

RESOLUTION NO. 41657

A RESOLUTION relating to the multi-family property tax exemption program; authorizing the execution of a Multi-Family Housing 12-Year Limited Property Tax Exemption Agreement with 2502 South Yakima LLC, for the development of 16 multi-family market-rate and affordable rental housing units to be located at 2502 Yakima Avenue in the Downtown Regional Growth Center.

WHEREAS the City has, pursuant to chapter 84.14 of the Revised Code of Washington, designated several Residential Target Areas for the allowance of a limited property tax exemption for new multi-family residential housing, and

WHEREAS the City has, through Ordinance No. 25789, enacted a program whereby property owners in Residential Target Areas may qualify for a Final Certificate of Tax Exemption which certifies to the Pierce County

Assessor-Treasurer that the owner is eligible to receive a limited property tax exemption, and

WHEREAS 2502 South Yakima LLC, is proposing to develop 16 new market-rate and affordable rental housing units to consist of:

Number of Units	Type of Unit	Average Size
Market Rate		
12	One bedroom, one bath	450 Square Feet
Affordable Rate		
4	One bedroom, one bath	450 Square Feet

WHEREAS the affordable units will be rented to households whose income is at or below 70 percent of Pierce County Area Median Income, adjusted for household size, as determined by the Department of Housing and Urban Development on an annual basis, and rent will be capped at 30 percent of those income levels, adjusted annually, and



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WHEREAS the project will also include two on-site residential parking stalls, and

WHEREAS the Director of Community and Economic Development has reviewed the proposed property tax exemption and recommends that a conditional property tax exemption be awarded for the property located at 2502 Yakima Avenue in the Downtown Regional Growth Center, as more particularly described in the attached Exhibit "A"; Now, Therefore,

BE IT RESOLVED BY THE COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF TACOMA:

Section 1. That the City Council does hereby approve and authorize a conditional property tax exemption, for a period of 12 years, to 2502 South Yakima LLC, for the property located at 2502 Yakima Avenue in the Downtown Regional Growth Center, as more particularly described in the attached Exhibit "A."



Section 2. That the proper officers of the City are authorized to execute a Multi-Family Housing 12-Year Limited Property Tax Exemption Agreement with 2502 South Yakima LLC, said document to be substantially in the form of the proposed agreement on file in the office of the City Clerk. Adopted _____ Mayor Attest: City Clerk Approved as to form: Legal description approved: Deputy City Attorney Chief Surveyor Public Works Department



EXHIBIT "A"

PROJECT DESCRIPTION

Address: 2502 Yakima Avenue

Tax Parcel: 2025160010

Number of Units	Type of Unit	Average Size	Expected Rental Rate
Market Rate			
12	One bedroom, one bath	450 Square Feet	\$1,600
Affordable Rate			
4	One bedroom, one bath	450 Square Feet	\$1,425 (including utility allowance)

The affordable units will be rented to households whose income is at or below 70 percent of Pierce County Area Median Income, adjusted for household size, as determined by the Department of Housing and Urban Development on an annual basis. Rent will be capped at 30 percent of those income levels, adjusted annually.

LEGAL DESCRIPTION

Legal Description:

LOTS 1 AND 2, BLOCK 2516, REED'S ADDITION TO NEW TACOMA, W.T., ACCORDING TO THE PLAT THEREOF RECORDED IN VOLUME 1 OF PLATS, PAGES 58, IN PIERCE COUNTY, WASHINGTON:

AND THE NORTHELY 15 FEET OF LOT 3, BLOCK 2516, MAP OF P.H. LEWIS' ADDITION TO THE CITY OF TACOMA, ACCORDING TO THE PLAT THEREOF RECORDED IN VOLUME 1 OF PLATS, PAGES 38, IN PIERCE COUNTY, WASHINGTON;

TOGETHER WITH THE EASTERLY 10 FEET OF ALLEY ADJOINING SAID NORTHERLY 15 FEET OF LOT 3, AS VACATED BY ORDINANCE 19188 OF THE CITY OF TACOMA, RECORDED UNDER RECORDING NUMBER NO. 2360532.

SITUATE IN THE CITY OF TACOMA, COUNTY OF PIERCE, STATE OF WASHINGTON.