

# Multifamily Selling and Servicing Guide

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#### **711.02B** Generally

#### ✓ Requirements

#### You must ensure:

- All FHA Risk Sharing Mortgage Loans are fixed rate with no interest-only period.
- The minimum Mortgage Loan term is 15 years.
- The Property has an affordability restriction where
  - at least 20% of the units are rent-restricted and occupied by families with incomes no more than 50% of AMI as adjusted for family size, or
  - at least 40% (25% in New York City) of the units are rent-restricted and occupied by families with incomes no more than 60% of AMI as adjusted for family size.
- The residential unit's gross rent is restricted to no more than 30% of the unit's Imputed Income Limitation per Section 42 of the Internal Revenue Code.
- Rent, income, and/or occupancy restrictions are in effect for at least the term of the Mortgage Loan. For MAH Properties with remaining affordability restrictions of less than 18 years, the affordability restrictions will be considered senior to the Lien of the Mortgage Loan when enforcing restrictions.

## Guidance

#### The Property is not located in:

- a 500-year floodplain and likely occupied by tenants who may not be sufficiently mobile to avoid injury or death during floods or storms;
- a Federal Emergency Management Agency-mapped Special Flood Hazard Area 100-year floodplain (except where no buildings or Improvements other than minor grubbing) will be in the floodplain and the floodplain area will be permanently dedicated to non-development;
- the Coastal Barrier Resources System per the Coastal Barrier Resources Act, 16.U.S.C.3501; and
- a Runway Clear Zone (at a civil airport) or Clear Zone (at a military airfield) if the Property is newly constructed or substantially rehabilitated.

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# **Glossary**

## F

FHA Risk Sharing

MAH Mortgage Loan with mortgage insurance from FHA.

I

**Improvements** 

Buildings, structures, improvements, and alterations, including the multifamily housing dwellings, now or hereafter constructed or placed on the Property, including all fixtures (as defined in the UCC).

#### **Synonyms**

• Improvements'

L

Lien

Lien, mortgage, bond interest, pledge, security interest, charge, or encumbrance of any kind.

## **Synonyms**

Liens

M

Mortgage Loan

Mortgage debt obligation evidenced, or when made will be evidenced, by

- the Loan Documents, or
- a mortgage debt obligation with a Fannie Mae credit enhancement.

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#### **Synonyms**

- Mortgage Loans
- Mortgage Loan's

P



## **Property**

Multifamily residential real estate securing the Mortgage Loan, including the

- fee simple or Leasehold interest,
- · Improvements, and
- personal property (per the Uniform Commercial Code).

## **Synonyms**

- Properties
- Property's



#### Special Flood Hazard Area

Special Flood Hazard Area designated by FEMA.

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#### **Synonyms**

- SFHA
- SFHAs
- SFHA Zone