



## Non-LIHTC Forwards

### Creating Affordable and Workforce Housing

Freddie Mac's Non-LIHTC Forwards financing helps create affordable housing stock — and offers flexible transaction structuring and certainty of execution at lower costs to the Borrower.

Borrowers get the financing they need for affordable multifamily properties funded by public or mission-driven financial investment — whether it's for new construction or major rehabilitation.

#### The Freddie Mac Difference

When it comes to multifamily finance, Freddie Mac gets it done. We work closely with our Optigo<sup>SM</sup> network of Seller/Service providers to tackle complicated transactions, provide certainty of execution and fund quickly.

Contact your Freddie Mac Multifamily representative today — we're here to help.

#### Borrowers Who Want to Know More

Contact one of our Optigo Seller/Service providers at [mf.freddie.com/borrowers/](https://mf.freddie.com/borrowers/)

#### PRODUCT SNAPSHOT

- Hedge interest rate risk
- Get competitive pricing for a unique execution
- Use multiple types of subsidies
- Lend on properties geared toward Workforce Housing, so broader income bands than LIHTC
- For nonprofits or for-profits
- Up to 80% leverage for eligible properties

<p><b>Product Description</b></p>	<p>Unfunded forward commitments for affordable housing developed by nonprofits and subsidized, rent-restricted affordable housing developed by for-profit developers for new multifamily construction or substantial rehabilitation.</p>
<p><b>Eligible Property Types</b></p>	<p>To-be-built or substantially rehabilitated garden, mid-rise, or high-rise multifamily property with public or mission-driven financial investment</p>
<p><b>Financial Investment and Affordability Requirements</b></p>	<p><b>For-Profit Borrowers</b></p> <p><b>Public/Mission-Driven Financial Investment</b> must be quantified as at least 10% of the first mortgage UPB. The subsidy must be for the minimum term of the mortgage.</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>▪ Sources of Public/Mission-Driven Financial Investment includes:             <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>▪ Subordinate debt from a government affiliated lender – soft or hard debt</li> <li>▪ Real estate tax abatements or PILOT (payment in lieu of taxes) programs</li> <li>▪ Low payment long-term ground lease agreements</li> <li>▪ The PV (present value) of the real estate tax abatement or PILOT or ground lease payment calculation terms include a PV rate equal to the fixed-rate mortgage coupon plus 100 bps</li> <li>▪ Mission-driven nonprofit entity(ies) providing equity</li> </ul> </li> </ul> <p><b>Rent or income restrictions</b> must meet the following requirements:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>▪ 10% of the units at the property must have rent restrictions that meet FHFA rules for uncapped volume.</li> <li>▪ 80% of the units at the property must have rents at or below the following thresholds based on FHFA market designations:             <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>○ Standard Markets – at or below 100% of AMI</li> <li>○ High-Cost Markets – at or below 125% of AMI</li> <li>○ Very High-Cost or Extremely High-Cost Markets 150% of AMI</li> </ul> </li> <li>▪ 10% of the units at the property may be at market rents based on the subject location.</li> </ul> <p>However, if 50% of the units at the property have rent restrictions that meet FHFA rules for uncapped volume, then the above rent/income restrictions are not applicable. In this event the subsidy requirements remain in place.</p>

<p><b>Financial Investment and Affordability Requirements (Continued)</b></p>	<p><b>Nonprofit Borrowers</b></p> <p>The sponsor must be a 501(c)(3) whose primary purpose and tax-exempt status depends on the public purpose of providing affordable housing.</p> <p>All units at the property owned by a nonprofit must be intended for tenants at workforce or affordable levels based on the market designations as defined by FHFA for that county.</p> <p>The general partner or managing member of the Borrower must be a nonprofit. Being the co-general partner for the purposes of qualifying for the CA real estate tax abatement is not sufficient.</p> <p><i>The general partner or managing member of the Borrower must be a nonprofit. Being the co-general partner for the purposes of qualifying for the CA real estate tax abatement is not sufficient.</i></p>
<p><b>Terms</b></p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>▪ Fixed Rate – Up to 30 years</li> <li>▪ Floating Rate – Up to 10 years</li> </ul>
<p><b>Type of Funding</b></p>	<p>Forward commitment to provide permanent financing upon successful conversion from construction phase to permanent phase (unfunded forward)</p>
<p><b>Minimum Debt Coverage Ratio (DCR)</b></p>	<p>1.25x</p>
<p><b>Maximum Loan-to-Value (LTV) Ratio</b></p>	<p>80%</p>
<p><b>Construction Loan Term</b></p>	<p>36 months maximum</p>
<p><b>Maximum Amortization</b></p>	<p>30 years</p>
<p><b>Prepayment Provisions</b></p>	<p>Fee maintenance</p>
<p><b>Subordinate Financing</b></p>	<p>Permitted</p>
<p><b>Tax and Insurance Escrows</b></p>	<p>Required</p>
<p><b>Fees</b></p>	<p>Application Fee, Commitment Fee, Credit Facility Fee, Delivery Assurance Fee, other fees, as applicable</p>

