

2022-2023 DRAFT 4% QAP OVERVIEW OF CHANGES

Part A: Requirements for 4% Tax Credits

Section 1 – Introduction

- **1.4.8** Removes the requirement that ownership entity shall request final allocation of tax credits in the year in which they Place-in-Service.
- 1.7 Removes the IRS Form 8609 extension fee and adds the LURA amendment fee.

Section 2 - Underwriting

- **2.2.2** Lowers the replacement reserves for Family Projects from \$400 to \$350.
- **2.7.2** Adds an 15% increase in eligible basis available for Projects in a QCT with a Concerted Community Revitalization Plan.
- 2.8.3 Clarifies that the average income test is not available for Scattered Sites Projects.

Section 3 - Threshold Requirements - All Developers/Ownership Entities

- 3.2 Clarifies language.
- **3.2.2** Removes the requirement that New or Returning Developers shall attend mandatory developer training. Clarifies language.
- 3.4 Clarifies that Scattered site Projects cannot elect the average income test.
- 3.5 Clarifies language.
- 3.7 Clarifies that Preliminary Costs and Scope or Work are required for Acq Rehab/Rehab Projects and not all Projects. Clarifies language.

Section 4 - Post Reservation Requirements

- 4.5 Clarifies language.
- **4.8** Removes the requirement that Project owners and management companies shall attend 8 hours of compliance training. Clarifies that a current certificate of Mental Health First Aid training is required at the time the IRS Form 8609 application is due not a certificate issued within 12 months of this application submission. Clarifies language.

Part C - Threshold Requirements for Building, Construction, Site and Rehabilitation

Introduction – Reduces the percentage of accessible units required to meet threshold from 10% to 5%. Clarifies accessible unit language.

- A <u>Site Control</u> Clarifies parking site control language.
- G 1.5 Trash Enclosures adds that trash removal areas must be enclosed as a threshold requirement.
- **G 2.1** Accessible Units Reduces the percentage of accessible units required to meet threshold from 10% to 5%. Clarifies accessible unit language.
- **G 3.1** Heating and Cooling Adds that AC sleeves shall be provided for thru wall units. Clarifies language.
- **G 3.2.1** Energy Efficiency-New Construction Adds additional options for energy efficiency requirements.
- **G 4 .4** Exterior Construction Units Doors Clarifies requirements.
- **G 4.1** Siding Changed section title.
- **G 5.1** Interior Construction Units Doors Clarifies requirements.
- **G 5.9** Smoke Detectors Adds smoke detectors threshold requirements.
- **G 5.10** Minimum Bathroom Accessories Adds a list of minimum bathroom accessories.
- **G 6.3** Resilient Flooring Bathroom Clarifies language.
- J Capital Needs Assessment Clarifies language.

Part D - Glossary of Terms

Amends and adds glossary terms.