow most tenants to pay up to only 30% of their adjusted gross income towards rent, rather than the non-subsidized LIHTC rents evaluated throughout this report. Further, the developer will offer a Private Rental Assistance (PRA) subsidy to all current tenants of the project's unassisted units. The continued availability of RA/PRA will ensure the subject property remains a significant value within the Site PMA post renovations.

Competitive/Comparable Tax Credit Summary

There were no non-subsidized LIHTC projects surveyed in the Washington Site PMA; therefore, we identified and surveyed six existing non-subsidized Tax Credit properties in the nearby region which we consider comparable to the subject property in terms of unit types offered and target populations. The six comparable LIHTC projects have a combined occupancy rate of 99.2%, five of which are 100.0% occupied with extensive waiting lists. Thus, there is clearly pent-up demand for additional LIHTC product in the region. The subject property is considered to be marketable in terms of overall design (i.e. unit square footage, number of bathrooms, and amenities) assuming the retention of Rental Assistance (RA) and the availability of a Private Rental Assistance (PRA) subsidy for current unassisted tenants. This is evident by the 100.0% occupancy rate currently reported for the existing subject property. However, the subject rents could create a competitive disadvantage for the property in the unlikely event the property was to operate exclusively under the LIHTC program without RA. This is due to the smaller unit sizes (square feet), lesser number of bathrooms within the two- and three-bedroom units, and limited amenity package as compared to existing non-subsidized LIHTC properties in the region. Further, as illustrated in Section H, the subject project will have a limited base of demographic support (i.e.: capture rate) at the proposed rent levels in the unlikely event the property lost RA. As such, the subject project will likely experience challenges in reaching and/or maintaining a stabilized occupancy rate in this unlikely scenario. In reality, however, the continued availability of RA on most units and PRA to all unassisted tenants will ensure the property remains affordable and a value to low-income renters within the subject market following renovations.

8. Absorption/Stabilization Estimates

It is our opinion that the 40 units at the subject project will reach a stabilized occupancy of at least 93.0% within approximately three months following renovations, assuming total displacement of existing tenants. This absorption period is based on an average absorption rate of approximately 12 to 13 units per month and assumes the property will continue to operate with Rental Assistance (RA) available to most (37 of 40) units. Our absorption projections take into consideration the general lack of availability among existing affordable rental product within the Washington Site PMA. Our demand estimates and the competitiveness of the subject development within the Washington Site PMA has also been considered. Changes to the project's rents, subsidy availability, amenities, scope of renovations, or other features may invalidate our findings. We assume the developer and/or management will aggressively market the project throughout the Site PMA a few months in advance of its opening and continue to monitor market conditions during the project's initial lease-up period.

As indicated above, the preceding absorption projections assume the property will continue to operate with RA available to most units following renovations. In the unlikely event the subject property was to lose RA and operated exclusively under the LIHTC program at the rent levels evaluated throughout this report, we anticipate that the property would experience issues in reaching and/or consistently maintaining a stabilized occupancy rate at the proposed rent levels. This is particularly true when considering the rent positioning and design of the subject property relative to comparable Tax Credit properties in the region. The subject's limited base of demographic support (i.e.: capture rate) must also be considered in this scenario.

In reality, the subject project involves the renovation of an existing property which is currently 100.0% occupied with a waiting list. In addition, the property will continue to provide RA to most units following renovations. The developer has also indicated that a Private Rental Assistance (PRA) subsidy will also be provided to all currently unassisted tenants at the property following renovations. This subsidy will prevent a rent increase on current unassisted tenants resulting from the renovation. Based on information provided by the subject developer, most (if not all) existing tenants are expected to remain at the property following renovations. Further, any units which may become vacant due to typical tenant turnover are expected to be quickly filled from the waiting list currently maintained for the property. As such, there effectively will be no absorption period for the subject property.

9. Overall Conclusion:

When considering the retention of RA and the current occupancy rate and waiting list maintained, the subject property is clearly competitive and marketable within the Washington Site PMA. However, in the unlikely event RA was lost and the property had to operate exclusively under the Tax Credit program/guidelines, the subject project will likely experience challenges in reaching and/or maintaining a stabilized occupancy rate. Nonetheless, the subject property will retain RA which will ensure the property remains a value and affordable to very low-income renters within the Washington Site PMA following renovations. We have no recommendations for the subject project in this scenario.

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(m	SUMMARY TABLE ust be completed by the analyst and included in the executive s	summary)	
Development Name:	Brightwood Lane Apartments	Total # Units:	40
Location:	344 Andrew Drive, Washington, GA 30673	# LIHTC Units:	40
PMA Boundary:	Wilkes County line to the north, east, south and west.		
	Farthest Boundary Dist	ance to Subject:	19.0 miles

RENTAL HOUSING STOCK (found on page I-3)							
Туре	# Properties	Total Units	Vacant Units	Average Occupancy			
All Rental Housing	5*	192	1	99.5%			
Market-Rate Housing	-	-	-	-			
Assisted/Subsidized Housing not to include LIHTC	3	128	1	99.2%			
LIHTC	2*	64	0	100.0%			
Stabilized Comps (in PMA only)	-	_	-	-			
Properties in Construction & Lease Up	-	-	-	-			

*Includes existing subject project

	Sul	bject Dev	elopment		Achie	evable Marko	et Rent	Highest U Comp	•
# Units	# Bedrooms	# Baths	Size (SF)	Proposed Tenant Rent	Per Unit	Per SF	Advantage	Per Unit	Per SF
				Senior A	Age 62+ Units		•		
14	One-Br.	1.0	614	\$517	\$900	\$1.47	42.6%	\$1,375	\$2.12
2	Two-Br.	1.0	757	\$610	\$1,000	\$1.32	39.0%	\$1,609	\$1.48
				Far	nily Units				
20	Two-Br.	1.0	778	\$610	\$990	\$1.27	38.4%	\$1,609	\$1.48
4	Three-Br.	1.0	925	\$705	\$1,130	\$1.22	37.6%	\$1,780	\$1.41

CAPTURE RATES (found on page H-5)							
Targeted Population	RA Units	Non-RA Units	Overall as Proposed	Market-rate	Other	LIHTC Only Scenario	
Capture Rate	0.0% (F)* 0.0% (S)*	0.0% (F)* 0.0% (S)*	0.0% (F)* 0.0% (S)*	-	-	49.0% (F) 76.2% (S)	

*Assumes all units are leasable and will remain occupied and the retention of current tenants which will continue to income-qualify under the LIHTC and RD 515 guidelines post renovations, per GDCA guidelines. These units have been excluded from these demand estimates. F - Family units; S - Senior units

Section C - Project Description

Project Name:	Brightwood Lane Apartments
Location:	344 Andrew Drive, Washington, Georgia 30673 (Wilkes County)
Census Tract:	103.02
Target Market:	Family & Senior Ages 62+
Construction Type:	Renovation of Existing Development
Funding Source:	4% Tax-Exempt Bond

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	Proposed Unit Configuration									
						Current	Pi	oposed Rents		Max. Allowable
Total	Bedroom			Square	%	Basic/Note	Collected	Utility	Gross	LIHTC Gross
Units	Туре	Baths	Style	Feet	AMHI	Rent	Rent	Allowance	Rent	Rent
	Senior Age 62+ Units									
14	One-Br.	1.0	Garden	614	60%/RD	\$423/\$470	\$517	\$156	\$673	\$731
2	Two-Br.	1.0	Garden	757	60%/RD	\$497/\$568	\$610	\$199	\$809	\$877
					Fam	nily Units				
20	Two-Br.	1.0	Garden	778	60%/RD	\$497/\$568	\$610	\$199	\$809	\$877
4	Three-Br.	1.0	Garden	925	60%/RD	\$585/\$586	\$705	\$230	\$935	\$1,014
40	Total									

Source: CAHEC Properties Corporation

AMHI – Area Median Household Income (Wilkes County, GA; 2023)

RD – Rural Development Section 515

Building/Site Information				
Residential Buildings:	Five (5) one- & two-story buildings			
Building Style:	Single-story and walk-up			
Community Space:	Stand-alone building			
Acres:	3.4			

Constru	ction Timeline
Original Year Built:	1996
Renovation Start:	2024
Begin Preleasing:	In-place renovation
Renovation End:	2025

	Unit Amenities	
Electric Range	Central Air Conditioning	Carpet & Composite Flooring
Refrigerator	Patio (Senior Units)	Window Blinds
Microwave	Exterior Storage Closet	Walk-In Closet
Washer/Dryer Hookups	• Emergency Call System (Senior Units)	
	Community Amenities	
Clubhouse/Community Room	Common Patio/Porch	On-Site Management
Gazebo/Pavilion	Laundry Room	CCTV/Cameras
Grilling Area	Playground	• Surface Parking Lot (51 Spaces)

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			Uti	lity Respo	nsibility			
Comput	ter Center	•	• Common	Area Wi-Fi	i			
Grilling Area		•	Playground		 Surface 	e Parking Lot (51 Spac	
Gazebo/Pavilion		•	Laundry Room		CCTV/Cameras			
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	Heat	Hot Water	Cooking	General Electric	Cold Water	Sewer	Trash
Paid By	Tenant	Tenant	Tenant	Tenent	Tenant	Tenant	Tenant
Source	Electric	Electric	Electric	Tenant			

Current Occupancy Status				
Total Units	Vacant Units	Occupancy Rate	Waiting List	
40	0	100.0%	16 Households	

As noted, all units at the subject project are occupied with a waiting list. It is anticipated that all current tenants will continue to qualify for residency at the subject project post renovations. This assumes RA is retained and a PRA subsidy is provided to unassisted tenants post renovation. In the unlikely event RA is not provided, the subject property would likely experience significant tenant turnover as it is anticipated that no existing tenants would continue to income-qualify for the property in the event it was to operate exclusively under the LIHTC program. This is based on the current rent roll provided and reviewed at the time of this analysis.

PLANNED RENOVATION:

The proposed renovations for the subject property are anticipated to have a cost of approximately \$50,000/unit. The following is a sample list of work to be completed as part of the subject renovations. Note that this is not to be considered an exhaustive list of work to be completed as construction has not yet been finalized as of the time of this report.

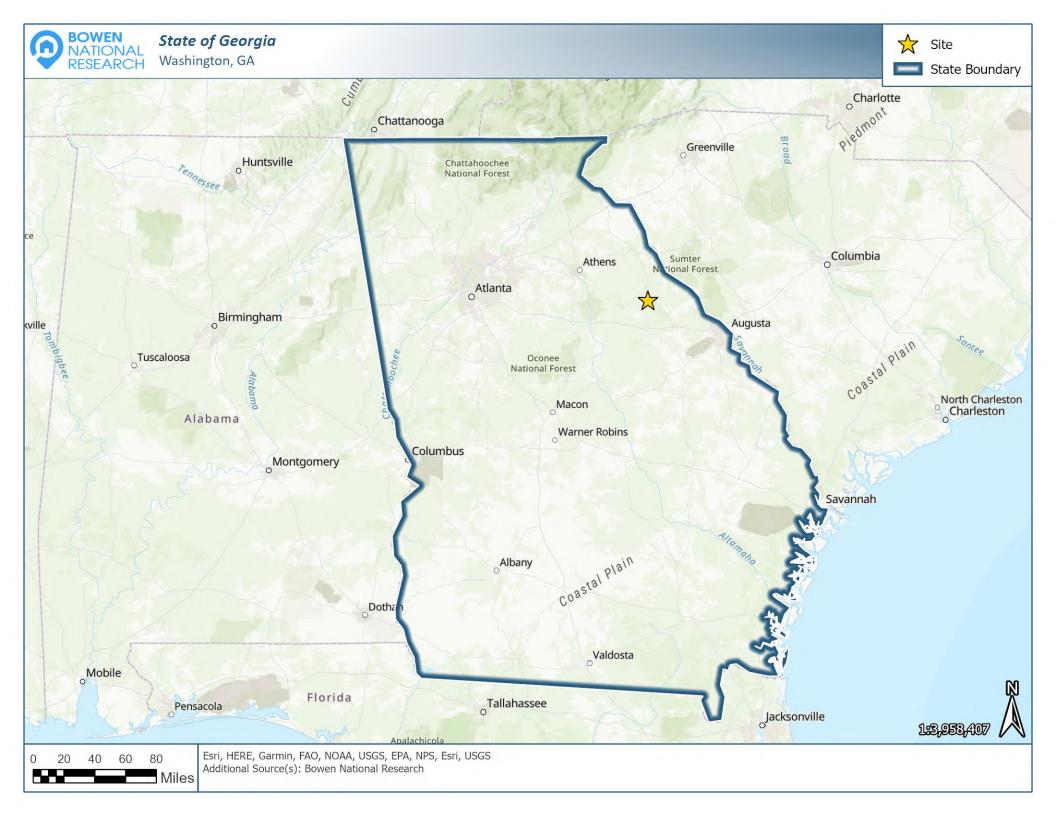
- Install new kitchen and bathroom plumbing and fixtures
- Install new kitchen appliances
- Install new hot water heater and HVAC
- Install new flooring
- Paint unit interiors
- Replace/repair roofing and siding as needed
- Install new windows and entry doors

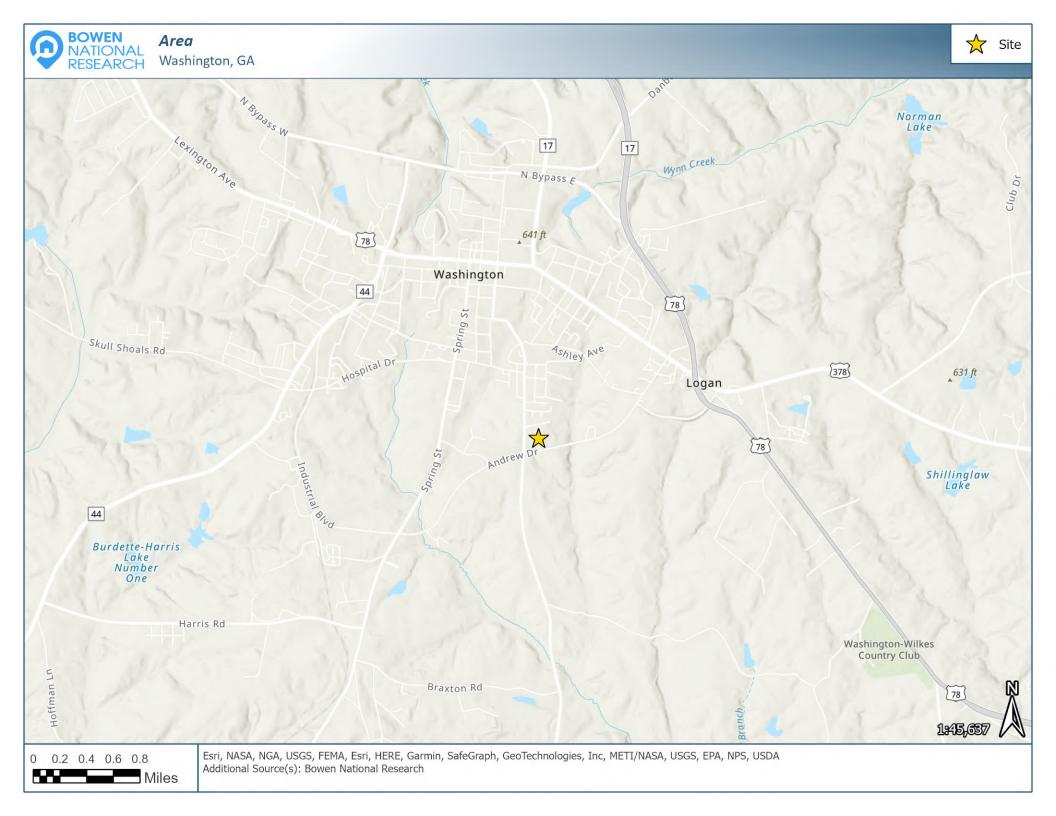
FLOOR AND SITE PLAN REVIEW:

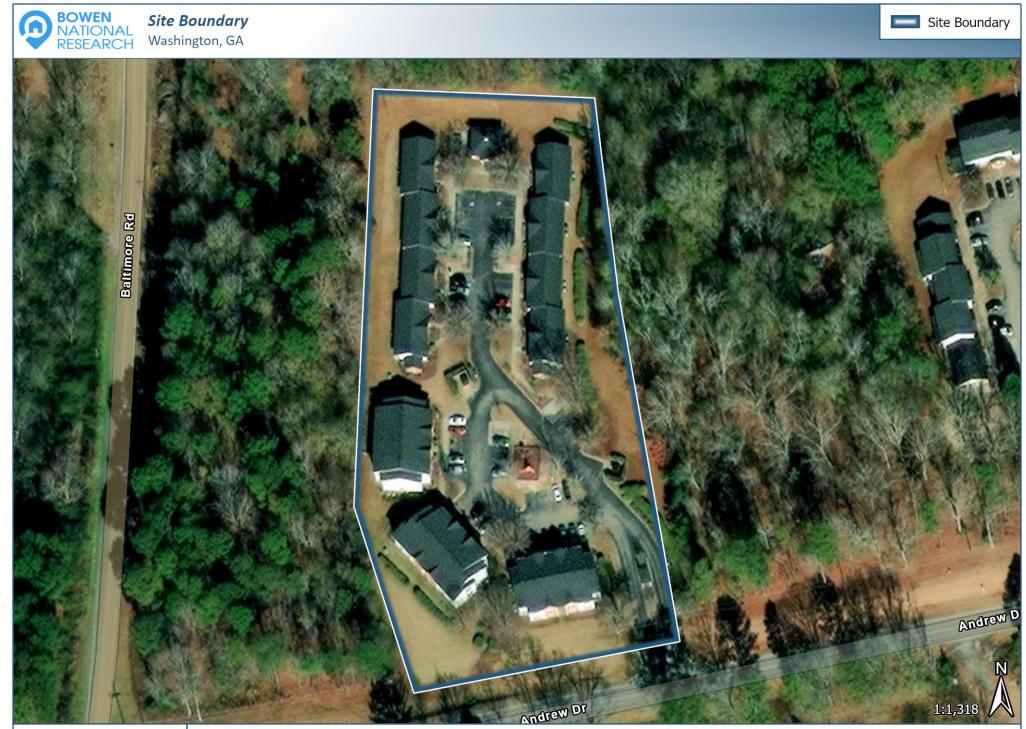
Floor and site plans were not provided for the subject project for review at the time this report was prepared. Information provided at the time of this analysis, however, indicates that the subject property will continue to offer one- through three-bedroom garden-style units located within five (5) one- and two-story walk-up buildings. These unit types will allow the property to continue to attract to a wide demographic base in terms of both family and senior household sizes. The subject units range in size from 614 to 925 square feet, with all units offering one (1.0) bathroom. Each unit will come well-equipped in terms of unit amenities, featuring a standard kitchen appliance package and dedicated laundry area with in-unit washer/dryer connections.

In addition to the subject's residential units, the property will continue to feature an array of community amenities integrated throughout the property. Notable project amenities include on-site management, laundry facility, community room and a playground. These amenities will further enhance the continued marketability of the subject project. Overall, the subject property appears to be marketable in terms of overall design. Nonetheless, an in-depth comparable/competitive analysis is included in Section I to better determine the competitive position and overall marketability of the subject project within the Washington market.

A state map, an area map and a site neighborhood map are on the following pages.







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Section D – Site Evaluation

1. LOCATION

The subject site is the existing Brightwood Lane Apartments, a Tax Credit and government-subsidized rental community located at 344 Andrew Drive in Washington, Georgia. Located within Wilkes County, the city of Washington is situated approximately 40.0 miles east of Athens, Georgia and 47.0 miles northwest of Augusta Georgia. Jonathan Kabat, an employee of Bowen National Research, inspected the site and area apartments during the week of August 14, 2023.

2. SURROUNDING LAND USES

The subject site is within a partially developed mixed-use area of Washington. Surrounding land uses include single- and multifamily residential dwellings, undeveloped and/or wooded land, various local businesses, community services and small office buildings. Adjacent land uses are detailed as follows:

North -	The northern boundary is defined by wooded land, which continues				
	to a neighborhood of single-family homes in good condition.				
	Additional single-family homes and undeveloped land continue				
	north to the Ashley Park Ball Field.				
East -	The eastern boundary is defined by wooded land which separates the				
	site from Autumn Lane Apartments, a Tax Credit and government-				
	subsidized property in good condition. Undeveloped land continues				
	east to a series of small auto businesses and community services				
	(including a VFW post and the Wilkes County Sheriff's Office), as				
	well as additional rental communities in good condition.				
South -	The southern boundary is defined by Andrew Drive, a two-lane				
	roadway with light vehicular traffic patterns. Continuing south are a				
	small warehouse building, undeveloped land and scattered homes.				
West -	The western boundary is defined by wooded land that separates the				
	site from Baltimore Road/Lundburg Road, a two-lane roadway with				
	light vehicular traffic patterns. Continuing west are scattered single-				
	family homes in good condition and undeveloped land.				

The subject site is within a partially developed mixed-use area of Washington, with surrounding residential structures in good condition. Overall, the subject property fits well with the surrounding land uses and they should contribute to the continued marketability of the site, as evidenced by the 100% occupancy rates reported by the subject project and the adjacent Autumn Lane property.

3. VISIBILITY AND ACCESS

The subject property is primarily visible to passerby traffic from Andrew Drive, a two-lane roadway with light vehicular traffic patterns. According to the Georgia Department of Transportation (GDOT), Andrews Drive maintains an Annual Average Daily Traffic (AADT) volume of nearly 2,400 vehicles. Despite the light vehicular traffic patterns within the site neighborhood, visibility of the site is considered sufficient given its unobstructed location along Andrews Drive and the presence of permanent signage at the site entryway. As such, visibility of the subject project is expected to contribute to its continued marketability, as evidenced by its 100.0% occupancy rate.

The site property maintains one vehicular access point along Andrew Drive to the south. Given the light neighborhood traffic patterns, direct vehicular ingress and egress are considered convenient. Several state and local highways are within 1.2 mile of the property, which facilitates accessibility of the project throughout the Wilkes County area. Additionally, demand-based public transportation services are available to residents of the property through Wilkes County Transit (WCT). Overall, accessibility of the subject project is considered good and is expected to positively impact its continued marketability.

According to area planning and zoning officials, no notable roads or other infrastructure projects are underway or planned for the immediate site area. The subject site has convenient access to State Route 47, East Robert Toombs Avenue/U.S. Highway 78 Business/State Route 10/State Route 17 and U.S. Highway 78.

4. SITE PHOTOGRAPHS

Photographs of the subject site are on located on the following pages.



Entryway Signage



View of site from the north



View of site from the east



Typical exterior of building



View of site from the northeast



View of site from the southeast



View of site from the south



View of site from the west



North view from site



View of site from the southwest



View of site from the northwest



Northeast view from site



East view from site



South view from site



West view from site



Southeast view from site



Southwest view from site



Northwest view from site



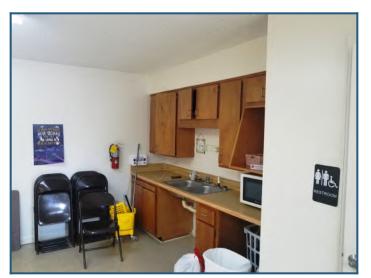
Streetscape: East view of Andrew Drive



Streetscape: West view of Andrew Drive



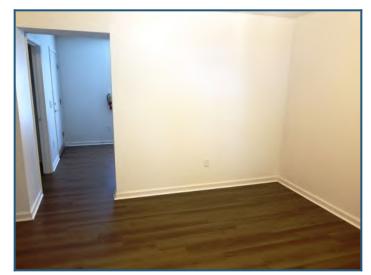
Recreation Area: Playground



Community Room: Kitchen



Community Room



One-Bedroom (Living Room)



One-Bedroom (Kitchen)



One-Bedroom (Bedroom - View B)



Two-Bedroom Senior (Living Room)



One-Bedroom (Bedroom - View A)

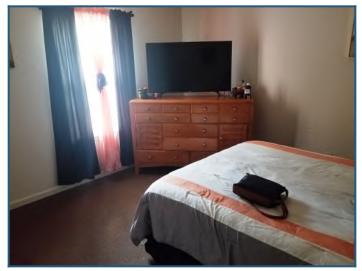


One-Bedroom (Bathroom)



Two-Bedroom Senior (Kitchen)

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Two-Bedroom Senior (Master Bedroom - View A)



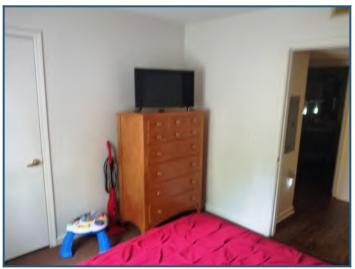
Two-Bedroom Senior (Second Bedroom - View A)



Two-Bedroom Senior (Full Bathroom)



Two-Bedroom Senior (Master Bedroom - View B)



Two-Bedroom Senior (Second Bedroom - View B)



Two-Bedroom Family (Living Room)





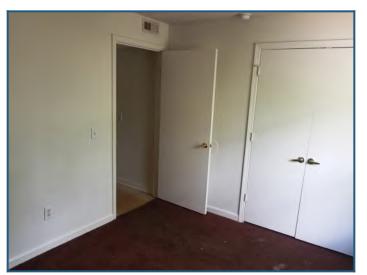
Two-Bedroom Family (Kitchen)



Two-Bedroom Family (Master Bedroom - View B)



Two-Bedroom Family (Second Bedroom - View A)



Two-Bedroom Family (Second Bedroom - View B)



Two-Bedroom Family (Full Bathroom)



Three-Bedroom (Living Room)



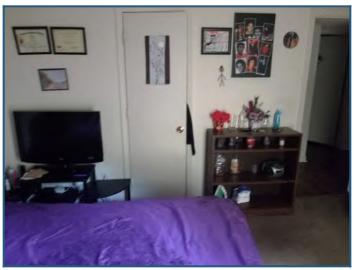
Three-Bedroom (Master Bedroom - View A)



Three-Bedroom (Second Bedroom - View A)



Three-Bedroom (Kitchen)



Three-Bedroom (Master Bedroom - View B)



Three-Bedroom (Second Bedroom - View B)

Survey Date: August 2023



Three-Bedroom (Third Bedroom - View A)



Three-Bedroom (Third Bedroom - View B)



Three-Bedroom (Full Bathroom)

5. PROXIMITY TO COMMUNITY SERVICES AND INFRASTRUCTURE

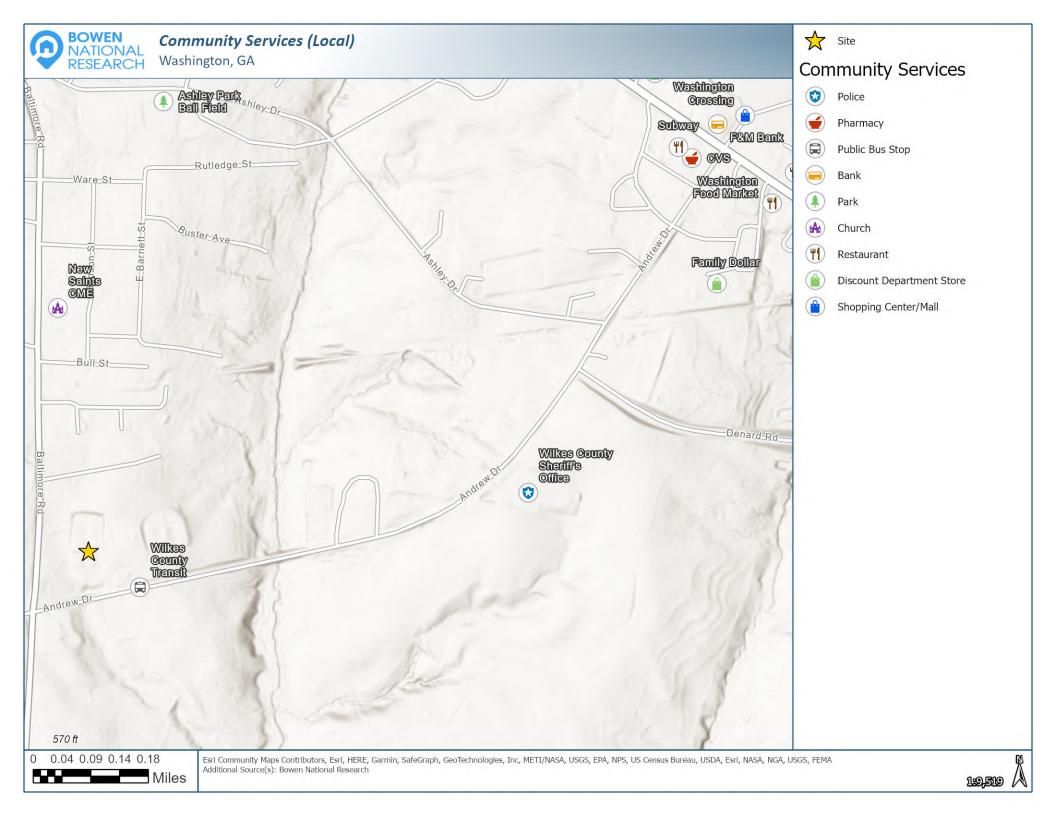
The site is served by the community services detailed in the following table:

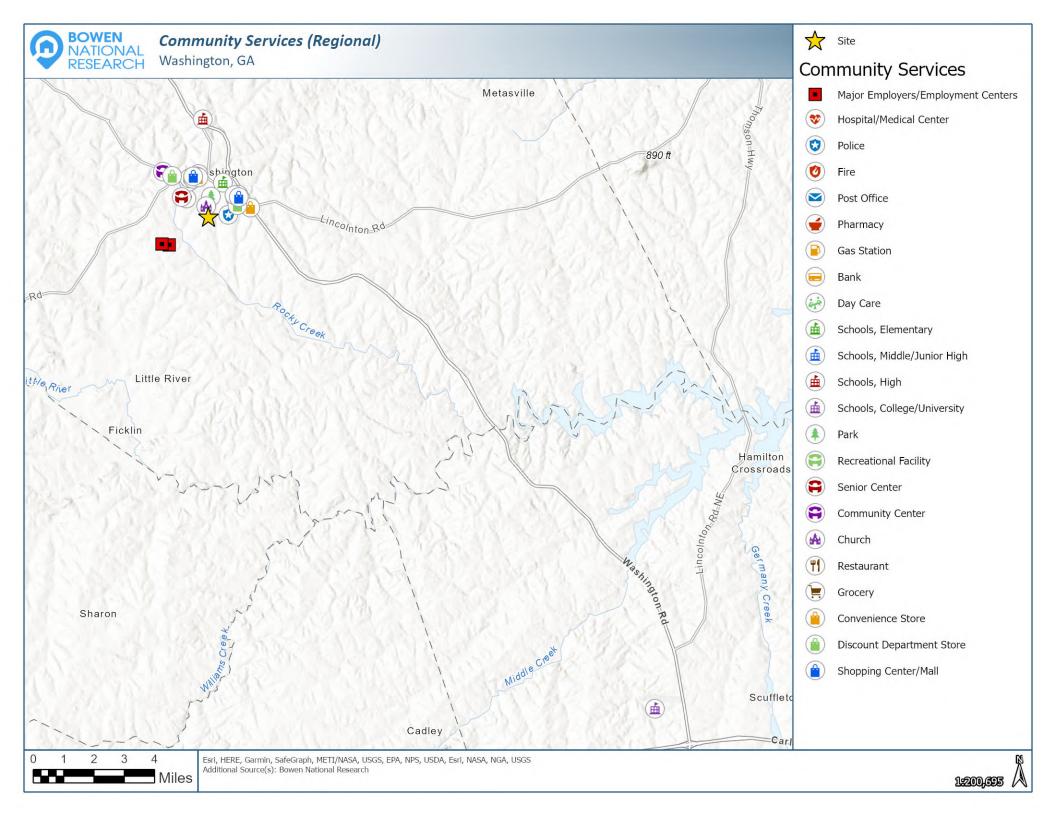
Community Services	Name	Driving Distance From Site (Miles)
Major Highways	State Route 47	0.7 West
	U.S. Highway 78 Bus/State Route 10/State Route 17	1.0 East
	U.S. Highway 78	1.2 East
Public Bus Stop	Wilkes County Transit	On-demand
Major Employers/	Wills Memorial Hospital	1.2 Northwest
Employment Centers	Berry Global	1.4 Southwest
1 2	Canfor	1.6 Southwest
Convenience Store	Golden Pantry	1.3 East
	Petro	1.5 North
Grocery	Ingles	1.1 Northeast
5	Terry's IGA	1.6 North
Discount Department Store	Family Dollar	0.9 East
T	Dollar General	1.1 Northeast
	Dollar General	2.2 Northwest
Shopping Center/Mall	Washington Crossing	1.1 Northeast
	The Square Historic Downtown Shopping Center	1.9 North
Schools:		
Elementary	Washington Wilkes Elementary	1.8 Northeast
Middle/Junior High	Washington Wilkes Middle	3.9 North
High	Washington Wilkes Comprehensive High	3.9 North
College/University	Augusta Technical College	21.5 Southeast
Hospital	Wills Memorial Hospital	1.2 Northwest
Police	Wilkes County Sheriff's Office	0.5 East
Fire	Washington Fire Department	1.6 North
Post Office	U.S. Post Office	1.5 North
Bank	F&M Bank	1.0 Northeast
	Regions Bank	1.5 North
Senior Center	Roy L Burns Senior Center	1.5 Northwest
Recreational Facilities	Washington Total Fitness	1.9 North
Gas Station	Shell	1.3 East
	Petro	1.5 North
Pharmacy	CVS	1.0 East
-	Flevet Pharmacy	1.5 North
Restaurant	Subway	1.0 Northeast
	Zaxby's	1.1 East
	Washington Food Market	1.1 East
Day Care	Creative Kidz Korner	1.8 Northwest
Community Center	Edward B Pope Conference Center	2.5 Northwest
Church	New Saints CME	0.5 North
Park	Ashley Park Ball Field	1.0 North

The site property is within a partially developed area, though nearly all essential services are accessible within 2.0 miles in the city of Washington. Notable services within 2.0 miles include grocery stores, banks, restaurants, pharmacies, discount retailers, gas stations and convenience stores. Notably, the nearby Washington Crossing shopping center anchors several essential services in the Washington area. This facility is situated 1.1 mile northeast of the site.

Public safety services are provided by the Wilkes County Sheriff and Washington Fire departments, which are within 0.5 and 1.6 miles of the site, respectively. The nearest full-service hospital with an emergency room is Wills Memorial Hospital, located within 1.8 miles of the site. The nearest senior center, Roy L Burns Senior Center, is just 1.5 miles northwest of the site. All applicable attendance schools are within 3.9 miles of the site, while a day care facility is located within 1.8 miles. Additionally, all essential community services are accessible through the demand-based services of Wilkes County Transit (WCT). Overall, the subject's proximity to community services is considered good and is expected to positively impact its continued marketability.

Maps illustrating the location of community services are on the following pages.





6. CRIME ISSUES

The primary source for Crime Risk data is the FBI Uniform Crime Report (UCR). The FBI collects data from each of roughly 16,000 separate law enforcement jurisdictions across the country and compiles this data into the UCR. The most recent update showed an overall coverage rate of 95% of all jurisdictions nationwide with a coverage rate of 97% of all jurisdictions in metropolitan areas.

Applied Geographic Solutions uses the UCR at the jurisdictional level to model each of the seven crime types at other levels of geography. Risk indexes are standardized based on the national average. A Risk Index value of 100 for a particular risk indicates that, for the area, the relative probability of the risk is consistent with the average probability of that risk across the United States.

It should be noted that aggregate indexes for total crime, personal crime and property crime are not weighted, and murder is no more significant statistically in these indexes than petty theft. Thus, caution should be exercised when using them.

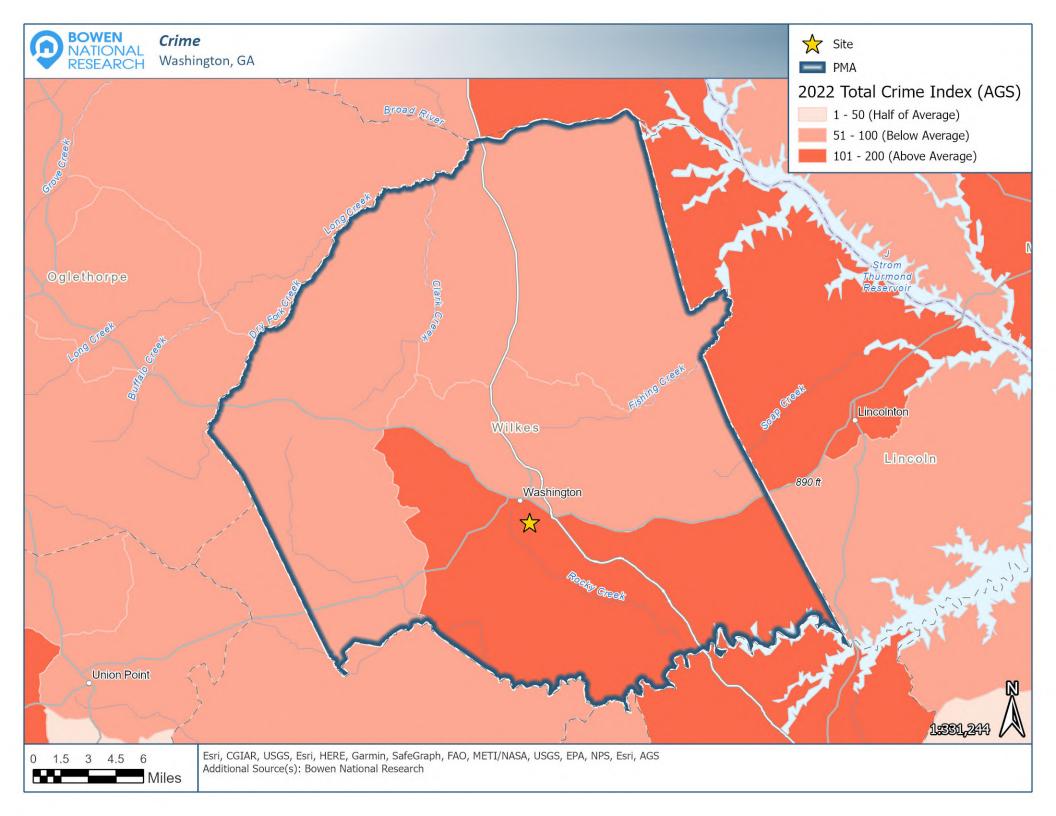
	Crime Risk Index
	PMA/Wilkes County
Total Crime Index	80
Personal Crime Index	91
Murder	121
Rape	67
Robbery	60
Assault	104
Property Crime Index	79
Burglary	105
Larceny	77
Motor Vehicle Theft	49

The crime index for the subject market (i.e.: Wilkes County) is illustrated as follows.

Source: Applied Geographic Solutions, FBI, ESRI PMA – Primary Market Area

The total crime risk for the subject market/Wilkes County is 80, which is below the national average of 100. As such, the perception of crime is not expected to impact the continued marketability of the subject project.

A map illustrating crime risk is on the following page.

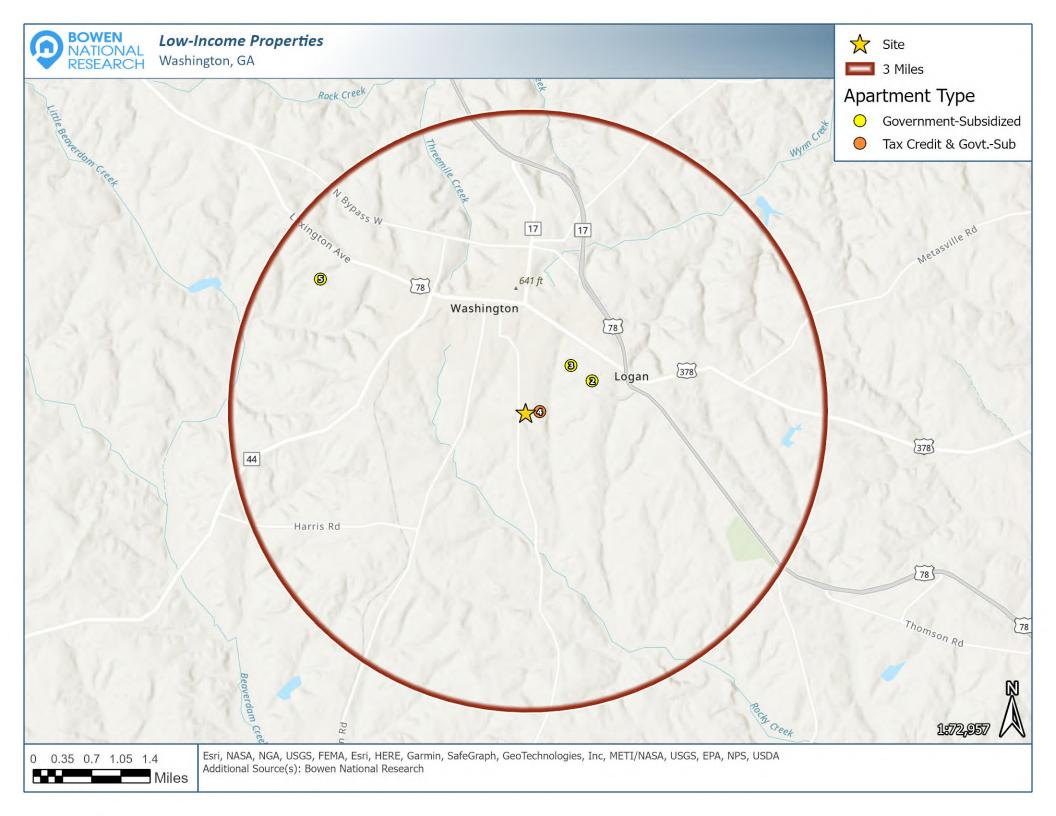


7. OVERALL SITE EVALUATION

The subject site is the existing Brightwood Lane Apartments property, located at 344 Andrew Drive in Washington, Georgia. The site is within a partially developed mixed-use area of Washington, with surrounding residential structures in good condition. Visibility and accessibility of the site are considered good, given the proximity of several local arterial roadways and the light vehicular traffic patterns within the immediate neighborhood, as well as the unobstructed location of the site along the adjacent Andrews Drive. Most essential community services are accessible within 2.0 miles, including (but not limited to) grocery stores, banks, restaurants, pharmacies, discount retailers, gas stations and convenience stores. Additionally, all essential community services are accessible through the demand-based services of Wilkes County Transit (WCT). Overall, the subject site's location and proximity to community services are anticipated to positively contribute to the subject's continued marketability. This is further evidenced by the 100.0% occupancy rate reported for the subject property.

8. MAP OF LOW-INCOME RENTAL HOUSING

A map illustrating the location of low-income rental housing (4% and 9% Tax Credit Properties, Tax Exempt Bond Projects, Rural Development Properties, HUD Section 8, etc.) identified and surveyed in the Site PMA is included on the following page.



Section E – Market Area

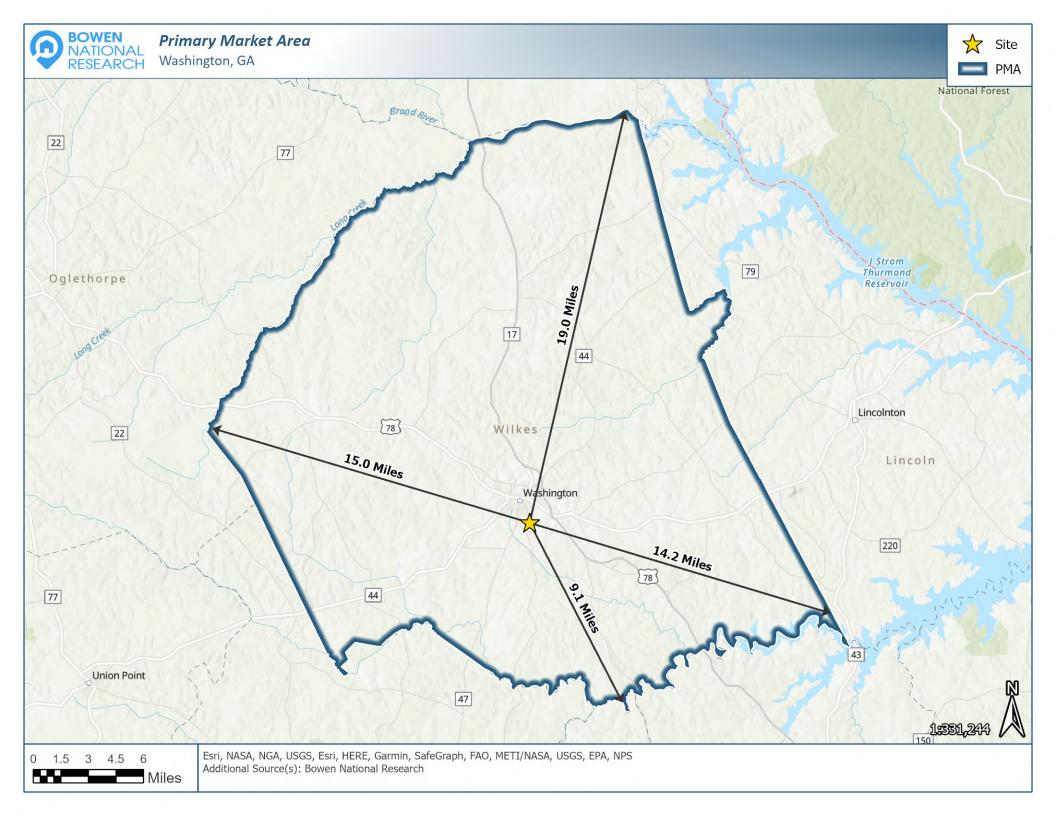
The Site Primary Market Area (PMA) is the geographical area from which comparable properties and potential renters are expected to be drawn. It is also the geographic area expected to generate the most demographic support for the subject development. The Washington Site PMA was determined through interviews with management at the subject site and the personal observations of our analysts. The personal observations of our analysts include physical and/or socioeconomic differences in the market and a demographic analysis of the area households and population.

The Washington Site PMA includes all portions of Wilkes County, including the incorporated communities of Washington, Rayle and Tignall. Specifically, the boundaries of the Site PMA follow the Wilkes County line in all directions.

• Donna White is the Property Manager of the subject site Brightwood Lane Apartments and the adjacent Autumn Lane, a Tax Credit and subsidized property bordering the site project to the east. White confirmed the boundaries of the Site PMA, stating that approximately 75.0% of current tenants among her properties are long-time residents of Wilkes County. White added that the remoteness of Wilkes County and driving times to larger markets throughout the region limit the geographic mobility of low-income tenants seeking affordable housing options.

A small portion of support may originate from the communities outside of Wilkes County; we have not, however, considered a secondary market area in this report.

A map delineating the boundaries of the Site PMA is included on the following page.



Section F – Community Demographic Data

The following demographic data relates to the Site PMA. It is important to note that not all estimates/projections quoted in this section agree because of the variety of sources and rounding methods used. In most cases, the differences in the estimates/projections do not vary more than 1.0%.

1. POPULATION TRENDS

The Site PMA population bases for 2010, 2020, 2023 (estimated), and 2025 (projected) are summarized as follows:

	Year							
	2010	2010 2020 2023 2025						
	(Census)	(Census)	(Estimated)	(Projected)				
Population	10,593	9,565	9,417	9,347				
Population Change	-	-1,028	-148	-70				
Percent Change	-	-9.7%	-1.5%	-0.7%				

Source: 2010 & 2020 Census; ESRI; Bowen National Research

The Washington Site PMA population base declined by 1,028 between 2010 and 2020. This represents a 9.7% decline over the 2010 population, or an annual rate of 1.0%. Between 2020 and 2023, the population declined by 148, or 1.5%. It is projected that the population will decrease by 70, or 0.7%, between 2023 and 2025.

The Site PMA population bases by age are summarized as follows:

Population	2010 (0	Census)	2023 (Es	timated)	2025 (Projected)		Change 2023-2025	
by Age	Number	Percent	Number	Percent	Number	Percent	Number	Percent
19 & Under	2,598	24.5%	2,047	21.7%	2,027	21.7%	-20	-1.0%
20 to 24	524	4.9%	446	4.7%	433	4.6%	-13	-2.9%
25 to 34	1,139	10.8%	957	10.2%	922	9.9%	-35	-3.7%
35 to 44	1,245	11.8%	1,082	11.5%	1,072	11.5%	-10	-1.0%
45 to 54	1,597	15.1%	1,126	12.0%	1,103	11.8%	-23	-2.1%
55 to 64	1,519	14.3%	1,391	14.8%	1,350	14.4%	-41	-3.0%
65 to 74	1,097	10.4%	1,406	14.9%	1,396	14.9%	-10	-0.7%
75 & Older	874	8.3%	962	10.2%	1,046	11.2%	84	8.7%
Total	10,593	100.0%	9,417	100.0%	9,347	100.0%	-70	-0.7%

Source: Bowen National Research, ESRI, Census

As the preceding table illustrates, nearly half (48.5%) of the population is expected to be between the ages of 25 and 64 in 2023, while over one quarter (25.1%) are expected to be age 65 and older. These age groups are the primary groups of potential renters for the subject project and will likely continue to represent a significant number of the tenants.

	Year						
	2010 (C	Census)	2023 (Est	timated)	2025 (Projected)		
Population Type	Number	Percent	Number	Percent	Number	Percent	
Elderly (62+)	2,427	22.9%	2,785	29.6%	2,847	30.5%	
Non-Elderly	8,166	77.1%	6,632	70.4%	6,501	69.5%	
Total	10,593	100.0%	9,417	100.0%	9,347	100.0%	

The non-elderly and elderly (age 62 and older) populations are distributed as follows:

Source: American Community Survey (2017-2021); ESRI; Bowen National Research

Approximately 29.6% of the Site PMA's population are estimated to be age 62 and older in 2023. The number and share of elderly individuals within the market are projected to increase through 2025, which is a positive indication of the growing need for senior housing (such as that offered by the subject project).

2. HOUSEHOLD TRENDS

Household trends within the Washington Site PMA are summarized as follows:

	Year							
	2010 (Census)	2020 (Census)	2023 (Estimated)	2025 (Projected)				
Households	4,263	4,098	4,073	4,067				
Household Change	-	-165	-25	-6				
Percent Change	-	-3.9%	-0.6%	-0.2%				
Average Household Size	2.45	2.4	2.29	2.27				

Source: Bowen National Research, ESRI, Census

Within the Washington Site PMA, households decreased by 165 (3.9%) between 2010 and 2020. However, the household base remained relatively stable between 2020 and 2023. This stability is projected to continue through 2025, with over 4,000 households projected to remain in the market during this time.

The Site PMA household bases by age are summarized as follows:

Households	2010 (C	Census)	2023 (Estimated)		2025 (Projected)		Change 2023-2025	
by Age	Number	Percent	Number	Percent	Number	Percent	Number	Percent
Under 25	113	2.7%	91	2.2%	89	2.2%	-2	-1.8%
25 to 34	445	10.4%	405	9.9%	391	9.6%	-14	-3.4%
35 to 44	603	14.1%	548	13.5%	542	13.3%	-6	-1.0%
45 to 54	876	20.5%	623	15.3%	609	15.0%	-14	-2.2%
55 to 64	892	20.9%	812	19.9%	788	19.4%	-24	-3.0%
65 to 74	713	16.7%	916	22.5%	909	22.4%	-7	-0.7%
75 & Older	621	14.6%	678	16.6%	737	18.1%	59	8.7%
Total	4,263	100.0%	4,073	100.0%	4,067	100.0%	-6	-0.2%

Source: Bowen National Research, ESRI, Census

Household growth is projected to occur among households ages 75 and older through 2025, which will positively impact the continued demand for the subject's agerestricted units. While households under the age of 65 are projected to decrease, these households will continue to comprise over half (59.5%) of all households in the market through 2025. The preceding trends are good indications of a stable/growing base of support for both family- and senior-oriented housing alternatives within the Site PMA for the foreseeable future.

The non-elderly and elderly (age 62 and older) households are distributed as follows:

	Year							
	2010 (C	Census)	2023 (Est	timated)	2025 (Projected)			
Household Type	Number	Percent	Number	Percent	Number	Percent		
Elderly (62+)	1,602	37.6%	1,899	46.6%	1,950	48.0%		
Non-Elderly	2,661	62.4%	2,174	53.4%	2,116	52.0%		
Total	4,263	100.0%	4,073	100.0%	4,067	100.0%		

Source: American Community Survey (2017-2021); ESRI; Bowen National Research

Approximately 46.6% of the Site PMA's households are estimated to be age 62 and older in 2023. The number and share of elderly households within the market are projected to increase through 2025, which is a positive indication of the growing need for senior housing (such as that offered by the subject project).

Households by tenure in 2010 (census), 2023 (estimated), and 2025 (projected) are distributed as follows:

	2010 (Census)		2023 (Est	timated)	2025 (Projected)	
Tenure	Number	Percent	Number	Percent	Number	Percent
Owner-Occupied	2,961	69.5%	2,799	68.7%	2,806	69.0%
Renter-Occupied	1,302	30.5%	1,274	31.3%	1,261	31.0%
Total	4,263	100%	4,073	100.0%	4,067	100.0%

Source: Bowen National Research, ESRI, Census

In 2023, homeowners occupied 68.7% of all occupied housing units, while the remaining 31.3% were occupied by renters. This is a good share of renter households for a market such as the Washington Site PMA and represents a good base of potential renter support in the market for the subject project. The number of renter households is projected to remain stable between 2023 and 2025.

Households by tenure for those age 62 and older in 2023 (estimated) and 2025 (projected) are distributed as follows:

	2023 (Est	timated)	2025 (Projected)		
Tenure (62+)	Number	Percent	Number	Percent	
Owner-Occupied	1,563	82.3%	1,602	82.2%	
Renter-Occupied	336	17.7%	348	17.8%	
Total	1,899	100.0%	1,950	100.0%	

Source: Bowen National Research, ESRI, Census

In 2023, homeowners occupied 82.3% of all occupied housing units, while the remaining 17.7% were occupied by renters among senior households age 62 and older. Notably, the number and share of senior renter households is projected to increase through 2025. This represents a good base of potential senior renters in the market for the subject development.

The household sizes by tenure within the Washington Site PMA, based on the 2023 estimates and 2025 projections, were distributed as follows:

Persons per	2023 (Estimated)		2025 (Proj	jected)	Change 2023-2025	
Owner Household	Households	Percent	Households	Percent	Households	Percent
1 Person	934	33.4%	976	34.8%	41	4.4%
2 Persons	1,034	36.9%	1,031	36.7%	-3	-0.3%
3 Persons	425	15.2%	420	15.0%	-5	-1.2%
4 Persons	267	9.5%	257	9.2%	-10	-3.7%
5+ Persons	139	5.0%	122	4.4%	-17	-12.0%
Total	2,799	100.0%	2,806	100.0%	7	0.2%

Source: Bowen National Research, ESRI, Census

Persons per	2023 (Estimated)		2025 (Proj	jected)	Change 2023-2025	
Renter Household	Households	Percent	Households	Percent	Households	Percent
1 Person	481	37.8%	478	37.9%	-3	-0.6%
2 Persons	248	19.5%	229	18.2%	-19	-7.6%
3 Persons	177	13.9%	169	13.4%	-8	-4.5%
4 Persons	93	7.3%	82	6.5%	-11	-11.6%
5+ Persons	275	21.6%	302	24.0%	27	9.9%
Total	1,274	100.0%	1,261	100.0%	-13	-1.0%

Source: Bowen National Research, ESRI, Census

The two- and three-bedroom general-occupancy (family) units offered at the subject project are expected to continue to primarily house up to five-person households. As such, the subject property will continue to be able to accommodate most renter households within the Site PMA among its general-occupancy units, based on household size.

The household sizes by tenure for age 62 and older within the Washington Site PMA, based on the 2023 estimates and 2025 projections, were distributed as follows:

Persons per Owner	2023 (Estimated)		2025 (Proj	jected)	Change 2023-2025	
Household (62+)	Households	Percent	Households	Percent	Households	Percent
1 Person	513	32.8%	545	34.0%	32	6.1%
2 Persons	628	40.2%	643	40.1%	15	2.4%
3+ Persons	422	27.0%	415	25.9%	-7	-1.7%
Total	1,563	100.0%	1,602	100.0%	39	2.5%

Source: Bowen National Research, ESRI, Census

Persons per Renter	2023 (Estin	mated)	2025 (Proj	jected)	Change 2023-2025	
Household (62+)	Households	Percent	Households	Percent	Households	Percent
1 Person	183	54.4%	194	55.8%	11	6.1%
2 Persons	106	31.4%	105	30.1%	-1	-0.9%
3+ Persons	48	14.2%	49	14.1%	1	2.7%
Total	336	100.0%	348	100.0%	11	3.4%

Source: Bowen National Research, ESRI, Census

The one- and two-bedroom age-restricted units offered at the project will continue to accommodate up to two-person senior households. As such, the subject property will continue to be able to accommodate most senior renter households within the Site PMA among its age-restricted units, based on household size.

The distribution of households by income within the Washington Site PMA is summarized as follows:

Household Income	2010 (Census)		2023 (Estimated)		2025 (Pr	ojected)
nousenoia meome	Number	Percent	Number	Percent	Number	Percent
Less Than \$15,000	1,344	31.5%	675	16.6%	646	15.9%
\$15,000 - \$24,999	597	14.0%	557	13.7%	537	13.2%
\$25,000 - \$34,999	502	11.8%	308	7.6%	300	7.4%
\$35,000 - \$49,999	561	13.2%	511	12.5%	497	12.2%
\$50,000 - \$74,999	707	16.6%	790	19.4%	793	19.5%
\$75,000 - \$99,999	307	7.2%	484	11.9%	498	12.2%
\$100,000 - \$149,999	166	3.9%	562	13.8%	594	14.6%
\$150,000 & Higher	79	1.9%	186	4.6%	202	5.0%
Total	4,263	100.0%	4,073	100.0%	4,067	100.0%
Median Income	\$28,	794	\$49,	438	\$51.	662

Source: Bowen National Research, ESRI, Census

In 2023, the median household income is estimated to be \$49,438. By 2025, it is projected that the median household income will be \$51,662, an increase of 4.5% over 2023.

The distribution of households for age 62 and older by income within the Washington Site PMA is summarized as follows:

Household Income (62)	2023 (Es	timated)	2025 (Projected)		
Household Income (62+)	Number	Percent	Number	Percent	
Less Than \$15,000	300	15.8%	298	15.3%	
\$15,000 - \$24,999	275	14.5%	272	14.0%	
\$25,000 - \$34,999	121	6.4%	121	6.2%	
\$35,000 - \$49,999	237	12.5%	237	12.1%	
\$50,000 - \$74,999	366	19.3%	378	19.4%	
\$75,000 - \$99,999	226	11.9%	237	12.2%	
\$100,000 - \$149,999	269	14.2%	291	14.9%	
\$150,000 & Higher	105	5.5%	117	6.0%	
Total	1,899	100.0%	1,950	100.0%	
Median Income	\$51,156 \$53,12		128		

Source: Bowen National Research, ESRI

In 2023, the median household income is estimated to be \$51,156 among households age 62 and older. By 2025, it is projected that the median household income will be \$53,128 among these households, an increase of 3.9% over 2023.

The following tables illustrate renter household income by household size for 2020, 2023, and 2025 for the Washington Site PMA:

Renter	2020 (ACS)					
Households	1-Person	2-Person	3-Person	4-Person	5+Person	Total
Less Than \$15,000	186	30	94	20	45	374
\$15,000 - \$24,999	84	34	23	11	22	173
\$25,000 - \$34,999	17	37	19	26	39	138
\$35,000 - \$49,999	26	20	7	21	35	109
\$50,000 - \$74,999	76	10	13	7	50	159
\$75,000 - \$99,999	43	106	15	11	19	196
\$100,000 - \$149,999	50	35	17	12	23	137
\$150,000 & Higher	3	4	0	1	2	11
Total	485	276	189	109	234	1,294

Source: ESRI, Bowen National Research

Renter		2023 (Estimated)					
Households	1-Person	2-Person	3-Person	4-Person	5+Person	Total	
Less Than \$15,000	176	25	85	16	49	351	
\$15,000 - \$24,999	81	29	21	9	24	164	
\$25,000 - \$34,999	17	32	18	22	44	133	
\$35,000 - \$49,999	25	17	6	17	39	104	
\$50,000 - \$74,999	74	9	12	6	57	159	
\$75,000 - \$99,999	49	100	16	10	28	204	
\$100,000 - \$149,999	55	33	18	11	32	149	
\$150,000 & Higher	4	3	1	1	3	12	
Total	481	248	177	93	275	1,274	

Source: ESRI, Bowen National Research

Renter		2025 (Projected)					
Households	1-Person	2-Person	3-Person	4-Person	5+Person	Total	
Less Than \$15,000	169	22	79	14	51	335	
\$15,000 - \$24,999	79	25	20	8	26	158	
\$25,000 - \$34,999	17	28	17	19	48	129	
\$35,000 - \$49,999	24	15	6	15	41	101	
\$50,000 - \$74,999	72	8	11	5	61	159	
\$75,000 - \$99,999	53	96	17	10	34	210	
\$100,000 - \$149,999	59	31	18	11	38	157	
\$150,000 & Higher	4	3	1	1	3	13	
Total	478	229	169	82	302	1,262	

Source: ESRI, Bowen National Research

The following tables illustrate renter household income by household size for ages 62 and older in 2020, 2023, and 2025 for the Washington Site PMA:

Donton Households (62)	2020 (ACS)						
Renter Households (62+)	1-Person	2-Person	3+Person	Total			
Less Than \$15,000	81	9	23	114			
\$15,000 - \$24,999	31	13	6	49			
\$25,000 - \$34,999	7	12	5	24			
\$35,000 - \$49,999	6	10	2	18			
\$50,000 - \$74,999	18	3	3	24			
\$75,000 - \$99,999	10	52	3	65			
\$100,000 - \$149,999	11	9	4	24			
\$150,000 & Higher	1	1	0	2			
Total	166	107	46	319			

Source: 2020 Census, ESRI, Bowen National Research

Denter Henrichelde ((2))	2023 (Estimated)						
Renter Households (62+)	1-Person	2-Person	3+Person	Total			
Less Than \$15,000	85	8	23	116			
\$15,000 - \$24,999	34	11	6	51			
\$25,000 - \$34,999	8	11	5	24			
\$35,000 - \$49,999	7	9	2	18			
\$50,000 - \$74,999	20	2	3	26			
\$75,000 - \$99,999	13	54	4	72			
\$100,000 - \$149,999	15	9	5	29			
\$150,000 & Higher	1	1	0	2			
Total	183	106	48	336			

Source: 2020 Census, ESRI, Bowen National Research

Donton Households (62)	2025 (Projected)						
Renter Households (62+)	1-Person	2-Person	3+Person	Total			
Less Than \$15,000	88	7	23	118			
\$15,000 - \$24,999	35	11	6	52			
\$25,000 - \$34,999	9	10	5	24			
\$35,000 - \$49,999	7	9	2	17			
\$50,000 - \$74,999	21	2	3	27			
\$75,000 - \$99,999	16	56	5	76			
\$100,000 - \$149,999	17	9	5	32			
\$150,000 & Higher	1	1	0	2			
Total	194	105	49	348			

Source: 2020 Census, ESRI, Bowen National Research

The following tables illustrate owner household income by household size for ages 62 and older in 2020, 2023, and 2025 for the Washington Site PMA:

Owner Henscholds (62)	2020 (ACS)						
Owner Households (62+)	1-Person	2-Person	3+Person	Total			
Less Than \$15,000	144	38	8	189			
\$15,000 - \$24,999	132	72	25	229			
\$25,000 - \$34,999	36	42	20	98			
\$35,000 - \$49,999	64	86	69	220			
\$50,000 - \$74,999	44	170	112	325			
\$75,000 - \$99,999	22	58	65	145			
\$100,000 - \$149,999	13	85	114	212			
\$150,000 & Higher	11	56	19	86			
Total	466	605	433	1,504			

Source: 2020 Census, ESRI, Bowen National Research

Owner Henscholds (62)	2023 (Estimated)						
Owner Households (62+)	1-Person	2-Person	3+Person	Total			
Less Than \$15,000	143	34	6	183			
\$15,000 - \$24,999	136	65	22	224			
\$25,000 - \$34,999	39	40	19	97			
\$35,000 - \$49,999	72	84	64	220			
\$50,000 - \$74,999	55	178	108	340			
\$75,000 - \$99,999	29	61	64	155			
\$100,000 - \$149,999	21	101	118	240			
\$150,000 & Higher	17	65	21	103			
Total	513	628	422	1,563			

Source: 2020 Census, ESRI, Bowen National Research

Owner Henceholds (62)	2025 (Projected)						
Owner Households (62+)	1-Person	2-Person	3+Person	Total			
Less Than \$15,000	143	31	5	179			
\$15,000 - \$24,999	139	61	21	221			
\$25,000 - \$34,999	42	38	17	97			
\$35,000 - \$49,999	78	82	60	220			
\$50,000 - \$74,999	63	183	105	351			
\$75,000 - \$99,999	33	64	64	161			
\$100,000 - \$149,999	26	112	121	259			
\$150,000 & Higher	21	71	22	114			
Total	545	643	415	1,602			

Source: 2020 Census, ESRI, Bowen National Research

Demographic Summary

The population and household bases within the Washington Site PMA are projected to remain relatively stable between 2023 and 2025. Household growth is only projected to occur among households ages 75 and older, though households under the age of 65 will continue to comprise over half (59.5%) of all households in the market through 2025. The number of renter households is projected to remain stable overall through 2025, with more than 1,200 renter households projected to remain in the market during this time. Of note, household growth is projected to occur among renters age 62 and older through 2025. Further, nearly half (49.3%) of all renter households (or 55.7% of renter households age 62 and older) are projected to earn less than \$35,000 in 2025. Based on the preceding factors, a good base of potential support for affordable rental housing alternatives (both family and senior) will continue to exist within the Washington Site PMA for the foreseeable future.

Section G – Employment Trends

1. LABOR FORCE PROFILE

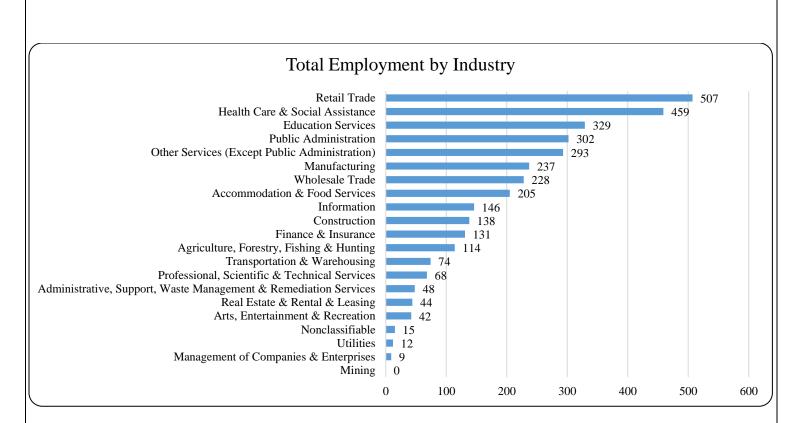
The labor force within the Washington Site PMA is based primarily in two sectors. Retail Trade (which comprises 14.9%) and Health Care & Social Assistance comprise over 28.4% of the Site PMA labor force. Employment in the Washington Site PMA, as of 2023, was distributed as follows:

NAICS Group	Establishments	Percent	Employees	Percent	E.P.E.
Agriculture, Forestry, Fishing & Hunting	16	3.6%	114	3.4%	7
Mining	0	0.0%	0	0.0%	0
Utilities	2	0.5%	12	0.4%	6
Construction	26	5.9%	138	4.1%	5
Manufacturing	21	4.8%	237	7.0%	11
Wholesale Trade	20	4.5%	228	6.7%	11
Retail Trade	59	13.4%	507	14.9%	9
Transportation & Warehousing	14	3.2%	74	2.2%	5
Information	7	1.6%	146	4.3%	21
Finance & Insurance	25	5.7%	131	3.9%	5
Real Estate & Rental & Leasing	18	4.1%	44	1.3%	2
Professional, Scientific & Technical Services	19	4.3%	68	2.0%	4
Management of Companies & Enterprises	1	0.2%	9	0.3%	9
Administrative, Support, Waste Management & Remediation Services	8	1.8%	48	1.4%	6
Education Services	15	3.4%	329	9.7%	22
Health Care & Social Assistance	26	5.9%	459	13.5%	18
Arts, Entertainment & Recreation	13	2.9%	42	1.2%	3
Accommodation & Food Services	21	4.8%	205	6.0%	10
Other Services (Except Public Administration)	86	19.5%	293	8.6%	3
Public Administration	36	8.2%	302	8.9%	8
Nonclassifiable	8	1.8%	15	0.4%	2
Т	otal 441	100.0%	3,401	100.0%	8

Source: Bowen National Research, ESRI, Census

E.P.E.- Average Employees Per Establishment

Note: Since this survey is conducted of establishments and not of residents, some employees may not live within the Site PMA; however, these employees are included in our labor force calculations because their places of employment are located within the Site PMA.



Typical wages by job category for Wilkes County are compared with the state of Georgia in the following table:

Typical Wage by Occupation Type						
Occupation Type	Wilkes County	Georgia				
Management Occupations	\$38,659	\$76,798				
Business And Financial Occupations	\$28,750	\$65,923				
Computer And Mathematical Occupations	\$66,875	\$83,893				
Architecture And Engineering Occupations	N/A	\$80,581				
Community And Social Service Occupations	\$28,750	\$42,280				
Art, Design, Entertainment, Sports, and Media Occupations	\$70,223	\$42,055				
Healthcare Practitioners And Technical Occupations	\$59,625	\$60,823				
Healthcare Support Occupations	\$22,361	\$25,971				
Protective Service Occupations	\$34,628	\$41,287				
Food Preparation And Serving Related Occupations	\$17,813	\$15,166				
Building And Grounds Cleaning And Maintenance Occupations	\$11,875	\$22,037				
Personal Care And Service Occupations	\$25,436	\$17,444				
Sales And Related Occupations	\$22,813	\$32,936				
Office And Administrative Support Occupations	\$29,777	\$33,841				
Construction And Extraction Occupations	\$32,281	\$34,066				
Installation, Maintenance And Repair Occupations	\$35,250	\$45,401				
Production Occupations	\$33,462	\$33,911				
Transportation Occupations	\$21,455	\$39,168				
Material Moving Occupations	\$20,913	\$25,178				
Source: U.S. Department of Labor, Bureau of Statistics						

Source: U.S. Department of Labor, Bureau of Statistics

N/A – Not Available

Most Wilkes County occupations have typical wages which are lower than those reported for the state of Georgia, with many occupations offering wages of less than \$40,000 annually. Thus, the Wilkes County area appears to be conducive to affordable housing alternatives such as those offered at the subject project.

2. MAJOR EMPLOYERS

The 10 largest employers within the Wilkes County area are summarized in the following table. Note that the year established and salary range were not readily available for these top employers. However, these employers are well-established in the market and likely offer salaries/wages typical of those reported for the area and reflected in the *Typical Wage by Occupation Type* table earlier in this section. Also, note that these employers are listed alphabetically, as the number of employees per establishment were unavailable for Wilkes County at the time this report was issued.

Employer Name	Business Type		
Anderson & Son, Inc	Commercial Land Clearing		
Anthony Forest Products Co	Lumber Production		
Barnett Contracting, Inc	Contracting and Development		
Barnett Southern Corporation	Utility and Site Development		
Burt Lumber Co, Inc	Lumber Milling		
CSRA Private Duty, Inc.	Home Health Assistance		
F&M Bank	Banking Services		
Ingles Markets, Inc	Grocery		
Pliant Corporation	Manufacturing		
Rekord Tent, LLC	Shelter Manufacturing		

Source: Georgia Department of Labor (4th Quarter, 2022)

Despite multiple attempts, we were unable to receive a response from area economic development representatives regarding the current status of the local economy. However, based on extensive online research, the following table summarizes some recent and/or ongoing economic development projects within the Wilkes County area at the time of this analysis.

Economic Development Activity					
Project Name Investment Job Creation Scope of Work/Details					
CleanSpark			Bitcoin mining company expanded in Washington, GA; Broke ground in January		
Expansion	\$55 million	N/A	2023; Completed July 2023.		
			City of Washington and Herbert Homes Inc. announced plans in March 2023 to build		
Affordable Home			100 Workforce Housing starter homes on 27 acres; Homes expected to cost between		
Project	N/A	N/A	\$120,000 and \$250,000; Construction timeline unknown.		

N/A- Not Available

Infrastructure:

The following table summarizes some recent and/or ongoing infrastructure projects within the Wilkes County area as of the time of this analysis:

Project Name	Investment	Scope of Work			
		Proposed widening of 12 miles of State Route 17 from North Washington Bypass to north			
State Route 17 Widening		of County Road 113 in Wilkes County; Addition of bicycle lanes and pedestrian space;			
Project	\$97.6 million	Expected to break ground in 2028; Estimated completion date unknown.			
		Funding announced February 2023; 178-acre park expansion; Construction of walking			
Kettle Creek Battlefield		and biking trails, restrooms, educational space, camping space, and monuments;			
Park Expansion	\$1.4 million	Construction timeline unknown.			

WARN (layoff notices):

WARN Notices of large-scale layoffs/closures were reviewed on August 28, 2023, and according to the Technical College System of Georgia there have been no WARN notices reported for Wilkes County over the past 12 months.

3. <u>EMPLOYMENT TRENDS</u>

The following tables were generated from the U.S. Department of Labor, Bureau of Labor Statistics and reflect employment trends of the county in which the site is located.

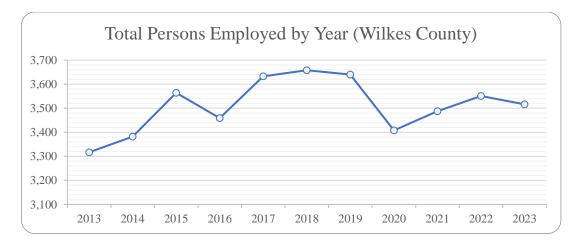
The following illustrates the total employment base for Wilkes County, the state of Georgia, and the United States. Total employment reflects the number of employed persons who live within the county.

		Total Employment							
	Wilkes	County	Georg	gia	United States				
	Total	Percent	Total	Percent	Total	Percent			
Year	Number	Change	Number	Change	Number	Change			
2013	3,317	-	4,363,292	-	143,929,000	-			
2014	3,382	2.0%	4,407,067	1.0%	146,305,000	1.7%			
2015	3,564	5.4%	4,446,515	0.9%	148,833,000	1.7%			
2016	3,459	-2.9%	4,653,740	4.7%	151,436,000	1.7%			
2017	3,633	5.0%	4,864,813	4.5%	153,337,000	1.3%			
2018	3,658	0.7%	4,922,489	1.2%	155,761,000	1.6%			
2019	3,640	-0.5%	4,975,975	1.1%	157,538,000	1.1%			
2020	3,408	-6.4%	4,766,734	-4.2%	147,795,000	-6.2%			
2021	3,488	2.3%	4,977,562	4.4%	152,581,000	3.2%			
2022	3,551	1.8%	5,075,093	2.0%	158,291,000	3.7%			
2023	3,516*	-1.0%	5,123,258*	0.9%	160,681,000**	1.5%			

Source: Bureau of Labor Statistics

*Through June 2023

**Through July 2023



As the preceding illustrates, the Wilkes County employment base has increased overall following the impact of the COVID-19 pandemic in 2020, increasing by over 100 jobs (3.2%) through June 2023. While total employment remains below prepandemic levels, the aforementioned net growth indicates that the local employment base is beginning to stabilize.

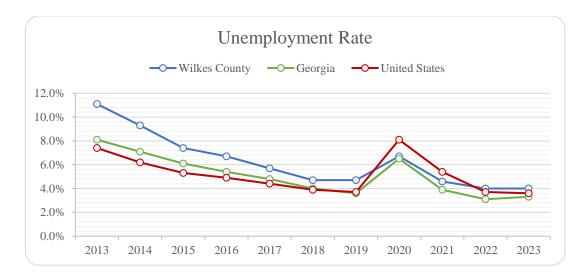
Unemployment rates for Wilkes County, the state of Georgia, and the United States are illustrated as follows:

		Unemployment Rate	
Year	Wilkes County	Georgia	United States
2013	11.1%	8.1%	7.4%
2014	9.3%	7.1%	6.2%
2015	7.4%	6.1%	5.3%
2016	6.7%	5.4%	4.9%
2017	5.7%	4.8%	4.4%
2018	4.7%	4.0%	3.9%
2019	4.7%	3.6%	3.7%
2020	6.7%	6.5%	8.1%
2021	4.6%	3.9%	5.4%
2022	4.0%	3.1%	3.7%
2023	4.0%*	3.3%*	3.6%**

Source: Department of Labor, Bureau of Labor Statistics

*Through June 2023

**Through July 2023



The annual unemployment rate within the county increased by two full percentage points in 2020, as a direct result of the pandemic, but has since declined by nearly three full percentage points to a rate of 4.0% through June 2023. Notably, the current unemployment rate of 4.0% (through June 2023) is lower than pre-pandemic levels and represents a ten-year low for the county, despite being higher than both the state and national unemployment rates.

In-place employment reflects the total number of jobs within the county regardless of the employee's county of residence. The following illustrates the total in-place employment base for Wilkes County.

[In-Pla	ce Employment Wilkes	County
Year	Employment	Change	Percent Change
2012	2,900	-	-
2013	2,854	-46	-1.6%
2014	2,868	14	0.5%
2015	2,919	51	1.8%
2016	3,033	114	3.9%
2017	2,948	-85	-2.8%
2018	2,873	-75	-2.5%
2019	2,794	-79	-2.7%
2020	2,510	-284	-10.2%
2021	2,542	32	1.3%
2022	2,666	124	4.9%

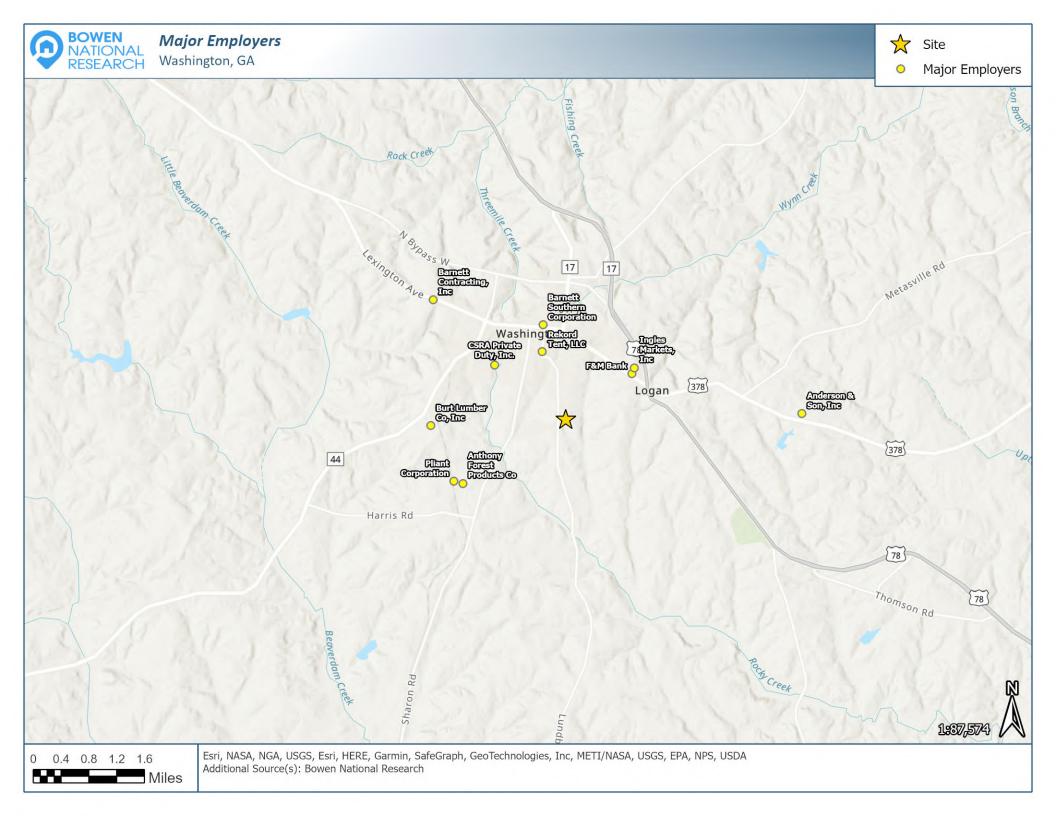
Source: Department of Labor, Bureau of Labor Statistics

Data for 2022, the most recent year that year-end figures are available, indicates inplace employment in Wilkes County to be 75.1% of the total Wilkes County employment. This means that Wilkes County has more employed persons leaving the county for daytime employment than those who work in the county. This is not uncommon, however, of more rural areas situated on the periphery of larger metro areas, such as Wilkes County's proximity to the Augusta (Richmond County) and Athens (Clarke County) areas. Further, in-place employment has increased within the county over the past two years.

4. ECONOMIC FORECAST

Following the onset of the COVID-19 pandemic in 2020, which decreased the overall employment base and increased the unemployment rate in Wilkes County, the local economy has improved overall both in terms of total employment and unemployment rates. Specifically, the employment base increased by over 100 jobs (3.2%) and the annual unemployment rate has declined to a ten-year low of 4.0% through June 2023. However, it is also of note that the total employment base remains below prepandemic levels for the county, while the annual unemployment rate is above those reported for the state and nation during the same time period. Regardless, the Wilkes County economy is recovering from the impact of the pandemic and beginning to stabilize, a trend that we expect will continue for the foreseeable future. This will, in turn, create a stable environment for the local housing market.

A map illustrating notable employment centers is on the following page.



Section H – Affordability & Demand Analysis

1. DETERMINATION OF INCOME ELIGIBILITY

The number of income-eligible households necessary to support the project from the Site PMA is an important consideration in evaluating the subject project's potential.

Under the Low-Income Housing Tax Credit (LIHTC) program, household eligibility is based on household income not exceeding the targeted percentage of Area Median Household Income (AMHI), depending upon household size.

The subject site is within Wilkes County, Georgia, which has a median four-person household income of \$63,700 for 2023. The subject property will be restricted to households with incomes of up to 60% of AMHI. The following table summarizes the maximum allowable income by household size and targeted AMHI level.

	Targeted AMHI Maximum Allowable Income		
Household Size	60%		
One-Person	\$27,300		
Two-Person	\$31,200		
Three-Person	\$35,100		
Four-Person	\$39,000		
Five-Person	\$42,120		

a. <u>Maximum Income Limits</u>

The largest family (general-occupancy) units (three-bedroom) offered at the subject project are expected to continue to house up to five-person households. As such, the maximum allowable income for the family units at the subject project is **\$42,120**. Conversely, the subject's senior units will continue to house up to two-person senior households and will have a maximum income limit of **\$31,200**.

b. Minimum Income Requirements

Leasing industry standards typically require households to have rent-to- income ratios of 27% to 40%. Pursuant to GDCA market study guidelines, the maximum rent-to-income ratio permitted for family projects is 35%, while older person (age 55 and older) and elderly (age 62 and older) projects should utilize a 40% rent-to-income ratio.

As indicated throughout this report, the existing subject property will continue to operate under the Rural Development Section 515 (RD 515) program with Rental Assistance (RA) available to 37 of 40 units following renovations, and the subject developer will offer a Private Rental Assistance (PRA) subsidy to all currently unassisted tenants. Thus, the property will effectively be able to accommodate households earning as little as \$0 as the RA will allow most tenants to pay up to only 30% of their income towards rent. This has been considered in our demand estimates.

However, the subject's family (general-occupancy) LIHTC units will have a lowest gross rent of \$809. Over a 12-month period, the minimum annual household expenditure (rent plus tenant-paid utilities) for these units is \$9,708. Applying a 35% rent-to-income ratio to the minimum annual household expenditure yields a minimum annual household income requirement for the family Tax Credit units of **\$27,737**.

The subject's senior units have a lowest gross rent of \$673. Over a 12-month period, the minimum annual household expenditure (rent plus tenant-paid utilities) for these units is \$8,076. Applying a 40% rent-to-income ratio to the minimum annual household expenditure yields a minimum annual household income requirement for the senior Tax Credit units of **\$20,190**.

Note that these minimum income requirements would apply to the three non-RA units and/or the entire property in the unlikely event that RA was not retained and PRA was not offered following renovations.

c. Income-Appropriate Range

Based on the preceding analyses, the income-appropriate ranges required for living at the subject project with units built to serve households at 60% AMHI, with and without RA, are as follows:

	Income Range			
Unit Type	Minimum	Maximum		
Family Unit	Ś			
Tax Credit w/RA (Limited to 60% AMHI)	\$0	\$42,120		
Tax Credit Only (Limited to 60% AMHI)	\$27,737	\$42,120		
Senior Unit	S			
Tax Credit w/RA (Limited to 60% AMHI)	\$0	\$31,200		
Tax Credit Only (Limited to 60% AMHI)	\$20,190	\$31,200		

2. METHODOLOGY

Demand

The following are the demand components as outlined by the Georgia Department of Community Affairs (GDCA):

a. Demand from New Household: New units required in the market area due to projected household growth from migration into the market and growth from existing households in the market should be determined. This should be determined using current renter household data and projecting forward to the anticipated placed in service date of the project using a growth rate established from a reputable source such as ESRI or the State Data Center. This household projection must be limited to the target population, age and income group and the demand for each income group targeted (i.e. 50% of median income) must be shown separately. In instances where a significant number (more than 20%) of proposed units comprise three- and four-bedroom units, please refine the analysis by factoring in the number of large households (generally 5+ persons). A demand analysis that does not account for this may overestimate demand. Note that our calculations have been reduced to only include **renter-qualified** households.

- **b. Demand from Existing Households:** The second source of demand should be projected from:
 - Rent overburdened households, if any, within the age group, income groups and tenure (renters) targeted for the subject development. In order to achieve consistency in methodology, all analysts should assume that the rent overburdened analysis includes households paying greater than 35% (Family), or greater than 40% (Senior) of their incomes toward gross rent.

Based on Table B25074 of the American Community Survey (ACS) 2017-2021 5-year estimates, approximately 36.5% of renter households within the Site PMA are rent overburdened. These households have been included in our demand analysis.

• Households living in substandard housing (i.e. units that lack complete plumbing or that are overcrowded). Households in substandard housing should be determined based on the age, the income bands, and the tenure that apply. The analyst should use his/her own knowledge of the market area and project to determine whether households from substandard housing would be a realistic source of demand. The analyst is encouraged to be conservative in his/her estimate of demand from both rent overburdened households and from those living in substandard housing.

Based on Table B25016 of the American Community Survey (ACS) 2017-2021 5-year estimates, 0.0% of all renter households in the market were living in substandard housing that lacked complete indoor plumbing or in overcrowded (1.5+ persons per room) households.

• Elderly Homeowners likely to convert to renters: GDCA recognizes that this type of turnover is increasingly becoming a factor in the demand for elderly Tax Credit housing. This segment should not account for more than 2% of total demand. Due to the difficulty of extrapolating elderly (age 62 and older) owner households from elderly renter households, analyst may use the total figure for elderly households in the appropriate income band to derive this demand figure. Data from interviews with property managers of active projects regarding renters who have come from homeownership should be used to refine the analysis. A narrative of the steps taken to arrive at this demand figure must be included and any figure that accounts for more than 2% of total demand must be based on actual market conditions, as documented in the study. **c. Other:** GDCA does not consider household turnover to be a source of market demand. However, if an analyst firmly believes that demand exists that is not captured by the above methods, he/she may use other indicators to estimate demand if they are fully justified (e.g. an analysis of an under built market in the base year). Any such additional indicators should be calculated separately from the demand analysis above. Such additions should be well documented by the analyst with documentation included in the Market Study.

Net Demand

The overall demand components illustrated above are added together and the competitive supply of competitive vacant and/or units constructed in the past two years (2021/2022) is subtracted to calculate Net Demand. Vacancies in projects placed in service prior to 2021 which have not reached stabilized occupancy (i.e. at least 90% occupied) must also be considered as part of supply. **GDCA requires analysts to include ALL projects that have been funded, are proposed for funding and/or received a bond allocation from GDCA, in the demand analysis, along with ALL conventional rental properties existing or planned in the market as outlined above. Competitive units are defined as those units that are of similar size and configuration and provide alternative housing to a similar tenant population, at rent levels comparative to those proposed for the subject development.**

To determine the Net Supply number for each bedroom and income category, the analyst will prepare a Competitive Analysis Chart that will provide a unit breakdown of the competitive properties and list each unit type. All properties determined to be competitive with the proposed development will be included in the Supply Analysis to be used in determining Net Supply in the Primary Market Area. In cases where the analyst believes the projects are not competitive with the subject units, the analyst will include a detailed description for each property and unit type explaining why the units were excluded from the market supply calculation. (e.g., the property is on the periphery of the market area, is a market-rate property; or otherwise only partially compares to the proposed subject).

Within the Site PMA, we did not identify any rental units within the development pipeline that will directly compete with the subject project. In addition, we did not identify any competitive projects placed in service prior to 2021 that have not reached a stabilized occupancy of 90%. Note that we identified but were unable to survey one project offering non-subsidized senior Tax Credit units within the market, Foxwood Senior Village, which was placed in service in 2013. However, this property reported a 100.0% occupancy rate and a waiting list during our most recent survey of the project in December 2021. Thus, we have not considered any directly competitive supply units in our demand estimates.

	Percent Of Median Household Income					
	Family	y Units	Senior Units			
Demand Component	Scenario One: LIHTC w/RA (\$0-\$42,120)	Scenario Two: LIHTC Only (\$27,737-\$42,120)	Scenario One: LIHTC w/RA (\$0-\$31,200)	Scenario Two: LIHTC Only (\$20,190-\$31,200)		
Demand From New Households						
(Age- And Income-Appropriate)	670 - 697 = -27	142 - 146 = -4	185 - 182 = 3	59 - 60 = -1		
+						
Demand From Existing Households (Rent Overburdened)	697 x 36.5% = 255	146 x 36.5% = 53	182 x 36.5% = 66	60 x 36.5% = 22		
+						
Demand From Existing Households (Renters In Substandard Housing)	$697 \ge 0.0\% = 0$	$146 \ge 0.0\% = 0$	$182 \ge 0.0\% = 0$	$60 \ge 0.0\% = 0$		
=						
Demand Subtotal	228	49	69	21		
+						
Demand From Existing Homeowners (Elderly Homeowner Conversion)						
Cannot exceed 2%	N/A	N/A	468 x 2.0% = 1*	203 x 2.0% = 0*		
=						
Total Demand	228	49	70	21		
-						
Supply (Directly Comparable Units Built And/Or Funded Since 2021)	0	0	0	0		
=						
Net Demand	228	49	70	21		
Proposed Units / Net Demand	24 / 228	24 / 49	16 / 70	16 / 21		
Capture Rate	10.5%	49.0%	22.9%	76.2%		
Proposed Units Less Units to						
Remain Occupied / Net Demand	0/228	24 / 49	0 / 70	16/21		
Effective Capture Rate	0.0%	49.0%	0.0%	76.2%		

The following is a summary of our demand calculations:

*Adjusted to represent no more than 2% of total demand per GDCA guidelines.

N/A – Not Applicable

Per GDCA guidelines, capture rates below 35.0% for projects in rural markets are typically considered acceptable. Thus, the subject project's family- and senior-specific capture rates in the subsidized scenario (ranging from 10.5% to 22.9%) are considered acceptable. This is particularly true when considering the limited availability among affordable rental properties surveyed in the market. However, the subject's capture rates in the non-subsidized scenario are considered high, as they range from 49.0% to 76.2%. This demonstrates that a limited base of support exists for the subject project at its proposed rent levels, without the availability of RA on 37 units (Scenario Two). As such, the subject project will likely experience challenges in reaching and/or maintaining a stabilized occupancy rate in this unlikely scenario.

Based on the distribution of households by household size, our survey of conventional apartments and the distribution of bedroom types in balanced markets, the estimated shares of demand by bedroom type for both general-occupancy and senior product in the Site PMA are distributed as follows:

Estimated Demand by Bedroom						
	Percent					
Bedroom Type	Family Product	Senior Product				
One-Bedroom	35.0%	80.0%				
Two-Bedroom	45.0%	20.0%				
Three-Bedroom+	20.0%	-				
Total	100.0%	100.0%				

Note that, while the share of demand for one-bedroom units among senior households (80.0%) could be considered high for markets such as the Site PMA, this figure considers the unit mixes of the existing supply of subsidized age-restricted rental product and the larger base of smaller senior households in the market.

Applying these shares to the income-qualified households yields demand and capture rates for the proposed units by bedroom type and AMHI level as follows:

С	apture Rate	e by Bedroor	n Type and A	MHI Level	(All Units) –	Scenario Or	ne (LIHTC w/	(RA)	
Bedroom Size (Share of Demand)	Target % of AMHI	Subject Units	Total Demand*	Supply**	Net Demand	Capture Rate	Achievable Market Rent	Market Rents Band Min-Max***	Subject Rents
				Senior Un	its				
One-Bedroom (80%)	60%	14	56	0	56	25.0%	\$900	\$1,149-\$1,375	\$517
One-Bedroom	Total	14	56	0	56	25.0%	\$900	\$1,149-\$1,375	\$517
Two-Bedroom (20%)	60%	2	14	0	14	14.3%	\$1,000	\$1,249-\$1,609	\$610
Two-Bedroom	Total	2	14	0	14	14.3%	\$1,000	\$1,249-\$1,609	\$610
				Family Un	nits				
Two-Bedroom (45%)	60%	20	103	0	103	19.4%	\$990	\$1,249-\$1,609	\$610
Two-Bedroom	Total	20	103	0	103	19.4%	\$990	\$1,249-\$1,609	\$610
Three-Bedroom (20%)	60%	4	46	0	46	8.7%	\$1,130	\$1,249-\$1,780	\$705
Three-Bedroom	Total	4	46	0	46	8.7%	\$1,130	\$1,249-\$1,780	\$705
	Capture Rat	e by Bedrooi	m Type and A	AMHI Level	(All Units) –	- Scenario Tv	vo (LIHTC O	<i>.</i>	-
	Target						Achievable	Market Rents	
Bedroom Size	% of	Subject	Total	a 1 * *	Net	Capture	Market	Band	Subject
(Share of Demand)	AMHI	Units	Demand*	Supply**	Demand	Rate	Rent	Min-Max***	Rents
0 5 1 (000)			[Senior Un			*****		
One-Bedroom (80%)	60%	14	17	0	17	82.4%	\$900	\$1,149-\$1,375	\$517
One-Bedroom	Total	14	17	0	17	82.4%	\$900	\$1,149-\$1,375	\$517
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Two-Bedroom (20%)	60%	2 2	4	0	4 4	50.0%	\$1,000	\$1,249-\$1,609	\$610
Two-Bedroom	Total	2	4	0	-	50.0%	\$1,000	\$1,249-\$1,609	\$610
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Two-Bedroom (45%)	60%	20	22	0	22	90.9%	\$990	\$1,249-\$1,609	\$610
Two-Bedroom	Total	20	22	0	22	90.9%	\$990	\$1,249-\$1,609	\$610
TI D 1 (200/)	(00/	4	10	0	10	40.00/	¢1 120	¢1 040 ¢1 700	¢705
Three-Bedroom (20%)	60%	4	10	0	10	40.0%	\$1,130	\$1,249-\$1,780	\$705
Three-Bedroom *Includes overlap betwee	Total	4	10	0	10	40.0%	\$1,130	\$1,249-\$1,780	\$705

*Includes overlap between the targeted income levels at the subject site.

**Directly comparable units built and/or funded in the project market over the projection period.

Achievable Market Rent as determined in Section I.

***Reflective of unadjusted market-rate rents among comparable properties.

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When assuming all units are vacated and need to be re-rented following renovations, the subject's capture rates by bedroom type do not exceed 25.0% in the subsidized scenario. These are considered low and acceptable capture rates utilizing this methodology and demonstrate sufficient support for the subject units within the Site PMA, assuming retention of RA on 37 units following renovations.

The subject's capture rates in the non-subsidized scenario range from 40.0% to 90.9%, indicating that a limited base of support exists for the subject project in the unlikely scenario that the property lost RA and had to operate exclusively under the LIHTC guidelines. This is particularly true for the subject's one-bedroom senior and two-bedroom family units, which comprise the majority of the units at the subject project. As such, the subject project will likely experience challenges in reaching and/or maintaining a stabilized occupancy rate in this unlikely scenario.

The following tables summarize the subject's *effective* capture rates by bedroom type, which consider the subject units which are expected to remain occupied post renovation. Note, this has only been provided for the unlikely non-subsidized (LIHTC only) scenario as all current tenants are expected to remain at the property post renovation, assuming RA/PRA are retained/offered. Thus, the subject's effective capture rates by bedroom type under the subsidized scenario are 0.0% for each bedroom type.

Effective Capture Rate by Bedroom Type and AMHI Level (Less Subject Units to Remain Occupied) – Scenario Two (LIHTC Only)												
Bedroom Size (Share of Demand)	Target % of AMHI	Subject Units	Total Demand*	Supply**	Net Demand	Capture Rate	Achievable Market Rent	Market Rents Band Min-Max***	Subject Rents			
Senior Units												
One-Bedroom (80%)	60%	14	17	0	17	82.4%	\$900	\$1,149-\$1,375	\$517			
One-Bedroom	Total	14	17	0	17	82.4%	\$900	\$1,149-\$1,375	\$517			
Two-Bedroom (20%)	60%	2	4	0	4	50.0%	\$1,000	\$1,249-\$1,609	\$610			
Two-Bedroom	Total	2	4	0	4	50.0%	\$1,000	\$1,249-\$1,609	\$610			
				Family U	nits							
Two-Bedroom (45%)	60%	20	22	0	22	90.9%	\$990	\$1,249-\$1,609	\$610			
Two-Bedroom	Total	20	22	0	22	90.9%	\$990	\$1,249-\$1,609	\$610			
Three-Bedroom (20%)	60%	4	10	0	10	40.0%	\$1,130	\$1,249-\$1,780	\$705			
Three-Bedroom	Total	4	10	0	10	40.0%	\$1,130	\$1,249-\$1,780	\$705			

*Includes overlap between the targeted income levels at the subject site.

**Directly comparable units built and/or funded in the project market over the projection period.

Achievable Market Rent as determined in Section I.

***Reflective of unadjusted market-rate rents among comparable properties.

As noted, the subject's capture rates in the non-subsidized scenario range from 40.0% to 90.9%, indicating that a limited base of support exists for the subject project in the unlikely scenario that the property lost RA and had to operate exclusively under the LIHTC guidelines. This is particularly true when considering that no current tenants of the property are expected to income-qualify and remain at the subject property post renovation in this unlikely scenario. As such, the subject project will likely experience challenges in reaching and/or maintaining a stabilized occupancy rate in this unlikely scenario.

Section I – Competitive Rental Analysis

1. OVERVIEW OF RENTAL HOUSING

The distributions of the area housing stock within the Washington Site PMA in 2010 and 2023, are summarized in the following table:

	2010 (C	ensus)	2023 (Estimated)		
Housing Status	Number	Percent	Number	Percent	
Total-Occupied	4,263	82.6%	4,073	77.8%	
Owner-Occupied	2,961	69.5%	2,799	68.7%	
Renter-Occupied	1,302	30.5%	1,274	31.3%	
Vacant	895	17.4%	1,163	22.2%	
Total	5,158	100.0%	5,236	100.0%	

Source: 2010 Census, ESRI, Bowen National Research

Of the 5,236 total housing units in the market, 22.2% were vacant. In 2023, it was estimated that homeowners occupied 68.7% of all occupied housing units, while the remaining 31.3% were occupied by renters.

The following table illustrates the status of vacant units within the Site PMA:

Vacancy Status	Number	Percent
For-Rent	59	5.1%
For-Sale Only	15	1.3%
Renter/Sold, Not Occ.	0	0.0%
Seasonal or Recreational	477	41.4%
Other Vacant	601	52.2%
Total	1,152	100.0%

Source: American Community Survey (2017-2021); ESRI; Bowen National Research

Based on American Community Survey (ACS) estimates, the majority (93.6%) of the vacant units in the Site PMA were classified as "Other Vacant" and "Seasonal or Recreational". Conversely, just 5.1% of vacant units were classified as "For-Rent". This is a good indication that the vacant housing units included in the table earlier in this section are not solely reflective of the long-term rental housing market within the Site PMA. Regardless, we have conducted a Field Survey of Conventional Rentals to better determine the strength of the long-term rental market within the Site PMA.

The estimated distribution of occupied housing by units in a structure and tenure is detailed within the following table:

	Ow	ner	Ren	iter
Units in Structure	Number	Percent	Number	Percent
1, Detached	2,285	81.7%	490	38.3%
1, Attached	-	0.0%	-	0.0%
2 to 4	6	0.2%	301	23.6%
5 to 9	-	0.0%	109	8.5%
10 to 19	-	0.0%	41	3.2%
20 to 49	-	0.0%	15	1.2%
50+	-	0.0%	-	0.0%
Mobile Homes	504	18.0%	323	25.2%
Boat, RV, Vans	-	0.0%	-	0.0%
Total	2,796	100.0%	1,279	100.0%

Source: American Community Survey (2017-2021); ESRI; Bowen National Research

As the preceding table illustrates, the majority (87.1%) of renter-occupied housing consists of single-family/mobile home and two- to four-unit rentals, whereas just 4.4% consist of structures with 10 or more units. This demonstrates that there is a limited number of conventional rental housing units in the market. Therefore, the subject project will continue to provide a rental housing alternative that is currently limited in the Site PMA.

The following tables demonstrate the share of substandard housing found in the Site PMA, based on the presence or absence of kitchen and bathroom facilities:

	Kitchen Characteristics							
	Owner-0	Occupied	Renter-Occupied					
	Number	Percent	Number	Percent				
Complete Kitchen	2,792	100.0%	1,287	100.0%				
Lacking Complete Kitchen	0	0.0%	0	0.0%				
Total	2,792	100.0%	1,287	100.0%				

Source: American Community Survey (2017-2021); ESRI; Bowen National Research

	Bathroom Characteristics							
	Owner-0	Occupied	Renter-Occupied					
	Number	Percent	Number	Percent				
Complete Plumbing	2,792	100.0%	1,287	100.0%				
Lacking Complete Plumbing	0	0.0%	0	0.0%				
Total	2,792	100.0%	1,287	100.0%				

Source: American Community Survey (2017-2021); ESRI; Bowen National Research

Based on the 2017-2021 ACS estimates, no owner- or renter-occupied housing units had incomplete kitchen or plumbing facilities.

The following table illustrates the percentage of households that are living in crowded quarters, as defined by the presence of 1.01 or more occupants per room:

	Owner-(Occupied	Renter-O	Occupied
	Number	Percent	Number	Percent
1.0 Or Less Occupants Per Room	2,747	98.4%	1,287	100.0%
1.01 Or More Occupants Per Room	45	1.6%	0	0.0%
Total	2,792	100.0%	1,287	100.0%

Source: American Community Survey (2017-2021); ESRI; Bowen National Research

The number of owner-occupied housing units with 1.01 or more occupants per room (and, thus, considered overcrowded) was 1.6% of all owner-occupied housing units. However, no renter-occupied housing units were considered overcrowded.

The following table illustrates the percentage of household income paid towards housing costs for both renter and owner households within the Site PMA.

Housing Cost as Percentage of Income									
Percent of Income	Owner-0	Occupied	Renter-Occupied						
Percent of Income	Number	Percent	Number	Percent					
Less than 10.0%	725	26.0%	69	5.3%					
10.0% to 14.9%	438	15.7%	270	21.0%					
15.0% to 19.9%	294	10.5%	73	5.7%					
20.0% to 24.9%	302	10.8%	74	5.8%					
25.0% to 29.9%	280	10.0%	10	0.8% 5.1%					
30.0% to 34.9%	184	6.6%	66						
35.0% to 39.9%	157	5.6%	88	6.9%					
40.0% to 49.9%	140	5.0%	122	9.5%					
50.0% or more	266	9.5%	260	20.2%					
Not Computed	6	0.2%	254	19.8%					
Total	2,792	100.0%	1,287	100.0%					

Source: American Community Survey (2017-2021); ESRI; Bowen National Research

As the preceding illustrates, 36.6% of all renter households pay 35.0% or more of their income towards housing costs, as compared to just 20.1% of all owner households. Further, more than half (55.3%) of renter-occupied households which pay 35.0% or more of their income towards housing costs actually pay 50.0% or more of their income towards housing costs. These are good indications of the need for affordable rental housing within the Site PMA.

Conventional Rentals

We identified and personally surveyed five conventional housing projects containing a total of 192 units within the Site PMA, including the subject project. This survey was conducted to establish the overall strength of the rental market and to identify those properties most comparable to the subject site. These rentals have a combined occupancy rate of 99.5%, an excellent rate for rental housing. Each rental housing segment surveyed is summarized in the following table.

Project Type	Projects Surveyed	Total Units	Vacant Units	Occupancy Rate
Tax Credit/Government-Subsidized	2	64	0	100.0%
Government-Subsidized	3	128	1	99.2%
Total	5	192	1	99.5%

A limited supply of conventional rental product is offered and was surveyed within the Washington Site PMA, all of which consists of affordable (i.e. Tax Credit and/or government-subsidized) units. This suggests that such product is in high demand within the subject market, which is further evident by the 99.5% occupancy rate reported among all segments surveyed.

Note that we identified one project within the market that offers non-subsidized Tax Credit units; however, we were unable to survey this project at the time of this analysis. This property, Foxwood Senior Village, was built in 2013 and is believed to offer 44 non-subsidized Tax Credit units for seniors ages 55 and older. It is noteworthy that, during our most recent survey of this property in December 2021, management reported a 100.0% occupancy rate and waiting list for the project. Further, the subject project will continue to operate with RA on 37 units following renovations and will likely have limited competitive overlap with the non-subsidized units at Foxwood Senior Village. Regardless, as we were unable to survey Foxwood Senior Village for this study, this property has been excluded from our Field Survey of Conventional Rentals and our Affordability & Demand Analysis included earlier in this report.

2. <u>SUMMARY OF ASSISTED PROJECTS</u>

We surveyed a total of five federally subsidized and/or Tax Credit apartment developments in the Washington Site PMA, including the subject project. These projects were surveyed in August 2023. They are summarized as follows:

						Gross Rent (Unit Mix)				
Map I.D.	Project Name	Туре	Year Built/ Renovated	Total Units	Occupancy	One- Br.	Two- Br.	Three- Br.	Four- Br.	
	Brightwood Lane	r y pe	Renovated	Omus	Occupancy	\$556-\$603	\$661-\$732	\$784-\$785	211	
1	Apts.	TAX & RD 515	1996	40	100.0%	(14)	(22)	(4)	-	
	Ashford Court					\$678-\$804	\$719-\$910			
2	Apts.	RD 515	1991	24	95.8%	(22)	(2)	-	-	
						\$704-\$811	\$808-\$883			
3	Ashley Park	RD 515	1987	24	100.0%	(8)	(16)	-	-	
						\$599-\$735	\$713-\$888	\$806-\$986		
4	Autumn Lane	TAX & RD 515	1990	24	100.0%	(4)	(18)	(2)	-	
	Washington					\$908	\$1,064	\$1,164	\$1,439	
5	Heights	RD 515 & SEC 8	1980	80	100.0%	(28)	(38)	(12)	(2)	
			Total	192	99 5%					

Note : Contact names and method of contact, as well as amenities and other features are listed in the field survey

TAX - Tax Credit

SEC - Section

RD - Rural Development

Overall, the subsidized and/or Tax Credit properties surveyed are 99.5% occupied, and most maintain waiting lists for their next available units. Thus, there is clearly pent-up demand for affordable rental product within the Washington Site PMA.

Housing Choice Voucher (HCV) Holders

All properties surveyed in the Site PMA operate under the HUD Section 8 and/or Rural Development Section 515 (RD 515) programs, with project-based rental assistance available on the majority of units.

If the rents do not exceed the Payment Standards established by the local/regional housing authority, households with Housing Choice Vouchers may be willing to reside at a LIHTC project. Established by the Georgia Department of Community Affairs (GDCA) Rental Assistance Division, the regional Payment Standards, as well as the proposed subject gross rents, are summarized in the following table:

Bedroom Type	Payment Standards	Proposed Tax Credit Gross Rents (AMHI)
One-Bedroom	\$665	\$673 (60%)
Two-Bedroom	\$876	\$809 (60%)
Three-Bedroom	\$1,149	\$935 (60%)

As the preceding table illustrates, the proposed gross Tax Credit rents are below or within \$8 of the Payment Standards set by the Georgia Department of Community Affairs (GDCA) Rental Assistance Division for the Washington area. As such, the subject project is likely to receive some support from voucher holders within the units which do not receive Rental Assistance (RA). It is important to understand, however, that the majority of the subject units will continue to operate with RA provided through the RD 515 program and Private Rental Assistance (PRA) provided by the developer. Thus, most units will not require tenant-based vouchers for tenants to receive rental assistance.

3. <u>PLANNED MULTIFAMILY DEVELOPMENT</u>

From interviews with planning representatives who responded to our inquiries, extensive online research and the observations of our analyst while in the field, it was determined there are no rental projects currently in the development pipeline within the Site PMA.

Building Permit Data

The following tables illustrate single-family and multifamily building permits issued within Wilkes County for the past ten years (where available).

Housing Unit Building Permits for Wilkes County:										
Permits	2013	2014	2015	2016	2017	2018	2019	2020	2021	2022
Multifamily Permits	0	2	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Single-Family Permits	3	1	5	5	3	6	25	42	50	41
Total Units	3	3	5	5	3	6	25	42	50	41

Source: SOCDS Building Permits Database at http://socds.huduser.org/permits/index.html

As the preceding illustrates, there have been just two multifamily building permits issued within the county over the past decade. This demonstrates limited multifamily development within the Wilkes County area, which coincides with the overall lack of growth among renter households within the Washington Site PMA since 2010.

4. SURVEY OF COMPARABLE/COMPETITIVE PROPERTIES

Tax Credit Units

Following renovations, the subject property will offer two- and three-bedroom units targeting general-occupancy (family) households, and one- and two-bedroom units targeting senior (age 62+) households, earning up to 60% of Area Median Household Income (AMHI) under the Low-Income Housing Tax Credit (LIHTC) program. In addition, the property will also continue to operate with project-based Rental Assistance (RA) available to the majority (37 of 40) of units following renovations. It is important to note, however, that while the continued availability of RA will effectively allow the property to compete with other subsidized product in the market, only non-subsidized LIHTC properties are selected for this analysis. This is done to evaluate the subject project in the unlikely event it did not retain its subsidy and had to operate exclusively under the LIHTC guidelines.

Given that there were no non-subsidized LIHTC projects identified and surveyed within the Site PMA, we identified and surveyed six existing general-occupancy or age-restricted LIHTC properties in the nearby communities of Madison, Athens, Greensboro and Thompson, Georgia. These properties are not considered directly competitive with the subject project, given that they draw support from different geographic regions. However, these properties offer non-subsidized unit types similar to those offered at the subject property in terms of bedroom type and targeted age/income (AMHI) cohorts. Therefore, these six LIHTC projects have been selected for comparability purposes only.

Map I.D.	Project Name	Year Built/ Renovated	Total Units	Occ. Rate	Distance to Site	Waiting List	Target Market
Site	Brightwood Lane Apartments	1996 / 2025	24 (Family) 16 (Senior)	100.0%	-	16 HH	Families & Seniors 62+; 60% AMHI & RD 515
905	Canaan Crossing	2022	60	100.0%	50.6 Miles	303 HH	Families; 50% & 60% AMHI
909	Lakewood Hills Senior Village	2012	74	100.0%	45.9 Miles	125 HH	Seniors 55+; 50% & 60% AMHI
912	Mary-Leila Lofts	1900 / 2016	71	95.8%	30.5 Miles	None	Families; 50% & 60% AMHI
913	Monterey Pass	2007	60	100.0%	24.1 Miles	50 HH	Seniors 55+; 30%, 50%, & 60% AMHI
915	Orchard Grove Apts.	2004	60	100.0%	50.6 Miles	36 Months	Families; 50% & 60% AMHI
919	Silver Lakes Court	2016	44	100.0%	49.6 Miles	62 HH	Seniors 55+; 50% & 60% AMHI

These six properties and the subject project are summarized as follows.

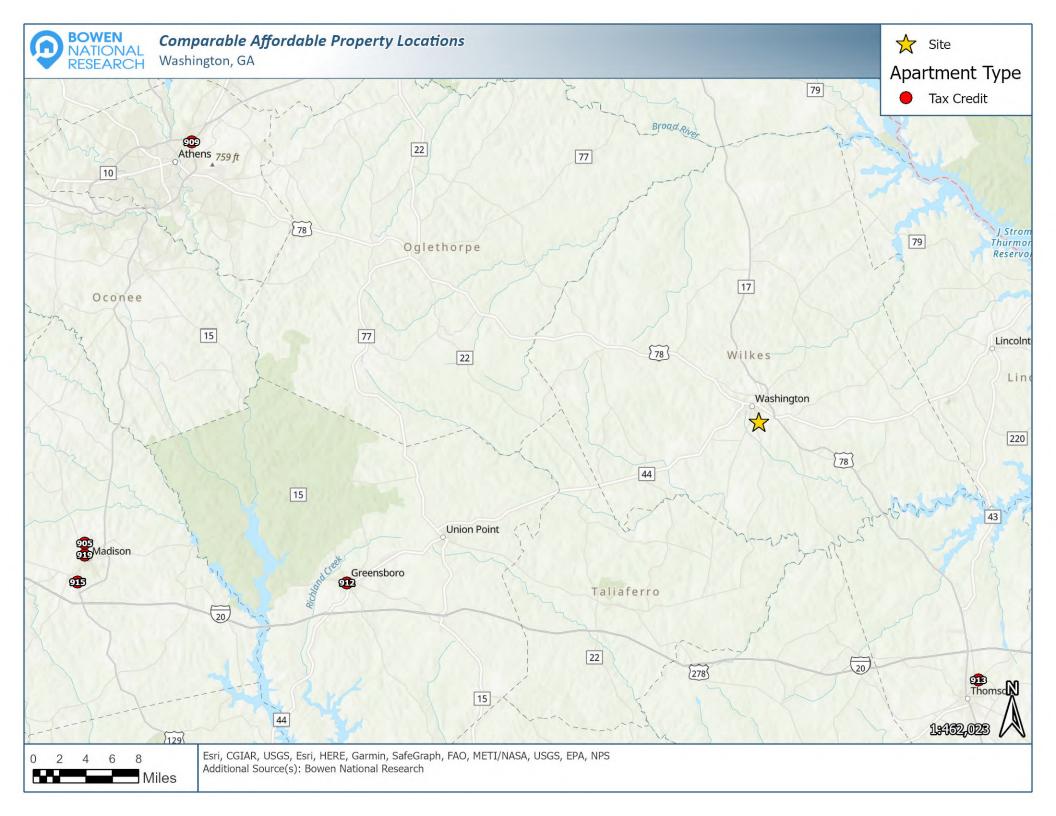
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HH – Households

900-series Map IDs located outside the Site PMA

The six LIHTC projects have a combined occupancy rate of 99.2%, five of which are 100.0% occupied with extensive waiting lists. These are clear indications of pent-up demand for both general-occupancy and age-restricted LIHTC product in the surrounding region.

The map on the following page illustrates the location of the comparable Tax Credit properties relative to the subject property location.



			ross Rent/Percent of AMH Number of Units/Vacancie		
Map		One-	Two-	Three-	Rent
I.D.	Project Name	Br.	Br.	Br.	Special
	Brightwood Lane				
Site	Apartments (Senior Units)	\$673/60% (14)	\$809/60% (2)	-	-
	Brightwood Lane				
Site	Apartments (Family Units)	-	\$809/60% (20)	\$935 /60% (4)	-
		\$627/50% (2/0)	\$732/50% (6/0)	\$806/50% (4/0)	
905	Canaan Crossing	\$627/60% (6/0)	\$732/60% (26/0)	\$806/60% (16/0)	None
		\$677/50% (16/0)	\$814/50% (16/0)		
909^	Lakewood Hills Senior Village	\$813/60% (21/0)	\$952/60% (21/0)	-	None
		\$550/50% (3/0)	\$649/50% (8/0)	\$737/50% (4/0)	
912	Mary-Leila Lofts	\$676/60% (11/1)	\$800/60% (29/1)	\$911/60% (16/1)	None
		\$432/30% (4/0)	\$518/30% (3/0)		
		\$637/50% (13/0)	\$683/50% (16/0)		
913^	Monterey Pass	\$647/60% (11/0)	\$693/60% (13/0)	-	None
			\$740/50% (24/0)	\$862/50% (16/0)	
915	Orchard Grove Apts.	-	\$740/60% (12/0)	\$862/60% (8/0)	None
		\$715/50% (6/0)	\$788/50% (3/0)		
919^	Silver Lakes Court	\$721/60% (22/0)	\$861/60% (13/0)	-	None

The gross rents for the comparable projects and the proposed rents at the subject site, as well as their unit mixes and vacancies by bedroom are listed in the following table:

900-series Map IDs located outside the Site PMA

^Denotes age-restricted property

The subject rents are within range of those reported for similar unit types in the region. However, it is also noteworthy that the subject property is older than these comparable properties, offering smaller unit sizes (square feet) and a generally inferior overall amenity package. These design characteristics will limit the subject's ability to achieve rents similar to those being achieved at comparable projects in the region, which could leave the property at a competitive disadvantage and/or result in higher than typical levels of tenant turnover if the project were to lose its subsidy. Additionally, as illustrated in Section H, the subject project will have a limited base of demographic support (i.e.: capture rate) at the proposed rent levels in the unlikely event the property lost Rental Assistance (RA) and had to operate exclusively under the LIHTC guidelines. As such, the subject project will likely experience challenges in reaching and/or maintaining a stabilized occupancy rate in this unlikely scenario.

In reality, however, the property will retain RA on 37 of 40 units following renovations. This will allow most tenants to pay up to only 30% of their adjusted gross income towards rent, rather than the non-subsidized LIHTC rents evaluated throughout this report. Further, the developer will offer a Private Rental Assistance (PRA) subsidy to all current tenants of the project's unassisted units. The continued availability of RA/PRA will ensure the subject property remains a significant value within the Washington Site PMA following renovations.

The unit sizes (square footage) and number of bathrooms included in each of the different comparable LIHTC unit types offered in the region are compared with the subject development in the following tables:

			Square Footage	
Map		One-	Two-	Three-
I.D.	Project Name	Br.	Br.	Br.
	Brightwood Lane			
Site	Apartments (Senior)	614	757	-
	Brightwood Lane			
Site	Apartments (Family)	-	778	925
905	Canaan Crossing	723	907 - 1,060	1,108 - 1,182
909^	Lakewood Hills Senior Village	683	944	-
912	Mary-Leila Lofts	750	840	1,200
913^	Monterey Pass	760	1,000	-
915	Orchard Grove Apts.	-	1,000	1,100
919^	Silver Lakes Court	711	918	-

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]	Number of Bath	S
Мар		One-	Two-	Three-
I.D.	Project Name	Br.	Br.	Br.
	Brightwood Lane			
Site	Apartments (Senior)	1.0	1.0	-
	Brightwood Lane			
Site	Apartments (Family)	-	1.0	1.0
905	Canaan Crossing	1.0	1.5	2.0
909^	Lakewood Hills Senior Village	1.0	2.0	-
912	Mary-Leila Lofts	1.0	1.0 - 2.0	2.0
913^	Monterey Pass	1.0	1.0	-
915	Orchard Grove Apts.	-	2.0	2.0
919^	Silver Lakes Court	1.0	1.0	-

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^Denotes age-restricted property

The subject development offers the smallest unit sizes and generally a lesser number of bathrooms within the two- and three-bedroom units relative to similar units among the comparable properties. This is not uncommon, however, of older subsidized product such as that offered at the subject property and clearly has not had any adverse impact on the subject's overall marketability, as evident by the 100.0% occupancy rate currently reported for the property. However, these design characteristics are likely to limit the subject's rent potential in the unlikely event Rental Assistance (RA) was lost and the property had to operate exclusively under the LIHTC guidelines.

The following tables compare the amenities of the subject development with the comparable LIHTC projects in the region.

Comparable Property Amenities— Washington, Georgia

	Tax Credit Unit Amenities by Map ID							
		Site*	905	909♦	912	913	915	919♦
SS	Dishwasher		Х	Х	Х	Х	Х	Х
	Disposal		Х	Х	Х	Х	Х	Х
	Microwave	Х	Х	Х	Х			Х
	Range	Х	Х	Х	Х	Х	Х	Х
lia	Refrigerator	Х	Х	Х	Х	Х	Х	Х
Ap	W/D Hookup	Х	Х	Х	Х	Х	Х	
	W/D			Х	Х			
	No Appliances							
	AC-Central	Х	Х	Х	Х	Х	Х	Х
	AC-Other							
l s	Balcony/ Patio/ Sunroom	Х	Х			Х		Х
ti	Basement							
Unit Amenities	Ceiling Fan		Х	Х	Х	Х	S	Х
8	Controlled Access			Х	Х			
Ē	E-Call System	S		S		Х		
`	Furnished							
	Walk-In Closet	Х			Х		Х	Х
	Window Treatments	Х	Х	Х	Х	Х	Х	Х
	Carpet	Х		Х	Х	Х	Х	Х
p	Ceramic Tile							
Flooring	Hardwood				Х			
ļē	Finished Concrete							
	Composite/Vinyl/Laminate	Х	Х	Х	Х	Х	Х	Х
	Premium Appliances							
σ	Premium Countertops							
Upgraded	Premium Cabinetry							
	Premium Fixtures							
l⊐	High/Vaulted Ceilings				Х			
	Oversized Windows				Х			
	Attached Garage							
	Detached Garage							
p	Street Parking							
Parking	Surface Lot	Х	Х	Х	Х	Х	Х	Х
Par	Carport							
	Property Parking Garage							
	No Provided Parking							

♦ - Senior Property

* Proposed Site(s): Brightwood Lane Apts

X = All Units, S = Some Units, O = Optional with Fee

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Comparable Property Amenities- Washington, Georgia

			Ta	x Credit	t Prope	rty Am	enities	by Map
		Site*	905	909♦	912	913	915	919♦
	Bike Racks / Storage				Х			Х
	Computer/Business Center	Х		Х	Х	Х	Х	Х
	Car Care **							
	Community Garden		Х	Х				Х
	Multipurpose Room	Х	Х	Х	Х	Х	Х	Х
₹	Chapel							
ni	Community Kitchen		Х		Х	Х		Х
Community	Dining Room - Private							
5	Dining Room - Public							
	Rooftop Terrace							
	Concierge Service **							
	Convenience Amenities **		Х				Х	
	Covered Outdoor Area **	Х				Х		Х
	Elevator			Х		Х		Х
	Laundry Room	Х	Х	Х		Х	Х	Х
	On-Site Management	Х	Х	Х	Х	Х	Х	Х
	Pet Care **							
	Basketball							
	Bocce Ball							
	Firepit							
	Fitness Center			Х	Х	Х	Х	Х
	Grilling Area	Х		Х	Х	Х	Х	Х
	Game Room - Billiards			Х				Х
	Walking Path							
Ē	Hot Tub							
Recreation	Library					Х	Х	
le	Media Room / Theater							Х
Rec	Playground	Х	Х		Х		Х	
_	Putting Green					Х		
	Racquetball							
	Shuffleboard							
	Swimming Pool - Indoor							
	Swimming Pool - Outdoor							
	Tennis							
	Volleyball							
	CCTV	Х	Х		Х	Х	Х	
Security	Courtesy Officer							
Sec	Security Gate							
	Social Services **		Х					
	Storage - Extra	X				Х		
	Common Space WiFi	Х	Х				Х	Х

♦ - Senior Property

X = AII Units, S = Some Units, O = Optional with Fee

* Proposed Site(s): Brightwood Lane Apts

** Details in Comparable Property Profile Report

The amenity package offered at the subject property is relatively limited but typical of an older subsidized rental property such as the subject property. Key unit amenities include a range, refrigerator, microwave, central air conditioning and washer/dryer hookups. An on-site management office, community room, laundry facility and playground will be provided as key project amenities. Overall, the subject property does not lack any key amenities that would adversely impact its continued marketability as a subsidized rental property within the Washington market, as evidenced by the 100.0% occupancy rate currently reported for the subject property. However, this limited amenity package could limit the subject's rent potential in the unlikely event RA was lost and the property had to operate exclusively under the LIHTC program.

Comparable/Competitive Tax Credit Summary

There were no non-subsidized LIHTC projects surveyed in the Washington Site PMA; therefore, we identified and surveyed six existing non-subsidized Tax Credit properties in the nearby region which we consider comparable to the subject property in terms of unit types offered and target populations. The six comparable LIHTC projects have a combined occupancy rate of 99.2%, five of which are 100.0% occupied with extensive waiting lists. Thus, there is clearly pent-up demand for additional LIHTC product in the region. The subject property is considered to be marketable in terms of overall design (i.e. unit square footage, number of bathrooms, and amenities) assuming the retention of Rental Assistance (RA) and the availability of a Private Rental Assistance (PRA) subsidy for current unassisted tenants. This is evident by the 100.0% occupancy rate currently reported for the existing subject property. However, the subject rents could create a competitive disadvantage for the property in the unlikely event the property was to operate exclusively under the LIHTC program without RA. This is due to the smaller unit sizes (square feet), lesser number of bathrooms within the two- and three-bedroom units, and limited amenity package as compared to existing non-subsidized LIHTC properties in the region. Further, as illustrated in Section H, the subject project will have a limited base of demographic support (i.e.: capture rate) at the proposed rent levels in the unlikely event the property lost RA. As such, the subject project will likely experience challenges in reaching and/or maintaining a stabilized occupancy rate in this unlikely scenario. In reality, however, the continued availability of RA on most units and PRA to all unassisted tenants will ensure the property remains affordable and a value to low-income renters within the subject market following renovations.

Comparable/Competitive Housing Impact

As noted, throughout this report, there were no non-subsidized Tax Credit properties *surveyed* in the Site PMA, with the only non-subsidized Tax Credit project in the market (which we were unable to survey for this analysis) reporting a 100.0% occupancy rate and waiting list in December 2021. As such, we do not expect the subject project to have any adverse impact on future occupancy rates among existing comparable LIHTC properties. This is particularly true when considering the subject project will involve the renovation of an existing property which is currently 100.0% occupied and that most (if not all) current tenants are expected to remain post renovation.

One-page profiles of the comparable Tax Credit properties are included in Addendum B of this report.

Achievable Market Rent/Market Rent Advantage Analysis

We identified five market-rate properties near the Washington Site PMA that we consider comparable to the subject development. These selected properties are used to derive market rent for a project with characteristics similar to the subject development and the subject property's market advantage. It is important to note that, for the purpose of this analysis, we only select market-rate properties. Market-rate properties are used to determine rents that can be achieved in the open market for the subject units without maximum income and rent restrictions.

The basis for the selection of these projects includes, but is not limited to, the following factors:

- Surrounding neighborhood characteristics
- Target market (seniors, families, disabled, etc.)
- Unit types offered (garden or townhouse, bedroom types, etc.)
- Building type (single-story, midrise, high-rise, etc.)
- Unit and project amenities offered
- Age and appearance of property

Since it is unlikely that any two properties are identical, we adjust the collected rent (the actual rent paid by tenants) of the selected properties according to whether or not they compare favorably with the subject development. Rents of projects that have additional or better features than the subject site are adjusted negatively, while projects with inferior or fewer features are adjusted positively. For example, if the subject project does not have a washer or dryer and a selected property does, then we lower the collected rent of the selected property by the estimated value of a washer and dryer to derive an *achievable market rent* for a project similar to the project.

The rent adjustments used in this analysis are based on various sources, including known charges for additional features within the Site PMA, estimates made by area property managers and realtors, quoted rental rates from furniture rental companies and Bowen National Research's prior experience in markets nationwide.

It is important to note that one or more of the selected properties may be more similar to the subject property than others. These properties are given more weight in terms of reaching the final achievable market rent determination. While monetary adjustments are made for various unit and project features, the final market rent determination is based upon the judgments of our market analysts.

							Mix ncy Rate)	
Map		Year Built/	Total	Occ.	One-	Two-	Three-	Four-
I.D.	Project Name	Renovated	Units	Rate	Br.	Br.	Br.	Br.
	Brightwood Lane				14	22	4	
Site	Apartments	1996 / 2025	40	100.0%	(100.0%)	(100.0%)	(100.0%)	-
					44	84	40	24
904	Belmont	2003	192	91.1%	(97.7%)	(94.0%)	(80.0%)	(87.5%)
					1	48	9	
911	Madison Square	2000	58	98.3%	(100.0%)	(97.9%)	(100.0%)	-
					84	134	20	
914	Oaks Apts.	1979 / 2022	238	97.1%	(97.6%)	(97.0%)	(95.0%)	-
					31	90		
920	Sterlington	2012	121	96.7%	(100.0%)	(95.6%)	-	-
					62	158	46	
921	Walden Glen Apts.	2000 / 2019	266	97.0%	(100.0%)	(94.9%)	(100.0%)	-

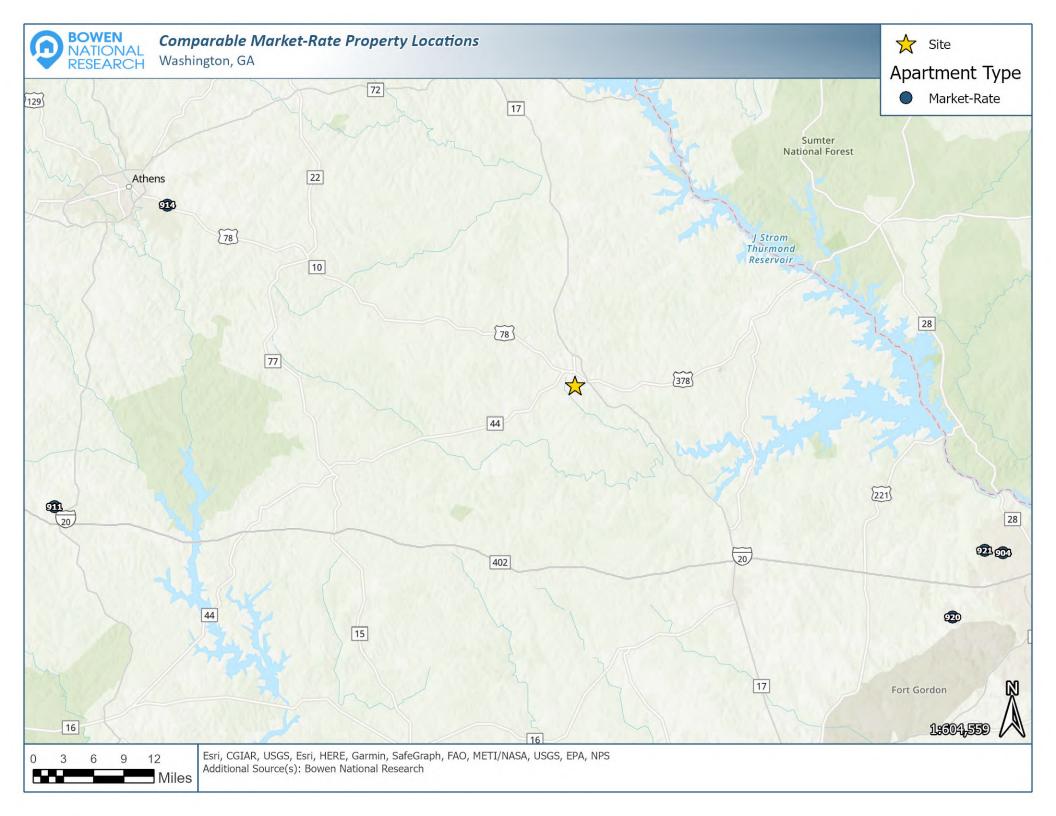
The subject development and the five selected properties include the following:

Occ. - Occupancy

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The five selected market-rate projects have a combined total of 875 units with an overall occupancy rate of 95.8%. None of the comparable properties has an occupancy rate below 91.1%. These occupancy rates demonstrate that each selected property is well received within its respective market and therefore will serve as accurate benchmarks with which to compare the subject property.

The Rent Comparability Grids on the following pages show the collected rents for each of the selected properties and illustrate the adjustments made (as needed) for various features and location or neighborhood characteristics, as well as quality differences that exist among the selected properties and the subject development. A map of the comparable market-rate developments in relation to the subject site precedes the Rent Comparability Grids.



Re	nt Comparability Grid		Unit Type		ONE-BEDI (SENIC							
	Subject		Comp	#1	Comp	#2	Comp	#3	Comp	#4	Comp	#5
	Brightwood Lane Apartments	Data	Belmo		Madison S		Oaks A		Sterling		Walden Gle	
	344 Andrew Drive	on	650 Thorough	nbred Ln.	1092 Mich	a Way	175 Woodl	ake Pl.	4105 Sterling	ton Drive	336 N. Bela	air Rd.
	Washington, GA	Subject	Evans,	GA	Madison,	, GA	Athens,	GA	Grovetow	n, GA	Evans,	GA
А.	Rents Charged		Data	\$ Adj	Data	\$ Adj	Data	\$ Adj	Data	\$ Adj	Data	\$ Adj
1	\$ Last Rent / Restricted?		\$1,179		\$1,250		\$1,162		\$1,149		\$1,375	
2	Date Surveyed		Aug-23		Aug-23		Aug-23		Aug-23		Aug-23	
3	Rent Concessions		Yes	(\$100)	None		None		None		None	
4	Occupancy for Unit Type		98%		100%		98%		100%		100%	
5	Effective Rent & Rent/ sq. ft	•	\$1,079	1.31	\$1,250	1.47	\$1,162	1.22	\$1,149	1.58	\$1,375	2.12
В.	Design, Location, Condition		Data	C A J:	Data	¢ 4.4:	Data	© A J:	Data	C A J:	Data	C A J:
В .	Structure / Stories	R/1	Data WU/2,3	\$ Adj	Data R/1	\$ Adj	WU/2	\$ Adj	Data WU/1,2	\$ Adj	WU/3	\$ Adj
7	Yr. Built/Yr. Renovated	1996/2025	2003	\$8	2000	\$11	1979/2022	\$10	2012	(\$1)	2000/2019	\$1
8	Condition/Street Appeal	1990/2025 G	2003 E	\$0 (\$15)	2000 G	φīΙ	1979/2022 F	\$10	G	(01)	E	(\$15)
9	Neighborhood	G	E	(\$10)	G		G	φ13	G		E	(\$10)
10	Same Market?	9	No	(\$10)	No	(\$125)	No	(\$116)	No	(\$172)	No	(\$10)
10 C.	Unit Equipment/ Amenities		Data	(\$216) \$ Adj	Data	(\$123) \$ Adj	Data	(\$116) \$ Adj	Data	(\$172) \$ Adj	Data	(\$275) \$ Adj
11	# Bedrooms	1	1	ψriuj	1	φnuj	1	φnuj	1	ψnuj	1	φnuj
12	# Baths	1	1		1		1		1		1	
12	Unit Interior Sq. Ft.	614	822	(\$80)	850	(\$90)	950	(\$129)	725	(\$42)	650	(\$14)
14	Patio/Balcony/Sunroom	Y	Y	(\$00)	Y	(\$75)	Y	(012))	Y	(\$.2)	Y	(\$1.)
15	AC: Central/Wall	C	C		C		C		C		C	
16	Range/Refrigerator	R/F	R/F		R/F		R/F		R/F		R/F	
17	Microwave/Dishwasher	Y/N	Y/Y	(\$10)	Y/Y	(\$10)	N/Y	(\$5)	Y/Y	(\$10)	Y/Y	(\$10)
18	Washer/Dryer	HU/L	HU	\$5	HU	\$5	HU/L	(45)	HU	\$5	HU	\$5
19	Floor Coverings	C/V	C/T/V	ψ0	C/V	ψ5	C/V		C/V	ψυ	C/V	ψυ
20	Window Treatments	Y	Y		Y		Y		Y		Y	
21	Secured Entry	N	N		N		N		N		N	
22	Garbage Disposal	N	Y	(\$5)	N		N		Y	(\$5)	Y	(\$5)
23	Ceiling Fan/E-Call System	N/Y	Y/N	(++)	Y/N		Y/N		Y/N	(++)	Y/N	(+-)
D	Site Equipment/ Amenities		Data	\$ Adj	Data	\$ Adj	Data	\$ Adj	Data	\$ Adj	Data	\$ Adj
24	Parking (\$ Fee)	LOT/\$0	LOT/\$0		LOT/\$0		LOT/\$0		LOT/\$0		LOT/\$0	
25	On-Site Management	Y	Y		Y		Y		Y		Y	
26	Security Features	Y	Y		Ν	\$5	Ν	\$5	N	\$5	Y	
27	Community Space	Y	Y		Ν	\$5	Ν	\$5	Y		Y	
28	Pool/Recreation Areas	Ν	P/F	(\$15)	Ν		P/F/S	(\$18)	Ν		P/F/S	(\$18)
29	Business/Computer Center	Y	Ν	\$3	Ν	\$3	Ν	\$3	Ν	\$3	Ν	\$3
30	Grilling Area/Storage	Y / Y	Y/N	\$8	N/N	\$8	Y/Y		N/N	\$8	Y/N	\$5
31	Library	Ν	N		N		Ν		N		N	
32	Social Services	Ν	N		Ν		Ν		N		N	
E.	Utilities		Data	\$ Adj	Data	\$ Adj	Data	\$ Adj	Data	\$ Adj	Data	\$ Adj
33	Heat (in rent?/ type)	N/E	N/E		N/E		N/E		N/E		N/E	
34	Cooling (in rent?/ type)	N/E	N/E		N/E		N/E		N/E		N/E	
	Cooking (in rent?/ type)	N/E	N/E		N/E		N/E		N/E		N/E	
36	Hot Water (in rent?/ type)	N/E	N/E		N/E		N/E		N/E		N/E	
37	Other Electric	N	N		N		N		N		N	
38	Cold Water/Sewer	N/N	N/N	10	N/N	10	Y/Y	(\$49)	N/N		Y/Y	(\$49)
39	Trash/Recycling	N/N	Y/N Bog	(\$16)	Y/N Bea	(\$16)	Y/N Bag	(\$16)	Y/N	(\$16)	Y/N Bas	(\$16)
F.	Adjustments Recap		Pos	Neg	Pos	Neg	Pos	Neg	Pos	Neg	Pos	Neg
	# Adjustments B to D		4 \$24	7	6 \$27	3	5	4	4 \$21	5	4 \$14	7
41	Sum Adjustments B to D		\$24	(\$350)	\$37	(\$225)	\$38	(\$268)	\$21	(\$231)	\$14	(\$347)
42	Sum Utility Adjustments		Net	(\$16) Gross	Net	(\$16) Gross	Net	(\$65) Gross	Net	(\$16) Gross	Net	(\$65) Gross
43	Net/ Gross Adjmts B to E		(\$342)	\$390	(\$204)	\$278	(\$295)	\$371	(\$226)	\$268	(\$398)	\$426
4.5 G.	Adjusted & Market Rents		Adj. Rent	<i>\$570</i>	Adj. Rent	<i>\$270</i>	Adj. Rent	ψ5/1	Adj. Rent	<i>\$200</i>	Adj. Rent	<i>ψ120</i>
44	Adjusted Rent (5+ 43)		\$737		\$1,046		\$867		\$923		\$977	
45	Adj Rent/Last rent			68%		84%		75%		80%		71%
46	Estimated Market Rent	\$900	\$1.47 ┥		Estimated Ma		t/ Sa. Ft	,,,,,,		0070		, 170
10	Estimated market Nellt	\$700	φ1.4/		Estimateu Ma	ii KUU KUII						

Re	nt Comparability Grid		Unit Type		TWO-BED]					
	Subject		Comp	#1	Comp	#2	Comp	#3	Comp	#4	Comp	#5
	Brightwood Lane Apartments	Data	Belmo		Madison S		Oaks A		Sterling		Walden Gle	
	344 Andrew Drive	on	650 Thorough	nbred Ln.	1092 Mich	a Way	175 Woodl	ake Pl.	4105 Sterling	ton Drive	336 N. Bel	air Rd.
	Washington, GA	Subject	Evans,	GA	Madison	, GA	Athens,	GA	Grovetow	n, GA	Evans,	GA
А.	Rents Charged		Data	\$ Adj	Data	\$ Adj	Data	\$ Adj	Data	\$ Adj	Data	\$ Adj
1	\$ Last Rent / Restricted?		\$1,609		\$1,250		\$1,393		\$1,249		\$1,455	
2	Date Surveyed		Aug-23		Aug-23		Aug-23		Aug-23		Aug-23	
3	Rent Concessions		Yes	(\$100)	None		None		None		Yes	(\$150)
4	Occupancy for Unit Type		94%		98%		98%		95%		90%	
5	Effective Rent & Rent/ sq. ft	•	\$1,509	1.39	\$1,250	1.19	\$1,393	1.24	\$1,249	1.27	\$1,305	1.26
В.	Design, Location, Condition		Dete	0 A J:	Dete	0 A J:	Dete	Ø A J:	Dete	0 A J:	Dete	0 4 4:
	Structure / Stories	D/1	Data	\$ Adj	Data	\$ Adj	Data	\$ Adj	Data	\$ Adj	Data	\$ Adj
6	Yr. Built/Yr. Renovated	R/1	WU/2,3	¢0	R/1	ф11	WU/2	¢10	WU/1,2	(01)	WU/3	¢ 1
7	Condition/Street Appeal	1996/2025 G	2003 E	\$8 (\$15)	2000 G	\$11	1979/2022 F	\$10 \$15	2012 G	(\$1)	2000/2019 E	\$1 (\$15)
	Neighborhood	_		1 N N				\$15				
9	Same Market?	G	E	(\$10)	G	(0105)	G	(0120)	G	(0107)	E	(\$10)
10	Unit Equipment/ Amenities	-	No	(\$302)	No	(\$125)	No	(\$139)	No	(\$187)	No	(\$261)
C.		2	Data	\$ Adj	Data	\$ Adj	Data	\$ Adj	Data	\$ Adj	Data	\$ Adj
-	# Bedrooms # Baths	2	2	(\$20)	2	(\$20)	2	(\$20)	2	(\$20)	2	
				(\$30)		(\$30)		(\$30)		(\$30)	1034	(001)
-	Unit Interior Sq. Ft.	757 Y	1086	(\$108)	1050	(\$97)	1125 V	(\$121)	985 V	(\$75)		(\$91)
_	Patio/Balcony/Sunroom		Y		Y		Y		Y		Y	
15	AC: Central/Wall	C D/F	C D/F		C D/F		С		C D/F		С	
	Range/Refrigerator	R/F	R/F	(#10)	R/F	(010)	R/F	(0.5)	R/F	(010)	R/F	(010)
17	Microwave/Dishwasher	Y/N	Y/Y	(\$10)	Y/Y	(\$10)	N/Y	(\$5)	Y/Y	(\$10)	Y/Y	(\$10)
	Washer/Dryer	HU/L	HU	\$5	HU	\$5	HU/L		HU	\$5	HU	\$5
-	Floor Coverings	C/V	C/T/V		C/V		C/V		C/V		C/V	
20	Window Treatments	Y	Y		Y		Y		Y		Y	
21	Secured Entry	N	N	(1	N		N		N	(****	N	
-	Garbage Disposal	N	Y	(\$5)	N		N		Y	(\$5)	Y	(\$5)
23	Ceiling Fan/E-Call System	N/Y	Y/N	.	Y/N	* • • •	Y/N	@ 4 1	Y/N		Y/N	0.1.1
	Site Equipment/ Amenities	LOTIO	Data	\$ Adj	Data	\$ Adj	Data	\$ Adj		\$ Adj		\$ Adj
	Parking (\$ Fee)	LOT/\$0	LOT/\$0		LOT/\$0		LOT/\$0		LOT/\$0		LOT/\$0	
	On-Site Management	Y	Y		Y	¢ 5	Y	.	Y		Y	
26	Security Features	Y	Y		N	\$5	N	\$5 ¢5	N	\$5	Y	
-	Community Space	Y	Y D/F	(015)	N	\$5	N D/D/C	\$5	Y		Y D/F/G	(@10)
_	Pool/Recreation Areas	N	P/F	(\$15)	N	¢.2	P/F/S	(\$18)	N	¢2	P/F/S	(\$18)
	Business/Computer Center Grilling Area/Storage	Y Y/Y	N Y/N	\$3 \$8	N N/N	\$3 \$8	N Y/Y	\$3	N N/N	\$3 \$8	N Y/N	\$3 \$5
	Library	N N	N N	\$ 0	N N	\$ 0	N N		N N	30	N N	\$3
	Social Services											
32 E.	Social Services Utilities	N	N Data	\$ Adj	N Data	\$ Adj	N Data	\$ Adj	N Data	\$ Adj	N Data	\$ Adj
	Heat (in rent?/ type)	N/E	N/E	⊕ Auj	N/E	φAuj	N/E	φAuj	N/E	⊕ Auj	N/E	⊕ Auj
_	Cooling (in rent?/ type)	N/E N/E	N/E N/E		N/E N/E		N/E N/E		N/E N/E		N/E N/E	
_	Cooking (in rent?/ type)	N/E N/E	N/E N/E		N/E N/E		N/E N/E		N/E N/E		N/E N/E	
	Hot Water (in rent?/ type)	N/E N/E	N/E N/E		N/E N/E		N/E		N/E N/E		N/E N/E	
_	Other Electric	N	N		N		N		N/L N		N	
	Cold Water/Sewer	N/N	N/N		N/N		Y/Y	(\$58)	N/N		Y/Y	(\$58)
	Trash/Recycling	N/N	Y/N	(\$16)	Y/N	(\$16)	Y/N	(\$16)	Y/N	(\$16)	Y/N	(\$16)
	Adjustments Recap	11/11	Pos	Neg	Pos	Neg	Pos	Neg	Pos	Neg	Pos	Neg
_	# Adjustments B to D		4	8	6	4	5	5	4	6	4	7
	Sum Adjustments B to D		\$24	(\$495)	\$37	(\$262)	\$38	(\$314)	\$21	(\$308)	\$14	(\$410)
_	Sum Hujustments		+2.	(\$16)	<i>40</i> ,	(\$16)	<i>+20</i>	(\$74)		(\$16)	÷-·	(\$74)
			Net	Gross	Net	Gross	Net	Gross	Net	Gross	Net	Gross
43	Net/ Gross Adjmts B to E		(\$487)	\$535	(\$241)	\$315	(\$350)	\$426	(\$303)	\$345	(\$470)	\$498
G.	Adjusted & Market Rents		Adj. Rent	*****	Adj. Rent	000000000000000000000000000000000000000	Adj. Rent	000000000000000000000000000000000000000	Adj. Rent	000000000000000000000000000000000000000	Adj. Rent	
44	Adjusted Rent (5+43)		\$1,022		\$1,009		\$1,043		\$946		\$835	
45	Adj Rent/Last rent			68%		81%		75%		76%		64%
46	Estimated Market Rent	\$1,000	\$1.32		Estimated Ma		t/ Sq. Ft					

Re	nt Comparability Grid		Unit Type		TWO-BED (FAMII]					
	Subject		Comp	#1	Comp	#2	Comp	#3	Comp	#4	Comp	#5
	Brightwood Lane Apartments	Data	Belmo		Madison S		Oaks A		Sterling		Walden Gle	
	344 Andrew Drive	on	650 Thorough	ibred Ln.	1092 Mich	a Way	175 Woodl	ake Pl.	4105 Sterling	ton Drive	336 N. Bel	air Rd.
	Washington, GA	Subject	Evans, 0	GA	Madison,	GA	Athens,	GA	Grovetow	n, GA	Evans, 0	GA
А.	Rents Charged		Data	\$ Adj	Data	\$ Adj	Data	\$ Adj	Data	\$ Adj	Data	\$ Adj
1	\$ Last Rent / Restricted?		\$1,609		\$1,250		\$1,393		\$1,249		\$1,455	
2	Date Surveyed		Aug-23		Aug-23		Aug-23		Aug-23		Aug-23	
3	Rent Concessions		Yes	(\$100)	None		None		None		Yes	(\$150)
4	Occupancy for Unit Type		94%		98%		98%		95%		90%	
5	Effective Rent & Rent/ sq. ft	*	\$1,509	1.39	\$1,250	1.19	\$1,393	1.24	\$1,249	1.27	\$1,305	1.26
В.	Design, Location, Condition		Data	\$ Adj	Data	\$ Adj	Data	\$ Adj	Data	\$ Adj	Data	\$ Adj
6	Structure / Stories	WU/2	WU/2,3	ψnuj	R/1	ψnuj	WU/2	ψnuj	WU/1,2	ψriuj	WU/3	ψriuj
7	Yr. Built/Yr. Renovated	1996/2025	2003	\$8	2000	\$11	1979/2022	\$10	2012	(\$1)	2000/2019	\$1
8	Condition/Street Appeal	G	E	(\$15)	G	-	F	\$15	G	<u>, , ,</u>	E	(\$15)
9	Neighborhood	G	Е	(\$10)	G		G		G		Е	(\$10)
10	Same Market?		No	(\$302)	No	(\$125)	No	(\$139)	No	(\$187)	No	(\$261)
C.	Unit Equipment/ Amenities		Data	\$ Adj	Data	\$ Adj	Data	\$ Adj	Data	\$ Adj	Data	\$ Adj
11	# Bedrooms	2	2		2		2		2		2	
12	# Baths	1	2	(\$30)	2	(\$30)	2	(\$30)	2	(\$30)	1	
13	Unit Interior Sq. Ft.	778	1086	(\$101)	1050	(\$90)	1125	(\$114)	985	(\$68)	1034	(\$84)
14	Patio/Balcony/Sunroom	Ν	Y	(\$5)	Y	(\$5)	Y	(\$5)	Y	(\$5)	Y	(\$5)
15	AC: Central/Wall	С	С		С		С		С		С	
16	Range/Refrigerator	R/F	R/F		R/F		R/F		R/F		R/F	
17	Microwave/Dishwasher	Y/N	Y/Y	(\$10)	Y/Y	(\$10)	N/Y	(\$5)	Y/Y	(\$10)	Y/Y	(\$10)
18	Washer/Dryer	HU/L	HU	\$5	HU	\$5	HU/L		HU	\$5	HU	\$5
19	Floor Coverings	C/V	C/T/V		C/V		C/V		C/V		C/V	
20	Window Treatments	Y	Y		Y		Y		Y		Y	
21	Secured Entry	Ν	Ν		Ν		Ν		Ν		Ν	
22	Garbage Disposal	Ν	Y	(\$5)	N		N		Y	(\$5)	Y	(\$5)
23	Ceiling Fan/Storage	N/Y	Y/N		Y/N		Y/Y	(\$5)	Y/N		Y/N	
D	Site Equipment/ Amenities		Data	\$ Adj	Data	\$ Adj	Data	\$ Adj	Data	\$ Adj	Data	\$ Adj
24	Parking (\$ Fee)	LOT/\$0	LOT/\$0		LOT/\$0		LOT/\$0		LOT/\$0		LOT/\$0	
	On-Site Management	Y	Y		Y		Y		Y		Y	
26	Security Features	Y	Y		N	\$5	N	\$5	N	\$5	Y	
-	Community Space	Y	Y		N	\$5	N	\$5	Y		Y	
-	Pool/Recreation Areas	N	P/F	(\$15)	N		P/F/S	(\$18)	N		P/F/S	(\$18)
-	Business/Computer Center	Y	N	\$3	N	\$3	N	\$3	N	\$3	N	\$3
	Grilling Area Playground	Y	Y		N	\$3	Y		N Y	\$3	Y	\$2
	••	Y	Y		N	\$3	Y				N	\$3
32 E.	Social Services Utilities	N	N Data	\$ Adj	N Data	\$ Adj	N Data	\$ Adj	N Data	\$ Adj	N Data	\$ Adj
	Heat (in rent?/ type)	N/E	N/E	φAuj	N/E	φAuj	N/E	φAuj	N/E	φAuj	N/E	φAuj
	Cooling (in rent?/ type)	N/E N/E	N/E N/E		N/E N/E		N/E		N/E N/E		N/E N/E	
-	Cooking (in rent?/ type)	N/E	N/E N/E		N/E		N/E		N/E		N/E	
	Hot Water (in rent?/ type)	N/E	N/E		N/E		N/E		N/E		N/E	
-	Other Electric	N	N		N		N		N		N	
38	Cold Water/Sewer	N/N	N/N		N/N		Y/Y	(\$58)	N/N		Y/Y	(\$58)
_	Trash/Recycling	N/N	Y/N	(\$16)	Y/N	(\$16)	Y/N	(\$16)	Y/N	(\$16)	Y/N	(\$16)
F.	Adjustments Recap		Pos	Neg	Pos	Neg	Pos	Neg	Pos	Neg	Pos	Neg
40	# Adjustments B to D		3	9	7	5	5	7	4	7	4	8
41	Sum Adjustments B to D		\$16	(\$493)	\$35	(\$260)	\$38	(\$317)	\$16	(\$307)	\$12	(\$408)
42	Sum Utility Adjustments			(\$16)		(\$16)		(\$74)		(\$16)		(\$74)
			Net	Gross	Net	Gross	Net	Gross	Net	Gross	Net	Gross
43	Net/ Gross Adjmts B to E		(\$493)	\$525	(\$241)	\$311	(\$353)	\$429	(\$307)	\$339	(\$470)	\$494
G .	Adjusted & Market Rents		Adj. Rent		Adj. Rent		Adj. Rent		Adj. Rent		Adj. Rent	
44	Adjusted Rent (5+43)		\$1,016		\$1,009	0451	\$1,040		\$942		\$835	
45	Adj Rent/Last rent	6 000	a	67%	L	81%		75%		75%		64%
46	Estimated Market Rent	\$990	\$1.27		Estimated Ma	rket Rent	t/ Sq. Ft					

Re	nt Comparability Grid		Unit Type		THREE-BEI (FAMII							
	Subject		Comp	#1	Comp	#2	Comp	#3	Comp	#4	Comp	#5
	Brightwood Lane Apartments	Data	Belmo		Madison S		Oaks A		Sterling		Walden Gle	
	344 Andrew Drive	on	650 Thorough	hbred Ln.	1092 Mich	a Way	175 Woodl	ake Pl.	4105 Sterling	ton Drive	336 N. Bel	air Rd.
	Washington, GA	Subject	Evans,	GA	Madison,	, GA	Athens,	GA	Grovetow	n, GA	Evans,	GA
А.	Rents Charged		Data	\$ Adj	Data	\$ Adj	Data	\$ Adj	Data	\$ Adj	Data	\$ Adj
1	\$ Last Rent / Restricted?		\$1,709		\$1,350		\$1,688		\$1,249		\$1,780	
2	Date Surveyed		Aug-23		Aug-23		Aug-23		Aug-23		Aug-23	
3	Rent Concessions		Yes	(\$100)	None		None		None		None	
4	Occupancy for Unit Type		80%		100%		95%		95%		100%	
5	Effective Rent & Rent/ sq. ft	•	\$1,609	1.33	\$1,350	1.23	<u>\$1,688</u>	1.16	\$1,249	1.27	\$1,780	1.37
В.	Design, Location, Condition		Data	\$ Adj	Data	\$ Adj	Data	\$ Adj	Data	\$ Adj	Data	\$ Adj
6	Structure / Stories	WU/2	WU/2,3		R/1		WU/2		WU/1,2		WU/3	
7	Yr. Built/Yr. Renovated	1996/2025	2003	\$8	2000	\$11	1979/2022	\$10	2012	(\$1)	2000/2019	\$1
8	Condition/Street Appeal	G	E	(\$15)	G		F	\$15	G		Е	(\$15)
9	Neighborhood	G	E	(\$10)	G		G		G		Е	(\$10)
10	Same Market?		No	(\$322)	No	(\$135)	No	(\$169)	No	(\$187)	No	(\$356)
C.	Unit Equipment/ Amenities	2	Data	\$ Adj	Data	\$ Adj	Data	\$ Adj	Data	\$ Adj	Data	\$ Adj
11	# Bedrooms # Baths	3	3	(\$20)	3	(\$20)	3	(\$20)	2	\$50	3	(\$20)
12	# Daths Unit Interior Sq. Ft.	1 925	1209	(\$30) (\$91)	1100	(\$30) (\$56)	1450	(\$30) (\$169)	 985	(\$30) (\$19)	1302	(\$30) (\$121)
13	Patio/Balcony/Sunroom	923 N	1209 Y	(\$5)	1100 Y	(\$5)	1430 Y	(\$109)	985 Y	(\$19)	1302 Y	(\$121)
14	AC: Central/Wall	C	C	(\$5)	C	(\$5)	C	(45)	C	(\$5)	C	(\$5)
16	Range/Refrigerator	R/F	R/F		R/F		R/F		R/F		R/F	
17	Microwaye/Dishwasher	Y/N	Y/Y	(\$10)	Y/Y	(\$10)	N/Y	(\$5)	Y/Y	(\$10)	Y/Y	(\$10)
18	Washer/Dryer	HU/L	HU	\$5	HU	\$5	HU/L	(+-)	HU	\$5	HU	\$5
19	Floor Coverings	C/V	C/T/V		C/V		C/V		C/V		C/V	
20	Window Treatments	Y	Y		Y		Y		Y		Y	
21	Secured Entry	Ν	Ν		N		N		N		N	
22	Garbage Disposal	Ν	Y	(\$5)	N		N		Y	(\$5)	Y	(\$5)
23	Ceiling Fan/Storage	N/Y	Y/N		Y/N		Y/N		Y/N		Y/N	
D	Site Equipment/ Amenities	LOT/00	Data	\$ Adj	Data	\$ Adj	Data	\$ Adj	Data	\$ Adj	Data	\$ Adj
24	Parking (\$ Fee) On-Site Management	LOT/\$0	LOT/\$0		LOT/\$0		LOT/\$0		LOT/\$0 Y		LOT/\$0 Y	
25 26	Security Features	Y Y	Y Y		Y N	\$5	Y N	\$5	N Y	\$5	Y	
20	Community Space	Y	Y		N	\$5 \$5	N	\$5	Y	\$5	Y	
27	Pool/Recreation Areas	N	P/F	(\$15)	N	φ5	P/F/S	(\$18)	N		P/F/S	(\$18)
29	Business/Computer Center	Y	N	\$3	N	\$3	N	\$3	N	\$3	N	\$3
30	Grilling Area	Y	Y	40	N	\$3	Y		N	\$3	Y	
31	Playground	Y	Y		N	\$3	Y		Y		N	\$3
32	Social Services	N	N		N		N		N		N	
E.	Utilities		Data	\$ Adj	Data	\$ Adj	Data	\$ Adj	Data	\$ Adj	Data	\$ Adj
	Heat (in rent?/ type)	N/E	N/E		N/E		N/E		N/E		N/E	
34	Cooling (in rent?/ type)	N/E	N/E		N/E		N/E		N/E		N/E	
	Cooking (in rent?/ type)	N/E	N/E		N/E		N/E		N/E		N/E	
	Hot Water (in rent?/ type) Other Electric	N/E	N/E		N/E		N/E		N/E		N/E	
37	Other Electric Cold Water/Sewer	N N/N	N N/N		N N/N		N Y/Y	(\$71)	N N/N		N Y/Y	(\$71)
38 39	Trash/Recycling	N/N N/N	N/N Y/N	(\$16)	N/N Y/N	(\$16)	Y/Y Y/N	(\$71) (\$16)	N/N Y/N	(\$16)	Y/Y Y/N	(\$71) (\$16)
39 F.	Adjustments Recap	11/11	Pos	(\$10) Neg	Y/IN Pos	(\$16) Neg	Y/IN Pos	(\$10) Neg	Y/IN Pos	(\$16) Neg	Pos	(\$16) Neg
40	# Adjustments B to D		3	9	7	5	5	6	5	7	4	9
41	Sum Adjustments B to D		\$16	(\$503)	\$35	(\$236)	\$38	(\$396)	\$66	(\$258)	\$12	(\$570)
42	Sum Utility Adjustments			(\$16)		(\$16)		(\$87)		(\$16)		(\$87)
42	Net/ Gross Adjmts B to E		Net	Gross	Net	Gross	Net	Gross	Net	Gross	Net	Gross
43 G.	Adjusted & Market Rents		(\$503) Adj. Rent	\$535	(\$217) Adj. Rent	\$287	(\$445) Adj. Rent	\$521	(\$208) Adj. Rent	\$340	(\$645) Adj. Rent	\$669
G. 44	Adjusted Rent (5+ 43)		\$1,106		\$1,133		\$1,243		\$1,041		\$1,135	
44	Adj Rent/Last rent		\$1,100	69%	\$1,100	84%	\$1, 2 70	74%	\$1,011	83%	\$1,100	64%
45	Estimated Market Rent	\$1,130	\$1.22		Estimated Ma		t/ Sa Et	/ 〒/0	U.	0570		0770
40	Estimated market Kent	\$1,130	\$1.22		Estimated Ma	n ket Kell	1 SY. Fl					

Once all adjustments to collected rents were made, the adjusted rents for each comparable were used to derive an achievable market rent for each bedroom type. Each property was considered and weighed based upon its proximity to the subject site and its amenities and unit layout compared to the subject site.

Based on the preceding Rent Comparability Grids, it was determined that the presentday achievable market rents for units similar to those offered at the subject development are as follows:

Bedroom Type	% AMHI	Proposed Collected Rent	Achievable Market Rent	Market Rent Advantage						
	Senior Age 62+ Units									
One-Br.	60%	\$517	\$900	42.6%						
Two-Br.	60%	\$610	\$1,000	39.0%						
		Family Units								
Two-Br.	60%	\$610	\$990	38.4%						
Three-Br.	60%	\$705	\$1,130	37.6%						

Typically, Tax Credit rents for units targeting households earning up to 60% of AMHI are set 10% or more below achievable market rents to ensure that the project will represent a sufficient value and have a good flow of tenants. As such, the subject rents are expected to represent significant values relative to traditional market-rate product in the region, as they represent market rent advantages ranging from 37.6% to 42.6%. It is important to reiterate, however, that while the subject rents represent good market rent advantages, they are considered aggressive given the design of the subject project relative to the rents reported for comparable Tax Credit properties in this this region. Additionally, as illustrated in Section H, the subject project will have a limited base of demographic support (i.e.: capture rate) at the proposed rent levels in the unlikely event the property lost Rental Assistance (RA) and had to operate exclusively under the LIHTC guidelines. As such, the subject project will likely experience challenges in reaching and/or maintaining a stabilized occupancy rate in this unlikely scenario.

In reality, the subject property will retain RA on 37 of 40 units and will offer a Private Rental Assistance (PRA) subsidy to all currently unassisted tenants, which will ensure the property remains a value and marketable within the Washington market following renovations. The availability of RA will allow most tenants to continue paying 30% of their income towards rent rather than the non-subsidized rents evaluated throughout this report. Based on information contained in the tenant rent roll provided for the subject property at the time of this analysis, the current *average* tenant-paid rents of existing tenants at the subject property range from \$167 to \$217 among family units, or \$144 to \$391 among senior units, depending upon bedroom type. This demonstrates the value RA provides for the subject property and indicates that the property effectively represents a greater value than that indicated by the market rent advantages in the preceding table.

Rent Adjustment Explanations (Rent Comparability Grid)

None of the selected properties offer the same amenities as the subject property. As a result, we have made adjustments to the collected rents to reflect the differences between the subject property and the selected properties. The following are explanations (preceded by the line reference number on the comparability grid table) for each rent adjustment made to each selected property.

- 1. Rents for each property are reported as collected rents. These are the actual rents paid by tenants and do not consider utilities paid by tenants. The rents reported are typical and do not consider rent concessions or special promotions; however flat fees for essential utilities have been considered for properties that charge such fees.
- 3. Two of the selected properties are offering rent credits for new tenants at the time of analysis equivalent to \$100 and \$150 per month. We have applied negative adjustments of \$100 and \$150 to the reported rents among unit types with vacancies at these properties to reflect these promotions.
- 7. Upon completion of renovations, the subject project will have an effective age of a project built in 2011, which is a simple average of the original year built and anticipated renovation completion date. The selected properties were built between 1979 and 2012, with several projects having been renovated between 2019 and 2022. As such, we have adjusted the rents at the selected properties by \$1 per year of effective age difference to reflect the age of these properties.
- 8. It is anticipated that the subject project will have an improved appearance, once renovations are complete. We have made adjustments for those properties that we consider to be of superior or inferior quality compared to the subject development.
- 9. Two of the selected properties are located in more desirable neighborhoods than the subject project. As such, we have made adjustments to account for differences in neighborhood quality between these projects and the subject project.

- 10. Due to the limited supply of market-rate rental product offered within the Washington Site PMA, the properties selected for this analysis are located outside the PMA boundaries but in the nearby communities of Evans, Madison, Athens and Grovetown, Georgia. Based on population, income and rental data from American Community Survey (ACS), we have applied negative adjustments of 10% to the properties in Madison and Athens, 15% to the property in Grovetown, and 20% to the properties in Evans to reflect the differences between these areas and the Washington market.
- 11. One of the properties selected for this analysis, Sterling, does not offer three-bedroom units similar to those at the subject project. For this property, we considered the next most comparable floor plan (two-bedroom) and applied a positive adjustment of \$50 to account for the additional defined bedroom space within the subject units. Note that differences in square footage between these unit types is accounted for in our adjustments in Line 13.
- 12. There is a variety of the number of bathrooms offered at each of the selected properties. We have made adjustments of \$30 per full bathroom to reflect the difference in the number of bathrooms offered at the site as compared with the comparable properties.
- 13. The adjustment for differences in square footage is based upon the average rent per square foot among the comparable properties. Since consumers do not value extra square footage on a dollar for dollar basis, we have used 25% of the average for this adjustment.
- 14.-23. The subject project will offer a unit amenity package which is similar to those offered among the selected properties. We have made, however, monetary adjustments to account for differences between the unit amenity packages offered at the site and the comparable market-rate properties.
- 24.-32. The subject project will offer a project amenity package which is similar overall to those offered among the selected properties. We have made, however, monetary adjustments to account for differences between the project amenity packages offered at the site and the comparable market-rate properties.
- 33.-39. We have made adjustments to reflect the differences in utility responsibility at each selected property. The utility adjustments were based on the local housing authority's utility cost estimates.

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5. <u>SINGLE-FAMILY HOME IMPACT</u>

According to ESRI, the median home value in the Site PMA was \$95,763. At an estimated interest rate of 5.89% and a 30-year term (and 95% LTV), the monthly mortgage for a \$95,763 home is \$674, including estimated taxes and insurance.

Buy Versus Rent Analysis	
Median Home Price – ESRI	\$95,763
Mortgaged Value = 95% Of Median Home Price	\$90,975
Interest Rate – Bankrate.Com	5.89%
Term	30
Monthly Principal & Interest	\$539
Estimated Taxes & Insurance*	\$135
Estimated Monthly Mortgage Payment:	\$674

*Estimated at 25% of principal and interest

In comparison, the collected Tax Credit rents for the subject property range from \$517 to \$705 per month. While it is possible that some tenants would be able to afford the monthly payments required to own a home, the number of tenants that would also be able to afford the down payment, routine maintenance costs, and/or utility expenses associated with such a home is anticipated to be to be minimal. A median home price of \$95,763 also indicates that much of the for-sale housing stock likely consists of modular, older and/or dilapidated homes that would likely require greater maintenance and correspondence costs. Further, most tenants will continue to pay up to just 30% of their income towards rent due to the availability of Rental Assistance (RA) rather than the non-subsidized Tax Credit rents evaluated throughout this report. Therefore, we do not anticipate any competitive impact on or from the homebuyer market.

Section J – Absorption & Stabilization Rates

For the purposes of this analysis, we assume the absorption period at the site begins as soon as the first units are available for occupancy. Since all demand calculations in this report follow GDCA guidelines that assume a 2025 renovation completion date for the site, we also assume that initial units at the site will be available for rent sometime in 2025.

According to management, the subject project is currently 100.0% occupied and a 16household waiting list is maintained. After a review of tenant incomes that were provided at the time this report was issued, we anticipate that most (if not all) current tenants will continue to income-qualify and remain at the property post renovations, based on information provided by the developer at the time of this analysis. However, for the purposes of this analysis, we assume that all 40 subject units will be vacated and that all units will have to be re-rented simultaneously following renovations.

It is our opinion that the 40 units at the subject project will reach a stabilized occupancy of at least 93.0% within approximately three months following renovations, assuming total displacement of existing tenants. This absorption period is based on an average absorption rate of approximately 12 to 13 units per month and assumes the property will continue to operate with Rental Assistance (RA) available to most (37 of 40) units. Our absorption projections take into consideration the general lack of availability among existing affordable rental product within the Washington Site PMA. Our demand estimates and the competitiveness of the subject development within the Washington Site PMA has also been considered. Changes to the project's rents, subsidy availability, amenities, scope of renovations, or other features may invalidate our findings. We assume the developer and/or management will aggressively market the project throughout the Site PMA a few months in advance of its opening and continue to monitor market conditions during the project's initial lease-up period.

As indicated above, the preceding absorption projections assume the property will continue to operate with RA available to most units following renovations. In the unlikely event the subject property was to lose RA and operated exclusively under the LIHTC program at the rent levels evaluated throughout this report, we anticipate that the property would experience issues in reaching and/or consistently maintaining a stabilized occupancy rate at the proposed rent levels. This is particularly true when considering the rent positioning and design of the subject property relative to comparable Tax Credit properties in the region. The subject's limited base of demographic support (i.e.: capture rate) must also be considered in this scenario.

In reality, the subject project involves the renovation of an existing property which is currently 100.0% occupied with a waiting list. In addition, the property will continue to provide RA to most units following renovations. The developer has also indicated that a Private Rental Assistance (PRA) subsidy will also be provided to all currently unassisted tenants at the property following renovations. This subsidy will prevent a rent increase on current unassisted tenants resulting from the renovation. Based on information provided by the subject developer, most (if not all) existing tenants are expected to remain at the property following renovations. Further, any units which may become vacant due to typical tenant turnover are expected to be quickly filled from the waiting list currently maintained for the property. As such, there effectively will be no absorption period for the subject property.

Section K – Interviews

The following are summaries of interviews conducted with various local sources regarding the need for affordable housing within the Washington Site PMA.

- Donna White is the Property Manager of the subject site Brightwood Lane and the adjacent Autumn Lane, a Tax Credit and subsidized property bordering the site project to the east. White noted that Brightwood Lane and Autumn Lane are both fully occupied with waiting lists of 16 households and nine households, respectively. White added that there is a limited inventory of affordable rental housing in the area, so demand is always high for the existing rental projects in the market.
- Zena Zahran, the Executive Director of the Wilkes County Housing Authority, stated that there is a substantial need for more affordable housing in Wilkes County. Zahran stated that single-family homes comprise most of the existing housing stock in Wilkes County, with the county maintaining a small inventory of rental housing that has very limited availability. Zahran also stated that Wilkes County has a large low-income population, noting that many employees within the Wilkes County School System (one of the area's largest employers) have annual salaries as low as \$5,000. Zahran added that, due to the lack of rental housing and the inability of many residents to afford a home, many Wilkes County residents have been forced to live in hotels. Zahran noted that these hotels are the only barrier between many low-income households and homelessness. Zahran concluded that the addition of any affordable housing in Wilkes County would help alleviate these problems and improve the standard of living for many county residents.
- Jimmy Toto is a Building/Code Enforcement Official for Washington Planning/ Zoning/Code Enforcement and the Wilkes County Office. Toto stated that there is a substantial need for more affordable housing in Washington and Wilkes County, noting that the county has a limited inventory of rental housing. Toto noted that, while Washington contains the largest quantity of Antebellum-style homes in the state of Georgia, these homes make up a large portion of the city's existing housing stock and are significantly cost prohibitive for low-income households to own. Toto further elaborated that there are essentially no housing options for persons earning a typical income for the area, concluding that additional affordable housing would be beneficial to the people of Wilkes County.

Section L – Conclusions & Recommendations

Based on the findings reported in our market study, it is our opinion that a market will continue to exist for the subject project in Washington, Georgia, following Tax Credit renovations. This assumes the subject project continues to operate with Rental Assistance (RA) and Private Rental Assistance (PRA) available to all units following renovations. Changes in the project rents, subsidy availability, amenities or scope of work, and/or renovation completion date may alter these findings.

The existing subject property is currently 100.0% occupied with a waiting list maintained for its next available unit. According to the subject developer, most (if not all) existing tenants are expected to continue to qualify for and remain at the subject property post renovation. Thus, there will effectively be no absorption period for the subject project. Any units which may become vacant due to typical tenant turnover are expected to be filled directly from the waiting list maintained for the property.

Existing comparable non-subsidized Tax Credit properties surveyed in the region are performing at a high level, as the six properties surveyed have an overall occupancy rate of 99.2% occupied with five maintaining waiting lists. However, the subject project is considered inferior to these communities in terms of overall design, which is particularly noteworthy given that the site property will offer among the highest LIHTC rents in the region if the project lost its subsidy. Additionally, a limited base of support (i.e.: capture rate) exists for the subject property at its currently proposed rent levels, assuming the unlikely scenario in which the subject property were to operate without RA.

When considering the retention of RA and the current occupancy rate and waiting list maintained, the subject property is clearly competitive and marketable within the Washington Site PMA. However, in the unlikely event RA was lost and the property had to operate exclusively under the Tax Credit program/guidelines, the subject project will likely experience challenges in reaching and/or maintaining a stabilized occupancy rate.

Nonetheless, the subject property will retain RA which will ensure the property remains a value and affordable to very low-income renters within the Washington Site PMA following renovations. We have no recommendations for the subject project in this scenario.

Section M - Signed Statement Requirements

I affirm that I have made a physical inspection of the market area and the subject property and that information has been used in the full study regarding the need and demand for the proposed units. The report was written according to GDCA's market study requirements, the information included is accurate and the report can be relied upon by GDCA as a true assessment of the low-income housing rental market.

To the best of my knowledge, the market can support the project as shown in the study. I understand that any misrepresentation of this statement may result in the denial of further participation in GDCA's rental housing programs. I also affirm that I have no interest in the project or relationship with the ownership entity and my compensation is not contingent on this project being funded.

GDCA may rely on the representation made in the market study. The document is assignable to other lenders.

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Patrick M. Bowen President/Market Analyst Bowen National Research 155 E. Columbus St., Suite 220 Pickerington, OH 43147 (614) 833-9300 patrickb@bowennational.com Date: August 31, 2023

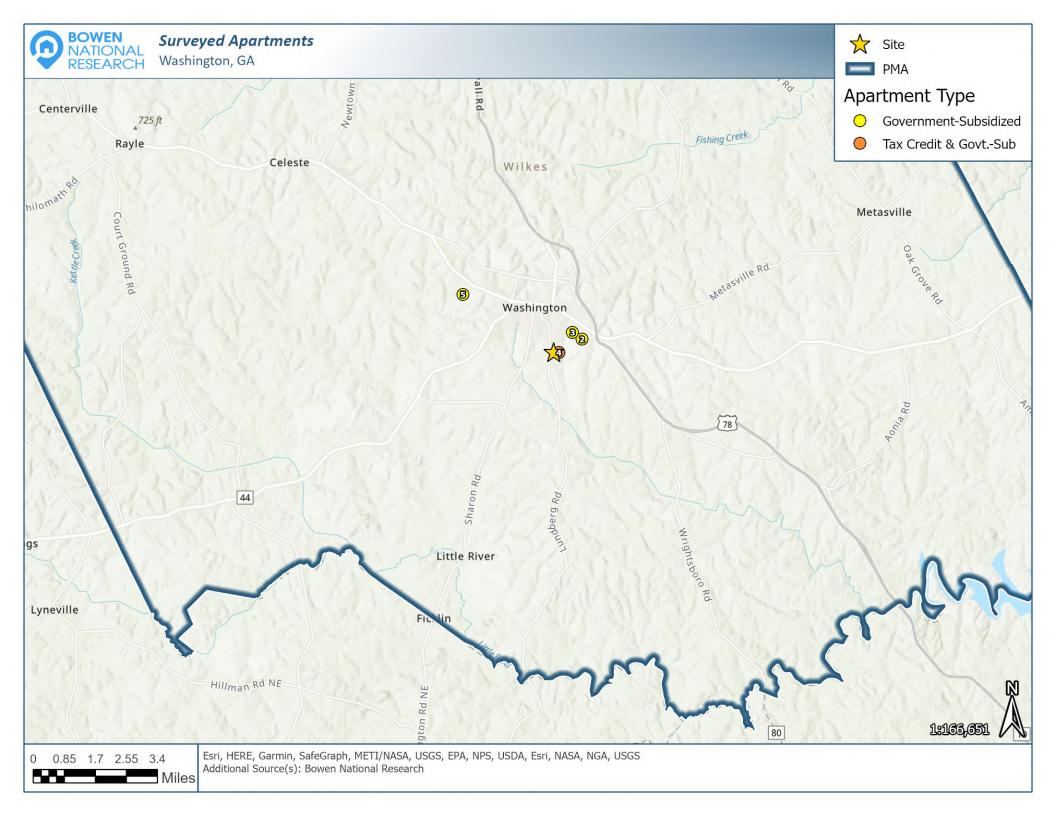
Nathan Stelts (Primary Contact) Market Analyst <u>nathans@bowennational.com</u> Date: August 31, 2023

Jonathan Kabat Market Analyst jonathank@bowennational.com Date: August 31, 2023

ADDENDUM A:

FIELD SURVEY OF CONVENTIONAL RENTALS

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Map ID — Washington, Georgia

Survey Date: August 2023

	Map ID	Property	Prop Type	Quality Rating	Year Built	Total Units	Vacant	Occ. Rate	Distance To Site*
	1	Brightwood Lane Apts.	TGS	B+	1996	40	0	100.0%	-
•	2	Ashford Court Apts.	GSS	В	1991	24	1	95.8%	1.0
	3	Ashley Park	GSS	В	1987	24	0	100.0%	1.2
	4	Autumn Lane	TGS	В	1990	24	0	100.0%	0.2
•	5	Washington Heights	GSS	C+	1980	80	0	100.0%	3.6
~	904	Belmont	MRR	А	2003	192	17	91.1%	48.3
~	905	Canaan Crossing	TAX	B+	2022	60	0	100.0%	50.6
♦ 🗸	909	Lakewood Hills Senior Village	TAX	B+	2012	74	0	100.0%	45.9
\checkmark	911	Madison Square	MRR	B-	2000	58	1	98.3%	50.5
~	912	Mary-Leila Lofts	ТАХ	В	1900	71	3	95.8%	30.5
♦ 🗸	913	Monterey Pass	ТАХ	B+	2007	60	0	100.0%	24.1
\checkmark	914	Oaks Apts.	MRR	С	1979	238	7	97.1%	40.9
~	915	Orchard Grove Apts.	ТАХ	B+	2004	60	0	100.0%	50.6
♦ 🗸	919	Silver Lakes Court	ТАХ	B+	2016	44	0	100.0%	49.6
~	920	Sterlington	MRR	В	2012	121	4	96.7%	42.8
\checkmark	921	Walden Glen Apts.	MRR	А	2000	266	8	97.0%	46.6



(MIG) Market-Rate, Income-Restricted (not LIHTC) & Govt-Subsidized

- (TAX) Tax Credit
- (TGS) Tax Credit & Government-Subsidized
- (TMI) Tax Credit, Market-Rate, Income-Restricted (not LIHTC)
- (TIN) Tax Credit & Income-Restricted (not LIHTC)
- (TMG) Tax Credit, Market-Rate & Government-Subsidized

*Drive distance in miles

- (TIG) Tax Credit, Income-Restricted (not LIHTC) & Govt-Subsidized
- (INR) Income-Restricted (not LIHTC)
- (ING) Income-Restricted (not LIHTC) & Government-Subsidized
- (GSS) Government-Subsidized
- (ALL) Tax Credit, Market-Rate, Govt-Subsidized & Income-Restricted

1	Brightwood Lane	e Apts.		Contact: Donr	a
1	344 Andrew Dr., Was	•		Phone: (706) 6	578-7083
		Total Units: 40 UC: 0 BR: 1, 2, 3 Target Population: Family, Senio Rent Special: None Notes: Tax Credit; RD 515, has Ra		Stories: 1,2 Waitlist: 16 HH	Year Built: 199 AR Year: Yr Renovated:
2	Ashford Court Ap			Contact: Beve	rly
2	915 Ashley Ave., Wa	shington, GA 30673		Phone: (706) 6	578-1220
		Total Units: 24 UC: 0 BR: 1, 2 Target Population: Senior 62+ Rent Special: None Notes: RD 515, has RA (24 units)	Occupancy: 95.8% Vacant Units: 1	Stories: 1 Waitlist: None	Year Built: 199 AR Year: Yr Renovated:
3	Ashley Park			Contact: Jenni	fer
J	801 Ashley Ave., Wa			Phone: (706) 6	
		Total Units: 24 UC: 0 BR: 1, 2 Target Population: Family Rent Special: None Notes: RD 515, has RA (22 units)	Occupancy: 100.0% Vacant Units: 0	Stories: 1,2 Waitlist: 3 HH	Year Built: 198 AR Year: Yr Renovated:
4	Autumn Lane			Contact: Donr	a
4	344 Andrew Dr., Was	shington, GA 30673		Phone: (706) 6	578-7083
L A		Total Units: 24 UC: 0 BR: 1, 2, 3 Target Population: Family Rent Special: None Notes: Tax Credit; RD 515, has R	Occupancy: 100.0% Vacant Units: 0 A (21 units)	Stories: 1,2 Waitlist: 1 & 2-br; 9 HH	Year Built: 199 AR Year: Yr Renovated:
_	Washington Heig	ıhts		Contact: Katri	าล
5		/ashington, GA 30673		Phone: (706) 6	578-7095
and a second		Total Units: 80 UC: 0 BR: 1, 2, 3, 4 Target Population: Family, Senio Rent Special: None Notes: HUD Section 8; RD 515, n		Stories: 1 Waitlist: Yes	Year Built: 198(AR Year: Yr Renovated:
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	904 Belmont 650 Thoroughbred Lr	$E_{\text{Vanc}} \subset A 20900$		Contact: Den Phono: (762)	
	650 Thoroughbred Lr			Phone: (762)	
	2. Year	Total Units: 192 UC: 0	Occupancy: 91.1%	Stories: 2,3	Year Built: 2003
		BR: 1, 2, 3, 4	Vacant Units: 17	Waitlist: None	AR Year:
14		Target Population: Family			Yr Renovated:
-		Rent Special: Get \$100 off even	-		
1 Pg		Notes: Rent range for upgrad	ed units		
/	Concon Crossing			Contact: Rita	
9	Canaan Crossing 1180 Wheat St, Madi	son, GA 30650		Phone: (706)	
		Total Units: 60 UC: 0	Occupancy: 100.0%	Stories: 2	Year Built: 2022
	- Jak	BR: 1, 2, 3	Vacant Units: 0	Waitlist: 303 HH	AR Year:
2	A A A A A A A A A A A A A A A A A A A	Target Population: Family			Yr Renovated:
1 -		Rent Special: None			
11			ds (11 units): Proloasing 1/202	2, opened 10/2022, 100% occupi	ad 11/2022
				2, opened 10/2022, 100% occup	GU 11/2022
				<u> </u>	
9	209 Lakewood Hills Se	0		Contact: Kim	5
	1025 Barnett Shoals I	Rd, Athens, GA 30605		Phone: (706)	
100 J		Total Units: 74 UC: 0	Occupancy: 100.0%	•••••••••••••••••••••••••••••••••••••••	w/Elevator Year Built: 2012
	Mar all	BR: 1,2	Vacant Units: 0	Waitlist: 125 HH	AR Year:
	A. M. Carlos	Target Population: Senior 55+	-		Yr Renovated:
		Rent Special: None			
		Notes: Tax Credit			
	Madison Square			Contact: Ash	leyw/ RAC
9	911 1092 Micha Way, Ma	dison, GA 30650		Phone: (706)	355-3178
	1. 1.10	Total Units: 58 UC: 0	Occupancy: 98.3%	Stories: 1	Year Built: 2000
2			Occupancy: 98.3% Vacant Units: 1	Stories: 1 Waitlist: None	Year Built: 2000 AR Year:
	Marken N	Total Units: 58 UC: 0			
		Total Units: 58 UC: 0 BR: 1, 2, 3			AR Year:
		Total Units:58UC:0BR:1, 2, 3Target Population:FamilyRent Special:None			AR Year:
		Total Units: 58 UC: 0 BR: 1, 2, 3 Target Population: Family			AR Year:
		Total Units:58UC:0BR:1, 2, 3Target Population:FamilyRent Special:None		Waitlist: None	Yr Renovated:
9	Mary-Leila Lofts	Total Units: 58 UC: 0 BR: 1, 2, 3 Target Population: Family Rent Special: None Notes: Does not keep a WL		Waitlist: None Contact: Mir	AR Year: Yr Renovated: anda
9	Mary Leila Lefts	Total Units: 58 UC: 0 BR: 1, 2, 3 Target Population: Family Rent Special: None Notes: Does not keep a WL	Vacant Units: 1	Waitlist: None Contact: Mir Phone: (706)	AR Year: Yr Renovated: anda 454-5047
9	Mary-Leila Lofts	Total Units: 58 UC: 0 BR: 1, 2, 3 Target Population: Family Rent Special: None Notes: Does not keep a WL nsboro, GA 30642 Total Units: 71 UC: 0	Vacant Units: 1	Waitlist: None Contact: Mir	AR Year: Yr Renovated: anda 454-5047 Year Built: 1900
9	Mary-Leila Lofts	Total Units: 58 UC: 0 BR: 1, 2, 3 Target Population: Family Rent Special: None Notes: Does not keep a WL nsboro, GA 30642 Total Units: 71 UC: 0 BR: 1, 2, 3	Vacant Units: 1 Occupancy: 95.8%	Waitlist: None Contact: Mir Phone: (706) Stories: 2,3	AR Year: Yr Renovated: anda 454-5047 Year Built: 1900
9	Mary-Leila Lofts	Total Units: 58 UC: 0 BR: 1, 2, 3 Target Population: Family Rent Special: None Notes: Does not keep a WL nsboro, GA 30642 Total Units: 71 UC: 0 BR: 1, 2, 3 Target Population: Family	Vacant Units: 1 Occupancy: 95.8%	Waitlist: None Contact: Mir Phone: (706) Stories: 2,3	AR Year: Yr Renovated: anda 454-5047 Year Built: 1900 AR Year: 2010
9	Mary-Leila Lofts	Total Units: 58 UC: 0 BR: 1, 2, 3 Target Population: Family Rent Special: None Notes: Does not keep a WL nsboro, GA 30642 Total Units: 71 UC: 0 BR: 1, 2, 3 Target Population: Family Rent Special: None	Vacant Units: 1 Occupancy: 95.8%	Waitlist: None Contact: Mir Phone: (706) Stories: 2,3	AR Year: Yr Renovated: anda 454-5047 Year Built: 1900 AR Year: 2016
9	Mary-Leila Lofts	Total Units: 58 UC: 0 BR: 1, 2, 3 Target Population: Family Rent Special: None Notes: Does not keep a WL nsboro, GA 30642 Total Units: 71 UC: 0 BR: 1, 2, 3 Target Population: Family	Vacant Units: 1 Occupancy: 95.8%	Waitlist: None Contact: Mir Phone: (706) Stories: 2,3	AR Year: Yr Renovated: anda 454-5047 Year Built: 1900 AR Year: 2016
·	Mary-Leila Lofts	Total Units: 58 UC: 0 BR: 1, 2, 3 Target Population: Family Rent Special: None Notes: Does not keep a WL nsboro, GA 30642 Total Units: 71 UC: 0 BR: 1, 2, 3 Target Population: Family Rent Special: None	Vacant Units: 1 Occupancy: 95.8%	Waitlist: None Contact: Mir Phone: (706) Stories: 2,3	AR Year: Yr Renovated: anda 454-5047 Year Built: 1900 AR Year: 2016
9	Mary-Leila Lofts 316 S. West St., Gree	Total Units: 58 UC: 0 BR: 1, 2, 3 Target Population: Family Rent Special: None Notes: Does not keep a WL nsboro, GA 30642 Total Units: 71 UC: 0 BR: 1, 2, 3 Target Population: Family Rent Special: None Notes: Tax Credit	Vacant Units: 1 Occupancy: 95.8% Vacant Units: 3	Waitlist: None Contact: Mir Phone: (706) Stories: 2,3 Waitlist: None	AR Year: Yr Renovated: anda 454-5047 Year Built: 1900 AR Year: 2016 Yr Renovated:
	Mary-Leila Lofts 302 Mary-Leila Lofts 316 S. West St., Gree	Total Units: 58 UC: 0 BR: 1, 2, 3 Target Population: Family Rent Special: None Notes: Does not keep a WL nsboro, GA 30642 Total Units: 71 UC: 0 BR: 1, 2, 3 Target Population: Family Rent Special: None Notes: Tax Credit (MIG) Market-Rate, I	Vacant Units: 1 Occupancy: 95.8%	Waitlist: None Contact: Mir Phone: (706) Stories: 2,3 Waitlist: None	AR Year: Yr Renovated: anda 454-5047 Year Built: 1900 AR Year: 2016 Yr Renovated: Restricted (not LIHTC) & Govt-Subsidized
	Mary-Leila Lofts 316 S. West St., Gree	Total Units: 58 UC: 0 BR: 1, 2, 3 Target Population: Family Rent Special: None Notes: Does not keep a WL nsboro, GA 30642 Total Units: 71 UC: 0 BR: 1, 2, 3 Target Population: Family Rent Special: None Notes: Tax Credit (MIG) Market-Rate, I	Vacant Units: 1 Occupancy: 95.8% Vacant Units: 3	Waitlist: None Contact: Mir Phone: (706) Stories: 2,3 Waitlist: None vsidized (TIG) Tax Credit, Income (INR) Income-Restricted	AR Year: Yr Renovated: anda 454-5047 Year Built: 1900 AR Year: 2016 Yr Renovated: P-Restricted (not LIHTC) & Govt-Subsidized I (not LIHTC)
	Mary-Leila Lofts Mary-Leila Lofts Stores	Total Units: 58 UC: 0 BR: 1, 2, 3 Target Population: Family Rent Special: None Notes: Does not keep a WL nsboro, GA 30642 Total Units: 71 UC: 0 BR: 1, 2, 3 Target Population: Family Rent Special: None Notes: Tax Credit (MIG) Market-Rate, I (TAX) Tax Credit (TGS) Tax Credit & G	Vacant Units: 1 Occupancy: 95.8% Vacant Units: 3	Waitlist: None Contact: Mir Phone: (706) Stories: 2,3 Waitlist: None vsidized (TIG) Tax Credit, Income (INR) Income-Restricted	AR Year: Yr Renovated: anda 454-5047 Year Built: 1900 AR Year: 2016 Yr Renovated: -Restricted (not LIHTC) & Govt-Subsidized I (not LIHTC) & Government-Subsidized
	Output Mary-Leila Lofts 12 Mary-Leila Lofts 16 S. West St., Gree Mary-Leila Lofts Vorte State Comparable Property Senior Restricted (MRR) Market-Rate Market-Rate	Total Units: 58 UC: 0 BR: 1, 2, 3 Target Population: Family Rent Special: None Notes: Does not keep a WL nsboro, GA 30642 Total Units: 71 UC: 0 BR: 1, 2, 3 Target Population: Family Rent Special: None Notes: Tax Credit (TAX) Tax Credit & Gr (TMI) Tax Credit & Gr	Vacant Units: 1 Occupancy: 95.8% Vacant Units: 3 ncome-Restricted (not LIHTC) & Govt-Sub	Waitlist: None Contact: Mir. Phone: (706) Stories: 2,3 Waitlist: None vsidized (TIG) Tax Credit, Income (INR) Income-Restricted (ING) Income-Restricted (SSS) Government-Subs	AR Year: Yr Renovated: anda 454-5047 Year Built: 1900 AR Year: 2016 Yr Renovated: -Restricted (not LIHTC) & Govt-Subsidized I (not LIHTC) & Government-Subsidized

Properties Surveyed — Washington, Georgia Survey Date: August 2023 Contact: Terrie **Monterey Pass** 913 877 Cobbham Rd., Thomson, GA 30824 Phone: (706) 595-1067 Total Units: 60 UC: 0 Occupancy: 100.0% Stories: 2 w/Elevator Year Built: 2007 BR: 1,2 Vacant Units: 0 Waitlist: 50 HH AR Year: Target Population: Senior 55+ Yr Renovated: Rent Special: None Notes: Tax Credit Contact: Nikki Oaks Apts. 914 175 Woodlake Pl., Athens, GA 30605 Phone: (706) 549-6254 Total Units: 238 UC: 0 Occupancy: 97.1% Stories: 2 Year Built: 1979 BR: 1, 2, 3 Vacant Units: 7 Waitlist: None AR Year: Target Population: Family Yr Renovated: 2022 Rent Special: None Notes: Contact: Laurie Orchard Grove Apts. 915 1070 Micha Way, Madison, GA 30650 Phone: (706) 752-1707 Total Units: 60 UC: 0 Occupancy: 100.0% Stories: 2 Year Built: 2004 Vacant Units: 0 Waitlist: 36 mos BR: 2,3 AR Year: Target Population: Family Yr Renovated: Rent Special: None Notes: Tax Credit Contact: Cindy Silver Lakes Court 919 555 5th St, Madison, GA 30650 Phone: (706) 717-9593 Total Units: 44 Stories: 2,3 w/Elevator Year Built: 2016 UC: 0 Occupancy: 100.0% BR: 1, 2 Vacant Units: 0 Waitlist: 62 HH AR Year: Target Population: Senior 55+ Yr Renovated: Rent Special: None Notes: Tax Credit; HOME Funds (44 units) Contact: Camron Sterlington 920 4105 Sterlington Drive, Grovetown, GA 30813 Phone: (706) 956-0711 Total Units: 121 UC: 0 Stories: 1,2 Year Built: 2012 Occupancy: 96.7% BR: 1,2 Vacant Units: 4 Waitlist: None AR Year: Target Population: Family Yr Renovated: Rent Special: None Notes: Rents change weekly **Comparable Property** (MIG) Market-Rate, Income-Restricted (not LIHTC) & Govt-Subsidized (TIG) Tax Credit, Income-Restricted (not LIHTC) & Govt-Subsidized Senior Restricted (TAX) Tax Credit (INR) Income-Restricted (not LIHTC) (MRR) Market-Rate (TGS) Tax Credit & Government-Subsidized (ING) Income-Restricted (not LIHTC) & Government-Subsidized (MRT) Market-Rate & Tax Credit (TMI) Tax Credit, Market-Rate, Income-Restricted (not LIHTC) (GSS) Government-Subsidized (TIN) Tax Credit & Income-Restricted (not LIHTC) (ALL) Tax Credit, Market-Rate, Govt-Subsidized & Income-Restricted (MRG) Market-Rate & Government-Subsidized

(TMG) Tax Credit, Market-Rate & Government-Subsidized

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(MIN) Market-Rate & Income-Restricted (not LIHTC)

Survey Date: August 2023

921 Walden Glen Apts 336 N. Belair Rd., Eva			Contact: Kati Phone: (706)	
	Total Units: 266 UC: 0 BR: 1 , 2 , 3 Target Population: Family Rent Special: \$150 per month con Notes:	Occupancy: 97.0% Vacant Units: 8 cession (new tenants)	Stories: 3 Waitlist: None	Year Built: 2000 AR Year: Yr Renovated: 2019

Comparable Property

Senior Restricted
(MRR) Market-Rate
(MRT) Market-Rate & Tax Credit
(MRG) Market-Rate & Government-Subsidized
(MIN) Market-Rate & Income-Restricted (not LIHTC)

(MIG) Market-Rate, Income-Restricted (not LIHTC) & Govt-Subsidized (TAX) Tax Credit

(TGS) Tax Credit & Government-Subsidized

(TMI) Tax Credit, Market-Rate, Income-Restricted (not LIHTC)

(TIN) Tax Credit & Income-Restricted (not LIHTC)

(TMG) Tax Credit, Market-Rate & Government-Subsidized

(TIG) Tax Credit, Income-Restricted (not LIHTC) & Govt-Subsidized (INR) Income-Restricted (not LIHTC)

(ING) Income-Restricted (not LIHTC) & Government-Subsidized

(GSS) Government-Subsidized

(ALL) Tax Credit, Market-Rate, Govt-Subsidized & Income-Restricted

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Source: Georgia Department of Community Affairs Effective: 01/2023

				Gar	den		
		0 BR	1 BR	2 BR	3 BR	4 BR	5 BR
	Natural Gas	10	15	18	24	31	37
	+Base Charge	0	0	0	0	0	0
Heating	Bottled Gas	36	56	66	86	112	132
neating	Electric	12	17	21	27	32	39
	Heat Pump	8	9	12	17	20	22
	Oil	0	0	0	0	0	0
	Natural Gas	3	4	5	7	8	10
Cooking	Bottled Gas	10	17	20	23	30	36
Cooking	Electric	6	8	10	12	16	18
Other Electric	16	22	29	35	45	51	
	+Base Charge	0	0	0	0	0	0
Air Conditioning		5	7	10	13	15	17
	Natural Gas	4	7	9	11	13	16
Mator Llooting	Bottled Gas	17	23	33	40	46	60
Water Heating	Electric	9	14	20	25	30	35
	Oil	0	0	0	0	0	0
Water		21	25	29	35	41	45
Sewer		20	24	29	36	44	48
Trash Collection		16	16	16	16	16	16
Internet*		20	20	20	20	20	20
Cable*		20	20	20	20	20	20
Alarm Monitorin	g*	0	0	0	0	0	0

Monthly Dollar Allowances

Townhome										
0 BR	1 BR	2 BR	3 BR	4 BR	5 BR					
12	17	21	26	34	38					
0	0	0	0	0	0					
43	60	76	96	109	122					
13	19	24	30	37	42					
8	9	12	17	20	22					
0	0	0	0	0	0					
3	4	5	7	8	10					
10	17	20	23	30	36					
6	8	10	12	16	18					
16	22	29	35	45	51					
0	0	0	0	0	0					
6	8	11	13	17	19					
4	7	9	11	13	16					
17	23	33	40	46	60					
9	14	20	25	30	35					
0	0	0	0	0	0					
21	25	29	35	41	45					
20	24	29	36	44	48					
16	16	16	16	16	16					
20	20	20	20	20	20					
20	20	20	20	20	20					
0	0	0	0	0	0					

* Estimated- not from source

ADDENDUM B

COMPARABLE PROPERTY PROFILES

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Addendum B-1

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Prope	erties Surv	eyed -	– Washi	ngton, Ge	eorgia		Survey Date: Au	gust 2023
904	Belmor	nt					48.3 miles	s to site
					Address: 650 Thoroughbred Phone: (762) 222-4805 Property Type: Market Rate Target Population: Family Total Units: 192	Contact: Dena Year Built: 200	03 <u>Ratings</u>	
i sal					Vacant Units: 17 Occupancy: 91.1% Turnover: Waitlist: None Rent Special: Get \$100 off e	*AR Year: Yr Renovated: Stories: 2,3 very month for 12 r	Quality: A Neighborhood: Access/Visibility months	
					Notes: Rent range for upgra	aded units		
					Features And Util	ities		
			-	•	of Community Affairs			
Utility	Type & Resp	onsibility	Landlord	pays Trash				
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Parking	ig Type: Surfa	ace Lot						
					Unit Configurati	on		
Beds	Baths	Туре	Units	Vacant	Sq Ft	\$ / Sq Ft	Collected Rent	AMHI
1	1	G	44	1	822	\$1.28 - \$1.40	\$1,079 - \$1,179	Market
2	2	G	84	5	1,086	\$1.36 - \$1.45	\$1,509 - \$1,609	Market
3	2	G	40	8	1,209	\$1.31 - \$1.39	\$1,609 - \$1,709	Market
4	2	G	24	3	1,460	\$1.32 - \$1.39	\$1,959 - \$2,059	Market

*Adaptive Reuse *DTS is based on drive time

Survey Date: August 2023



Utility Schedule Provided by: Georgia Department of Communi Utility Type & Responsibility: Landlord pays Trash

Unit Amenities: Dishwasher; Disposal; Microwave; Range; Refrigerator; Central AC; Ceiling Fan; W/D Hookup; Window Treatments; Flooring (Composite/Vinyl/Laminate)

Property Amenities: Community Gardens; Multipurpose Room, Community Kitchen, Clubhouse/Community Room; Cafe / Coffee Bar; Laundry Room; On-Site Management; Recreation Areas (Playground); CCTV; Social Services (Health Screenings, Wellness Center); WiFi

Parking Type: Surface Lot

	Unit Configuration											
Beds	Baths	Туре	Units	Vacant	Sq Ft	\$ / Sq Ft	Collected Rent	AMHI				
1	1	G	2	0	723	\$0.71	\$510	50%				
1	1	G	6	0	723	\$0.71	\$510	60%				
2	1.5	Т	6	0	907 - 1,060	\$0.64 - \$0.55	\$580	50%				
2	1.5	Т	26	0	907 - 1,060	\$0.64 - \$0.55	\$580	60%				
3	2	Т	4	0	1,108 - 1,182	\$0.56 - \$0.52	\$620	50%				
3	2	Т	16	0	1,108 - 1,182	\$0.56 - \$0.52	\$620	60%				

*Adaptive Reuse

*DTS is based on drive time

Survey Date: August 2023 Lakewood Hills Senior Village 45.9 miles to site 909 Address: 1025 Barnett Shoals Rd, Athens, GA 30605 Phone: (706) 543-5080 Contact: Kimberly Property Type: Tax Credit Target Population: Senior 55+ Total Units: 74 Year Built: 2012 **Ratings** Vacant Units: 0 *AR Year: Quality: B+ Occupancy: 100.0% Neighborhood: B+ Yr Renovated: Turnover: Stories: 3 (w/Elev) Access/Visibility: A/A Waitlist: 125 HH Rent Special: None Notes: Tax Credit

Features And Utilities

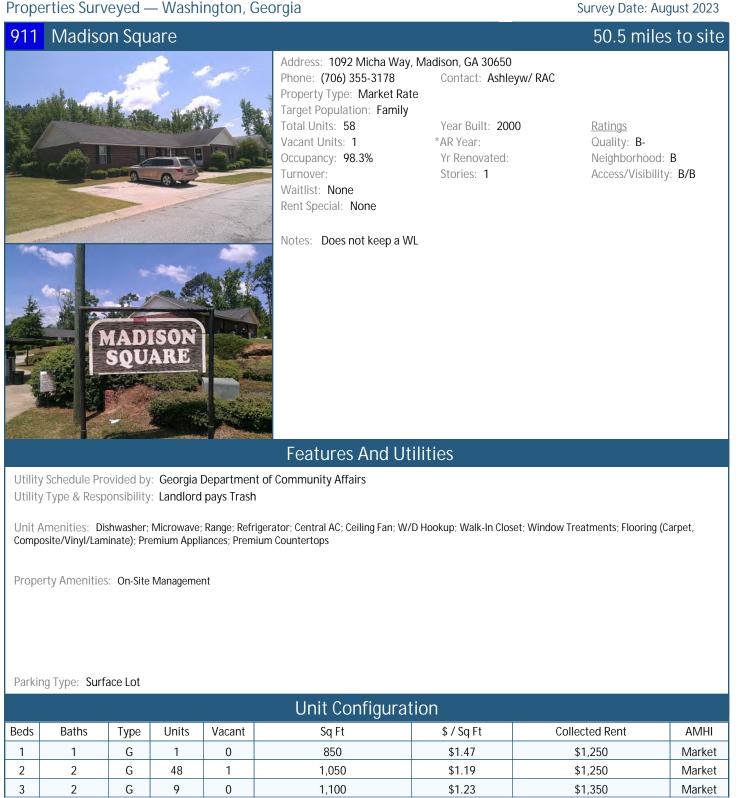
Utility Schedule Provided by: Georgia Department of Community Affairs Utility Type & Responsibility: Landlord pays Water, Sewer, Trash

Unit Amenities: Dishwasher; Disposal; Icemaker; Microwave; Range; Refrigerator; Central AC; Ceiling Fan; Controlled Access; E-Call System; W/D Hookup; W/D; Window Treatments; Flooring (Carpet, Composite/Vinyl/Laminate)

Property Amenities: Business Center (Computer/Business Center); Community Gardens; Multipurpose Room, Clubhouse/Community Room; Elevator; Laundry Room; On-Site Management; Recreation Areas (Fitness Center, Grilling Area, Game Room-Billiards)

Parking Type: Surface Lot

	Unit Configuration										
Beds	Baths	Туре	Units	Vacant	Sq Ft	\$ / Sq Ft	Collected Rent	AMHI			
1	1	G	16	0	683	\$0.89	\$609	50%			
1	1	G	21	0	683	\$1.09	\$745	60%			
2	2	G	16	0	944	\$0.77	\$724	50%			
2	2	G	21	0	944	\$0.91	\$862	60%			



Mary-Leila Lofts 30.5 miles to site 912 Address: 316 S. West St., Greensboro, GA 30642 Phone: (706) 454-5047 Contact: Miranda Property Type: Tax Credit Target Population: Family Total Units: 71 Year Built: 1900 **Ratings** Vacant Units: 3 *AR Year: 2016 Quality: B Occupancy: 95.8% Yr Renovated: Neighborhood: C Turnover: Stories: 2,3 Access/Visibility: B/A-Waitlist: None Rent Special: None Notes: Tax Credit MARY-LEILA GREENSBORD, GEORGIA 畲

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Utility Schedule Provided by: Georgia Department of Community Affairs Utility Type & Responsibility: Landlord pays Trash

Unit Amenities: Dishwasher; Disposal; Microwave; Range; Refrigerator; Central AC; Ceiling Fan; Controlled Access; W/D Hookup; W/D; Walk-In Closet; Window Treatments; Flooring (Carpet, Composite/Vinyl/Laminate, Hardwood); High/Vaulted Ceilings; Oversized Windows

Property Amenities: Bike Racks / Storage; Multipurpose Room, Community Kitchen, Clubhouse/Community Room; On-Site Management; Recreation Areas (Fitness Center, Grilling Area, Playground); CCTV

Parking Type: Surface Lot

	Unit Configuration											
Beds	Baths	Туре	Units	Vacant	Sq Ft	\$ / Sq Ft	Collected Rent	AMHI				
1	1	L	3	0	750	\$0.58	\$433	50%				
1	1	L	11	1	750	\$0.75	\$559	60%				
2	1	L	8	0	840	\$0.60	\$501	50%				
2	2	L	29	1	840	\$0.78	\$652	60%				
3	2	L	4	0	1,200	\$0.46	\$554	50%				
3	2	L	16	1	1,200	\$0.61	\$728	60%				

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*DTS is based on drive time

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Properties Surveyed — Washington, Georgia	Survey Date: August 2023		
913 Monterey Pass	24.1 miles to site		
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Utility Schedule Provided by: Georgia Department of Community Affairs			
Utility Type & Responsibility: Landlord pays Trash			
Unit Amenities: Dishwasher; Disposal; Icemaker; Range; Refrigerator; Central AC; Ceiling Fan; E-Call System; W/D Hookup; W Composite/Vinyl/Laminate)	/indow Treatments; Flooring (Carpet,		
Property Amenities: Business Center (Computer); Multipurpose Room, Community Kitchen, Clubhouse/Community Room; Room; On-Site Management; Recreation Areas (Fitness Center, Grilling Area, Library, Putting Green); CCTV; Extra Storage	Pavilion/Gazebo; Elevator; Laundry		

Parking Type: Surface Lot

	Unit Configuration											
Beds	Baths	Туре	Units	Vacant	Sq Ft	\$ / Sq Ft	Collected Rent	AMHI				
1	1	G	4	0	760	\$0.41	\$315	30%				
1	1	G	13	0	760	\$0.68	\$520	50%				
1	1	G	11	0	760	\$0.70	\$530	60%				
2	1	G	3	0	1,000	\$0.37	\$370	30%				
2	1	G	16	0	1,000	\$0.54	\$535	50%				
2	1	G	13	0	1,000	\$0.55	\$545	60%				

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*DTS is based on drive time

rgia Survey Date: August 2023 40.9 miles to site Address: 175 Woodlake PI., Athens, GA 30605

Contact: Nikki (By Phone)



Phone: (706) 549-6254 Property Type: Market Rate Target Population: Family Total Units: 238 Vacant Units: 7 Occupancy: 97.1% Turnover: Waitlist: None Rent Special: None

Year Built: **1979** *AR Year: Yr Renovated: **2022**

Stories: 2

Ratings Quality: C Neighborhood: B Access/Visibility: B/C

Notes:

Features And Utilities

Utility Schedule Provided by: Georgia Department of Community Affairs Utility Type & Responsibility: Landlord pays Water, Sewer, Trash

Unit Amenities: Dishwasher; Range; Refrigerator; Central AC; Ceiling Fan; W/D Hookup; Walk-In Closet; Window Treatments; Flooring (Carpet, Composite/Vinyl/Laminate); Premium Appliances; Premium Countertops; Premium Cabinetry; Premium Fixtures

Property Amenities: Laundry Room; On-Site Management; Recreation Areas (Fitness Center, Grilling Area, Playground, Outdoor Swimming Pool, Tennis, Volleyball); Extra Storage

Parking Type: Surface Lot

	Unit Configuration										
Beds	Baths	Туре	Units	Vacant	Sq Ft	\$ / Sq Ft	Collected Rent	AMHI			
1	1	G	84	2	950	\$1.16	\$1,162	Market			
2	2	G	120	3	1,125	\$1.16	\$1,393	Market			
2	1.5	Т	14	1	1,175	\$1.11	\$1,382	Market			
3	2	G	20	1	1,450	\$1.10	\$1,688	Market			

Survey Date: August 2023 Orchard Grove Apts. 50.6 miles to site 91 Address: 1070 Micha Way, Madison, GA 30650 Phone: (706) 752-1707 Contact: Laurie Property Type: Tax Credit Target Population: Family Total Units: 60 Year Built: 2004 **Ratings** Vacant Units: 0 *AR Year: Quality: B+ Occupancy: 100.0% Neighborhood: B Yr Renovated: Turnover: Stories: 2 Access/Visibility: B/B Waitlist: 36 mos Rent Special: None Notes: Tax Credit **RCHARD GROVE APARTMENTS** ล TDD NO. 1-800-255-0056 **Features And Utilities** Utility Schedule Provided by: Georgia Department of Community Affairs Utility Type & Responsibility: Landlord pays Water, Sewer, Trash Unit Amenities: Dishwasher; Disposal; Icemaker; Range; Refrigerator; Central AC; Ceiling Fan; W/D Hookup; Walk-In Closet; Window Treatments; Flooring (Carpet, Composite/Vinyl/Laminate) Property Amenities: Multipurpose Room, Clubhouse/Community Room; Cafe / Coffee Bar; Laundry Room; On-Site Management; Recreation Areas (Fitness Center, Grilling Area, Library, Playground); CCTV; WiFi

Parking Type: Surface Lot

	Unit Configuration										
Beds	Baths	Туре	Units	Vacant	Sq Ft	\$ / Sq Ft	Collected Rent	AMHI			
2	2	G	24	0	1,000	\$0.65	\$650	50%			
2	2	G	12	0	1,000	\$0.65	\$650	60%			
3	2	G	16	0	1,100	\$0.68	\$750	50%			
3	2	G	8	0	1,100	\$0.68	\$750	60%			

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Properties Surveyed — Washington, Georgia	Survey Date: August 2023
919 Silver Lakes Court	49.6 miles to site
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Utility Schedule Provided by: Georgia Department of Community Affairs	

Utility Type & Responsibility: Landlord pays Trash

Unit Amenities: Dishwasher; Disposal; Microwave; Range; Refrigerator; Central AC; Ceiling Fan; Walk-In Closet; Window Treatments; Flooring (Carpet, Composite/Vinyl/Laminate)

Property Amenities: Bike Racks / Storage; Business Center (Computer/Business Center); Community Gardens; Multipurpose Room, Community Kitchen, Clubhouse/Community Room; Pavilion/Gazebo; Elevator; Laundry Room; On-Site Management; Recreation Areas (Fitness Center, Grilling Area, Game Room-Billiards, Media Room / Theater); WiFi

Parking Type: Surface Lot

	Unit Configuration										
Beds	Baths	Туре	Units	Vacant	Sq Ft	\$ / Sq Ft	Collected Rent	AMHI			
1	1	G	6	0	711	\$0.84	\$598	50%			
1	1	G	22	0	711	\$0.85	\$604	60%			
2	1	G	3	0	918	\$0.70	\$640	50%			
2	1	G	13	0	918	\$0.78	\$713	60%			

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					Address: 4105 Sterlington Dri Phone: (706) 956-0711 Property Type: Market Rate Target Population: Family Total Units: 121 Vacant Units: 4 Occupancy: 96.7% Turnover: Waitlist: None Rent Special: None Notes: Rents change weekly	ve, Grovetown, GA 308 Contact: Camron Year Built: 2012 *AR Year: Yr Renovated: Stories: 1,2	13 Ratings Quality: B Neighborhood Access/Visibili	
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Properties Surveyed — Washington, Georgia

Survey Date: August 2023 46.6 miles to site Walden Glen Apts. Address: 336 N. Belair Rd., Evans, GA 30809 Phone: (706) 650-3111 Contact: Katie Property Type: Market Rate Target Population: Family Total Units: 266 Year Built: 2000 **Ratings** Vacant Units: 8 *AR Year: Quality: A Occupancy: 97.0% Neighborhood: A Yr Renovated: 2019 Turnover: Stories: 3 Access/Visibility: B/B Waitlist: None Rent Special: \$150 per month concession (new tenants) Notes:

Features And Utilities

Utility Schedule Provided by: Georgia Department of Community Affairs Utility Type & Responsibility: Landlord pays Water, Sewer, Trash

Unit Amenities: Dishwasher; Disposal; Icemaker; Microwave; Range; Refrigerator; Central AC; Ceiling Fan; W/D Hookup; Walk-In Closet; Window Treatments; Flooring (Carpet, Composite/Vinyl/Laminate)

Property Amenities: Multipurpose Room, Clubhouse/Community Room; Cafe / Coffee Bar; On-Site Management; Dog Park/Pet Care; Recreation Areas (Firepit, Fitness Center, Grilling Area, Outdoor Swimming Pool, Tennis, Volleyball); CCTV, Courtesy Officer; Extra Storage; WiFi

Parking Type: Detached Garage; Surface Lot

					Unit Configurat	tion		
Beds	Baths	Туре	Units	Vacant	Sq Ft	\$ / Sq Ft	Collected Rent	AMHI
1	1	G	27	0	650	\$2.02	\$1,375	Market
1	1	G	2	0	732	\$1.82	\$1,395	Market
1	1	G	33	0	893	\$1.49	\$1,395	Market
2	1	G	40	4	1,034	\$1.34	\$1,455	Market
2	1	G	36	0	1,124	\$1.37	\$1,605	Market
2	2	G	44	4	1,164	\$1.28	\$1,555	Market
2	2	G	38	0	1,254	\$1.19	\$1,555	Market
3	2	G	28	0	1,302	\$1.32	\$1,780	Market
3	2	G	18	0	1,394	\$1.23	\$1,780	Market

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Addendum C - Market Study Representation

The Georgia Department of Community Affairs (GDCA) may rely on the representation made in the market study and that the market study is assignable to other lenders that are parties to the GDCA loan transaction.

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Addendum D - Qualifications

The Company

Bowen National Research employs an expert staff to ensure that each market study is of the utmost quality. Each staff member has hands-on experience evaluating sites and comparable properties, analyzing market characteristics and trends, and providing realistic recommendations and conclusions. The Bowen National Research staff has the expertise to provide the answers for your development.

Company Leadership

Patrick Bowen is the President of Bowen National Research. He has prepared and supervised thousands of market feasibility studies for all types of real estate products, including affordable family and senior housing, multifamily market-rate housing and student housing, since 1996. He has also prepared various studies for submittal as part of HUD 221(d)(3) & (4), HUD 202 developments and applications for housing for Native Americans. He has also conducted studies and provided advice to city, county and state development entities as it relates to residential development, including affordable and market rate housing, for both rental and for-sale housing. Mr. Bowen has worked closely with many state and federal housing agencies to assist them with their market study guidelines. Mr. Bowen has his bachelor's degree in legal administration (with emphasis on business and law) from the University of West Florida.

Desireé Johnson is the Director of Operations for Bowen National Research. Ms. Johnson is responsible for all client relations, the procurement of work contracts, and the overall supervision and day-to-day operations of the company. She has been involved in the real estate market research industry since 2006. Ms. Johnson has an Associate of Applied Science in Office Administration from Columbus State Community College.

Market Analysts

Craig Rupert, Market Analyst, has conducted more than 1,000 market feasibility studies throughout the United States since 2010, within both urban and rural markets as well as on various tribal reservations. Mr. Rupert has prepared market studies for numerous types of housing including market-rate, Tax Credit, and various government-subsidized rental product, for-sale product, senior living (assisted living, nursing care, etc.), as well as market studies for retail/commercial space. Market studies prepared by Mr. Rupert have been used for submittal as part of state finance agency Tax Credit and HUD 221 (d)(4) applications, as well as various other financing applications submitted to local, regional, and national-level lenders/financial institutions. Mr. Rupert has a bachelor's degree in Hospitality Management from Youngstown State University.

Jack Wiseman, Market Analyst, has conducted extensive market research in over 200 markets throughout the United States since 2007. He provides thorough evaluation of site attributes, area competitors, market trends, economic characteristics and a wide range of issues impacting the viability of real estate development. He has evaluated market conditions for a variety of real estate alternatives, including affordable and market-rate apartments, retail and office establishments, student housing, and a variety of senior residential alternatives. Mr. Wiseman has a Bachelor of Arts degree in Economics from Miami University.

Jeff Peters, Market Analyst, has conducted on-site inspection and analysis for rental properties throughout the country since 2014. He is familiar with multiple types of rental housing programs, the day-to-day interaction with property managers and leasing agents and the collection of pertinent property details. Mr. Peters graduated from The Ohio State University with a Bachelor of Arts in Economics.

Christopher T. Bunch, Market Analyst has over ten years of professional experience in real estate, including five years of experience in the real estate market research field. Mr. Bunch is responsible for preparing market feasibility studies for a variety of clients. Mr. Bunch earned a bachelor's degree in Geography with a concentration in Urban and Regional Planning from Ohio University in Athens, Ohio.

Lisa Goff, Market Analyst, has conducted site-specific analyses in both rural and urban markets throughout the country. She is also experienced in the day-to-day operation and financing of Low-Income Housing Tax Credit and subsidized properties, which gives her a unique understanding of the impact of housing development on current market conditions.

Jonathan Kabat, Market Analyst, has surveyed both urban and rural markets throughout the country. He is trained to understand the nuances of various rental housing programs and their construction and is experienced in the collection of rental housing data from leasing agents, property managers, and other housing experts within the market. Mr. Kabat graduated from The Ohio State University with a Bachelor of Art in History and a minor in Geography.

Sidney McCrary, Market Analyst, is experienced in the on-site analysis of residential and commercial properties. He has the ability to analyze a site's location in relation to community services, competitive properties and the ease of access and visibility. Mr. McCrary has a Bachelor of Science in Business Administration from Ohio Dominican University.

Jacob Serio, Market Analyst, has conducted site-specific analyses in both metro and rural areas throughout the country. He is familiar with multiple types of rental housing programs, the day-to-day interaction with property managers and leasing agents and the collection of pertinent property details. Mr. Serio holds a Bachelor of Science in Business Administration from The Ohio State University.

Nathan Stelts, Market Analyst, is experienced in the assessment of housing operating under various programs throughout the country, as well as other development alternatives. He is also experienced in evaluating projects in the development pipeline and economic trends. Mr. Stelts has a Bachelor of Science in Business Administration from Bowling Green State University.

Research Staff

Bowen National Research employs a staff of in-house researchers who are experienced in the surveying and evaluation of all rental and for-sale housing types, as well as in conducting interviews and surveys with city officials, economic development offices, chambers of commerce, housing authorities and residents.

June Davis, Office Manager of Bowen National Research, has been in the market feasibility research industry since 1988. Ms. Davis has overseen production on over 20,000 market studies for projects throughout the United States.

Stephanie Viren is the Research and Travel Coordinator at Bowen National Research. Ms. Viren focuses on collecting detailed data concerning housing conditions in various markets throughout the United States. Ms. Viren has extensive interviewing skills and experience and also possesses the expertise necessary to conduct surveys of diverse pools of respondents regarding population and housing trends, housing marketability, economic development and other socioeconomic issues relative to the housing industry. Ms. Viren's professional specialty is condominium and senior housing research. Ms. Viren earned a Bachelor of Arts in Business Administration from Heidelberg University.

Kelly Wiseman, Research Specialist Director, has significant experience in the evaluation and surveying of housing projects operating under a variety of programs. In addition, she has conducted numerous interviews with experts throughout the country, including economic development, planning, housing authorities and other stakeholders.

Addendum E – Market Analyst Certification Checklist

This market study has been prepared by Bowen National Research, a member in good standing of the National Council of Housing Market Analysts (NCHMA). This study has been prepared in conformance with the standards adopted by NCHMA for the market analysts' industry. These standards include the *Standard Definitions of Key Terms Used in Market Studies for Housing Projects*, and *Model Content Standards for the Content of Market Studies for Housing Projects*. These Standards are designed to enhance the quality of market studies and to make them easier to prepare, understand, and use by market analysts and by the end users. These Standards are voluntary only, and no legal responsibility regarding their use is assumed by the National Council of Housing Market Analysts.

Bowen National Research is duly qualified and experienced in providing market analysis for housing. The company's principals participate in the National Council of Housing Market Analysts (NCHMA) educational and information sharing programs to maintain the highest professional standards and state-of-the-art knowledge. Bowen National Research is an independent market analyst. No principal or employee of Bowen National Research has any financial interest whatsoever in the development for which this analysis has been undertaken.

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Nathan Stelts Market Analyst <u>nathans@bowennational.com</u> Date: August 31, 2023

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Market Study Index

A. INTRODUCTION

Members of the National Council of Housing Market Analysts provide a checklist referencing all components of their market study. This checklist is intended to assist readers on the location content of issues relevant to the evaluation and analysis of market studies.

B. DESCRIPTION AND PROCEDURE FOR COMPLETING

The following components have been addressed in this market study. The section number of each component is noted below. Each component is fully discussed in that section. In cases where the item is not relevant, the author has indicated 'N/A' or not applicable. Where a conflict with or variation from client standards or client requirements exists, the author has indicated a 'VAR' (variation) with a comment explaining the conflict.

C. <u>CHECKLIST</u>

		Section (s)
	Executive Summary	
1.	Executive Summary	В
	Project Description	
2.	Proposed number of bedrooms and baths proposed, income limitations, proposed rents	
	and utility allowances	С
3.	Utilities (and utility sources) included in rent	С
4.	Project design description	С
5.	Unit and project amenities; parking	С
6.	Public programs included	С
7.	Target population description	С
8.	Date of construction/preliminary completion	С
9.	If rehabilitation, existing unit breakdown and rents	С
10.	Reference to review/status of project plans	N/A
	Location and Market Area	
11.	Market area/secondary market area description	Е
12.	Concise description of the site and adjacent parcels	D
13.	Description of site characteristics	D
14.	Site photos/maps	D
15.	Map of community services	D
16.	Visibility and accessibility evaluation	D
17.	Crime Information	D

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		Section (s)
	Employment and Economy	
18.	Employment by industry	G
19.	Historical unemployment rate	G
20.	Area major employers	G
21.	Five-year employment growth	G
22.	Typical wages by occupation	G
23.	Discussion of commuting patterns of area workers	G
	Demographic Characteristics	
24.	Population and household estimates and projections	F
25.	Area building permits	Ι
26.	Distribution of income	F
27.	Households by tenure	F
	Competitive Environment	
28.	Comparable property profiles	Addendum B
29.	Map of comparable properties	Ι
30.	Comparable property photographs	Ι
31.	Existing rental housing evaluation	Ι
32.	Comparable property discussion	Ι
33.	Area vacancy rates, including rates for Tax Credit and government-subsidized	Ι
34.	Comparison of subject property to comparable properties	Ι
35.	Availability of Housing Choice Vouchers	Ι
36.	Identification of waiting lists	Ι
37.	Description of overall rental market including share of market-rate and affordable	Ι
	properties	
38.	List of existing LIHTC properties	Ι
39.	Discussion of future changes in housing stock	Ι
40.	Discussion of availability and cost of other affordable housing options including	Ι
	homeownership	
41.	Tax Credit and other planned or under construction rental communities in market area	Ι
	Analysis/Conclusions	
42.	Calculation and analysis of Capture Rate	Н
43.	Calculation and analysis of Penetration Rate	N/A
44.	Evaluation of proposed rent levels	Ι
45.	Derivation of Achievable Market Rent and Market Advantage	Ι
46.	Derivation of Achievable Restricted Rent	N/A
47.	Precise statement of key conclusions	В
48.	Market strengths and weaknesses impacting project	В
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50.	Discussion of subject property's impact on existing housing	Ι
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Addendum F – Methodologies, Disclaimers & Sources

1. PURPOSE

The purpose of this report is to evaluate the continued market feasibility of the existing Brightwood Lane Apartment rental community in Washington, Georgia following renovations by CAHEC Development, LLC (developer), utilizing financing from the 4% Tax-Exempt Bond program.

This market feasibility analysis complies with the requirements established by the Georgia Department of Community Affairs (GDCA) and conforms to the standards adopted by the National Council of Housing Market Analysts (NCHMA). These standards include the accepted definitions of key terms used in market studies for affordable housing projects, and model content standards for the content of market studies for affordable housing projects. These standards are designed to enhance the quality of market studies and to make them easier to prepare, understand and use by market analysts and end users.

2. <u>METHODOLOGIES</u>

Methodologies used by Bowen National Research include the following:

• The Primary Market Area (PMA) generated for the subject project is identified. The PMA is generally described as the smallest geographic area from which most of the support for the subject project originates. PMAs are not defined by a radius. The use of a radius is an ineffective approach because it does not consider mobility patterns, changes in the socioeconomic or demographic character of neighborhoods or physical landmarks that might impede development.

PMAs are established using a variety of factors, including, but not limited to:

- A detailed demographic and socioeconomic evaluation
- Interviews with area planners, realtors and other individuals who are familiar with area growth patterns
- A drive-time analysis for the site
- Personal observations of the field analyst
- A field survey of modern apartment developments is conducted. The intent of the field survey is twofold. First, the field survey is used to measure the overall strength of the apartment market. This is accomplished by an evaluation of unit mix, vacancies, rent levels and overall quality of product. The second purpose of the field survey is to establish those projects that are most likely directly comparable to the subject property. The information in this survey was collected through a variety of methods, including phone surveys, in-person visits, email and fax. The contact person for each property is listed in *Addendum A: Field Survey of Conventional Rentals*.

- Two types of directly comparable properties are identified through the phone survey. They include other Section 42 LIHTC developments and market-rate developments that offer unit and project amenities similar to those of the subject development. An in-depth evaluation of these two property types provides an indication of the potential of the subject development.
- Economic and demographic characteristics of the area are evaluated. An economic evaluation includes an assessment of area employment composition, income growth (particularly among the target market), building statistics and area growth perceptions. The demographic evaluation uses the most recently issued Census information, as well as projections that determine what the characteristics of the market will be when the subject property renovations are complete and after it achieves a stabilized occupancy.
- Area building statistics and interviews with officials familiar with area development provide identification of the properties that might be planned or proposed for the area that will have an impact on the marketability of the subject development. Planned and proposed projects are always in different stages of development. As a result, it is important to establish the likelihood of construction, the timing of the project and its impact on the market and the subject development.
- An analysis of the subject project's market capture of income-appropriate renter households within the PMA is conducted. This analysis follows GDCA's methodology for calculating potential demand. The resulting capture rates are compared with acceptable market capture rates for similar types of projects to determine whether the subject development's capture rate is achievable.
- Achievable market rent for the subject development is determined. Using a Rent Comparability Grid, the features of the subject development are compared item by item to the most comparable properties in the market. Adjustments are made for each feature that differs from that of the subject development. These adjustments are then included with the collected rent resulting in an achievable market rent for a unit comparable to the subject unit. This analysis is done for each bedroom type offered at the site.

Please note that non-numbered items in this report are not required by GDCA; they have been included, however, based on Bowen National Research's opinion that it is necessary to consider these details to effectively address the continued market feasibility of the subject project.

3. <u>REPORT LIMITATIONS</u>

The intent of this report is to collect and analyze significant levels of data to forecast the market success of the subject property within an agreed to time period. Bowen National Research relies on a variety of sources of data to generate this report. These data sources are not always verifiable; however, Bowen National Research makes a significant effort to assure accuracy. While this is not always possible, we believe our effort provides an acceptable standard margin of error. Bowen National Research is not responsible for errors or omissions in the data provided by other sources.

The reported analyses, opinions and conclusions are limited only by the reported assumptions and limiting conditions, and are our personal, unbiased professional analyses, opinions and conclusions. We have no present or prospective interest in the property that is the subject of this report and we have no personal interest or bias with respect to the parties involved. Our compensation is not contingent on an action or event (such as the approval of a loan) resulting from the analyses, opinions or conclusions in, or the use of, this study.

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4. SOURCES

Bowen National Research uses various sources to gather and confirm data used in each analysis. These sources, which are cited throughout this report, include the following:

- The 2010 and 2020 Census on Housing
- American Community Survey
- ESRI
- Area Chamber of Commerce
- Georgia Department of Community Affairs (GDCA)
- U.S. Department of Labor
- U.S. Department of Commerce
- Management for each property included in the survey
- Local planning and building officials
- Local housing authority representatives

ADDENDUM G:

RENT ROLL

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Low Income Housing Tax Credit (LIHTC) Compliance Monitoring Status Report

for 7/31/2023-7/31/2023

Project	Bin#:	GA9502301	Management Agent
Brightwood Lane	Owner:	Brightwood Lane	Brightwood Lane
344 Andrew Dr.	PISD:	12/13/1995	344 Andrew Dr.
Washington, GA 30673	Set-Aside:	20/50	Washington, GA 30673

Wilkes County

Un	l # of Rental hits in this Building 8	% of Units Designated Low Income at Allocation	% of Rental Units that Qualify as Low Income	% of Ur Qualified Income La	Low	# of Vacant Units Previously Occupied by Qualified Tenants	Occupied	HTC Units d by Eligible mants	Is Rent Determined Unit or Family	by			
Unit #	Bed Rooms	SQFT Tenant Name		Family Size	Move In Date	Move In Income	Recert Date	Rece		Utility Allow	Gross Rent	Move Out Date	Current Set Aside
01	2	0		3	04/26/18	7,651.19	07/01/23	7,224.0	0.00	194.00	157.00		50.00
02	2	0		2	06/08/12	10,400.00	07/01/23	15,160.9	4 129.00	194.00	323.00		50.00
03	2	0		2	02/25/21	12,151.66	03/01/23	13,973.4	2 133.00	194.00	327.00		50.00
0 4	2	0		3	12/30/22	22,880.00	06/01/23	19,272.0	0 107.00	194.00	301.00		50.00
05	2	0		2	02/02/23	19,140.94		0.0	486.00	194.00	680.00		50.00
06	2	0		6	05/31/22	24,492.00	07/01/23	23,028.0	0 257.00	194.00	451.00		50.00
07	2	0		1	06/01/01	0.00	01/01/23	11,086.2	2 73.00	194.00	267.00		50.00
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Project	Bin#:	GA9502302	Management Agent
Brightwood Lane	Owner:	Brightwood Lane	Brightwood Lane
344 Andrew Dr.	PISD:	12/13/1995	344 Andrew Dr.
Washington, GA 30673	Set-Aside:	20/50	Washington, GA 30673
Wilkes County			

Unit	# of Rental is in this uilding 8	% of Units Designated Low Income at Allocation	% of Rental Units that Qualify as Low Income	% of Un Qualified Income La	Low	# of Vacant Units Previously Occupied by Qualified Tenants	Occupied	HTC Units I by Eligible nants	Is Rent Determined Unit or Family	l by			
Unit #	Bed Rooms	SQFT Tenant Name		Family Size	Move In Date	Move In Income	Recert Date	Rece		Utility Allow	Gross Rent	Move Out Date	Current Set Aside
09	2	2		4	11/30/17	15,718.82	06/01/23	9,600.0	0 10.00	194.00	204.00		50.00
10	3	0		4	09/27/19	14,784.12	01/01/23	21,848.2	6 279.00	225.00	504.00		50.00
11	3	3		3	07/26/23	12,233.68	07/01/23	12,233.6	8 88.00	194.00	282.00		50.00
12	2	0		3	04/28/20	5,336.68	06/01/23	6,976.3	7 0.00	194.00	152.00		50.00
13	2	0		4	03/25/14	15,664.00	02/01/23	12,164.1	9 74.00	194.00	268.00		50.00
14	3	0		4	05/31/17	11,682.65	03/01/23	11,693.5	9 0.00	225.00	207.00		50.00
15	3	0		3	10/01/05	6,695.00	06/01/23	29,030.8	6 501.00	225.00	726.00		50.00
16	2	0		2	07/03/23	11,575.20		0.0	0 486.00	194.00	680.00		50.00

Project	Bin#:	GA9502303	Management Agent
Brightwood Lane	Owner:	Brightwood Lane	Brightwood Lane
344 Andrew Dr.	PISD:	12/13/1995	344 Andrew Dr.
Washington, GA 30673	Set-Aside:	20/50	Washington, GA 30673
Wilkes County			

Total # of Rental Units in this Building	% of Units Designated Low Income at Allocation	% of Rental Units that Qualify as Low Income	% of Units Qualified Low Income Last Year	# of Vacant Units Previously Occupied by Qualified Tenants	# of LIHTC Units Occupied by Eligible Tenants	Is Rent Determined by Unit or Family Size
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Unit #	Bed Rooms	SQFT Tenant Name	Family Size	Move In Date	Move In Income	Recert Date	Recert Income	Tenant Rent	Utility Allow	Gross Rent	Move Out Date	Current Set Aside
17	2	0	3	08/30/21	8,658.00	01/01/23	20,282.60	114.00	194.00	308.00		50.00
18	2	0	2	01/31/19	15,706.80	02/01/23	21,665.60	251.00	194.00	445.00		50.00
19	2	0	2	11/30/20	11,730.16	01/01/23	13,426.04	120.00	194.00	314.00		50.00
20	2	0	2	09/11/21	9,528.00	01/01/23	10,092.00	48.00	194.00	242.00		50.00
21	2	0	2	02/17/23	16,650.86		0.00	486.00	194.00	680.00		50.00
22	2	0	2	12/15/17	12,148.06	01/01/23	17,177.45	363.00	194.00	557.00		50.00
23	2	0	1	01/16/09	7,020.00	01/01/23	8,220.00	12.00	194.00	206.00		50.00
24	2	0	1	09/08/17	7,368.69	01/01/23	8,400.00	16.00	194.00	210.00		50.00

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I	Project	Bin#:	GA9502304	Management Agent
E	Brightwood Lane	Owner:	Brightwood Lane	Brightwood Lane
3	344 Andrew Dr.	PISD:	12/13/1995	344 Andrew Dr.
۱	Washington, GA 30673	Set-Aside:	20/50	Washington, GA 30673
۱	Wilkes County			

Uni	# of Rental ts in this uilding 8	% of Units Designated Low Income at Allocation	% of Rental Units that Qualify as Low Income	% of Ur Qualified Income La	Low	# of Vacant Units Previously Occupied by Qualified Tenants	Occupied	HTC Units 1 by Eligible nants	Is Rent Determined Unit or Family			
Unit #	Bed Rooms	SQFT Tenant Name		Family Size	Move In Date	Move In Income	Recert Date	Recert Income		Utility Allow	Gross Move Out Rent Date	Current Set Aside
25	2	0		1	12/30/21	14,196.12	01/01/23	14,571.45	486.00	194.00	680.00	50.00
26	1	0		1	03/03/23	12,807.39		0.00	119.00	151.00	270.00	50.00
27	1	0		1	04/11/03	0.00	06/01/23	12,145.17	102.00	151.00	253.00	50.00
28	1	0		1	03/31/20	9,396.00	04/01/23	10,968.02	113.00	151.00	264.00	50.00
29	1	0		1	03/22/21	14,736.00	04/01/23	16,968.00	263.00	151.00	414.00	50.00
30	1	0		1	11/09/12	8,750.84	02/01/23	11,211.28	119.00	151.00	270.00	50.00
31	1	0		1	07/31/21	10,155.60	01/01/23	10,754.40	108.00	151.00	259.00 07/31/23	50.00
32	1	0		1	07/30/15	5,894.40	05/01/23	11,209.47	119.00	151.00	270.00	50.00

Project	Bin#:	GA9502305	Management Agent
Brightwood Lane	Owner:	Brightwood Lane	Brightwood Lane
344 Andrew Dr.	PISD:	12/13/1995	344 Andrew Dr.
Washington, GA 30673	Set-Aside:	20/50	Washington, GA 30673
Wilkes County			

	of Units Designated	% of Rental Units	% of Units	# of Vacant Units	# of LIHTC Units	Is Rent
	Low Income at	that Qualify as	Qualified Low	Previously Occupied	Occupied by Eligible	Determined by
	Allocation	Low Income	Income Last Year	by Qualified Tenants	Tenants	Unit or Family Size
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Unit #	Bed Rooms	SQFT Tenant Name	Family Size	Move In Date	Move In Income	Recert Date	Recert Income	Tenant Rent	Utility Allow	Gross Rent	Move Out Date	Current Set Aside
33	1	0	1	11/01/96	0.00	03/01/23	10,968.00	113.00	151.00	264.00		50.00
34	1	0	1	10/02/15	8,796.00	01/01/23	10,823.67	110.00	151.00	261.00		50.00
35	1	0	1	12/05/18	9,409.44	01/01/23	10,275.42	96.00	151.00	247.00		50.00
36	1	0	1	12/30/22	10,969.92		0.00	374.00	160.00	534.00		50.00
37	1	0	1	09/22/16	10,866.00	01/01/23	12,452.40	150.00	151.00	301.00		50.00
38	1	0	1	12/20/17	9,457.20	02/01/23	11,508.00	127.00	151.00	278.00		50.00
39	1	0	1	08/31/15	7,244.45	01/01/23	10,339.44	97.00	151.00	248.00		50.00
40	2	0	1	08/01/07	16,904.00	05/01/23	22,953.12	296.00	194.00	490.00		50.00