# Clara Brown Commons

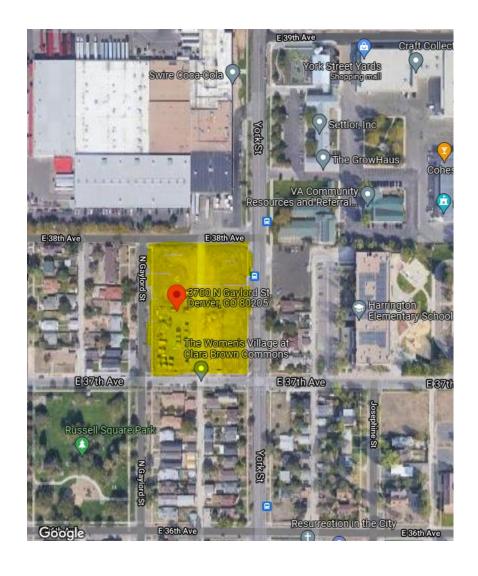
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### Clara Brown Commons Redevelopment

- Mile High Ministries project
- Full city block, bordered by 37<sup>th</sup> Ave., 38<sup>th</sup> Ave., York St., Gaylord St. (Cole neighborhood)
- Phase one: 61 income-restricted rental units
- Phase two: 17 income-restricted townhomes, nonprofit business center (not included for this performance loan)
- Proximity to mass transit
- Adjacent to Russell Square Park





### Mile High Ministries – Clara Brown Commons #22-0228

Loan Term	March 2022 - March 2082
Funding Source	HOME
60-year Performance Loan Amount	\$1,825,000

- Performance loan (grant) to develop 61 income-restricted units
- Nearly 1/3 of units are deeply affordable
  serving households earning up to 30%
  of the Area Median Income (AMI)
- City covenant on the land for 60 years
- Project is utilizing 4% and State tax credits, State gap financing, fundraising
- Project to include on-site resident services (adult education, job services)







### **UNIT MIX**

Unit Type	20% AMI	30% AMI	50% AMI	60% AMI	80% AMI	Total Units	% of Total
1BR	1	4	3	3	3	14	23.0%
2BR	1	7	7	8	5	28	45.9%
3BR	1	5	6	5	2	19	31.0%
Total	3	16	16	16	10	61	100%
% of Total	4.9%	26.2%	26.2%	26.2%	16.4%	100%	

Context: 60% AMI for a single-person household is \$44,016, two-person household is \$50,304 as of mid-2021



#### PROJECT DETAILS

- In addition to City funds, the borrower will leverage: State and 4% Low Income Housing Tax Credits (LIHTC), State Division of Housing (DOH) grant, deferred developer fee, and private fundraising
- Developer is also deferring 41% of developer fee as equity source
- Overall \$26.6 million project, \$435,781 per unit

Sources		Amount	%
First Mortgage	\$	6,400,000	24.1%
DOH – Housing Trust Funds	\$	1,500,000	5.6%
HOST/Denver - HOME Funds	\$	1,825,000	6.9%
4% LIHTC Equity	\$	11,005,654	41.4%
State AHTC Equity	\$	2,592,060	9.8%
Deferred Developer Fee	\$	905,000	3.4%
MHM Capital Campaign	\$	2,200,000	8.3%
MHM Equity	\$	154,933	0.6%
Total	\$26,582,647		100.0%



## **Action Requested Today**

## Approval of the following Resolution:

1. Approval of #22-0228: Mile High Ministries – Clara Brown Commons \$1,825,000 performance loan, supporting development of 61 income-restricted apartments

