BILL/ RESOLUTION REQUEST

- **1. Title:** Approves a \$600,000 HOME funds loan for construction costs related to University Station Apartments to be located at 1881 East Buchtel Blvd. in Council District 7.
- 2. Requesting Agency: Office of Economic Development

3. Contact Person with actual knowledge of proposed ordinance

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4. Contact Person with actual knowledge of proposed ordinance who will present the item at Mayor Council and who will be available for first and second reading, if necessary

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5. Describe the proposed ordinance, including what the proposed ordinance is intended to accomplish, who's involved

a. Scope of Work

This request is for approval of a \$600,000 loan using HOME funds. The funds will be used for new construction of a 6-story building at East Buchtel and High Streets to house seniors. The project will consist of 60 apartment units with approximately 20 under-ground parking spaces and community center on the first floor. The location of this development will be at the University Light Rail Station allowing very-low income residents access to amenities and services throughout the metro area.

b. Duration

40 years

c. Location

1881 East Buchtel Blvd

d. Affected Council District

e. Benefits

affordable rental housing for seniors at a light-rail station

f. Costs \$600,000

6. Is there any controversy surrounding this ordinance, groups or individuals who may have concerns about it? Please explain. No.

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