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Summary of Changes

HIGHLIGHTS

Effective for Mortgage Loans Committed as of April 3, 2023, underwriting information was updated in:

- Part II, Chapter 1: Attributes and Characteristics;
- Part II, Chapter 2: Valuation and Income; and
- multiple Part III chapters.

Primary Changes

Updated multiple Guide chapters and glossary terms regarding:

- single-family structures;
- when more than 1 Property secures a Mortgage Loan, guidance for
 - determining whether the multiple Properties should be considered part of a single Project,
 - entering data in C&D and DUS Gateway if the Properties are not a single Project, and
 - Appraised Value requirements for a Property consisting of more than 1 Project;
- commercial
 - space,
 - leases, and
 - income;
- real estate taxes;
- actual acquisition costs;
- cash out analysis; and
- refinance risk analysis.

Superseded Publication

This publication supersedes Notification 22-14: Data Entry Requirements for Properties Consisting of Non-Contiguous Parcels.



Questions

Please contact the Fannie Mae Deal Team with any questions.



Chapter 1 Attributes and Characteristics

Section 101 Eligible Properties

101.01 Generally

Requirements

For a [Mortgage Loan](#) to be eligible for purchase, it must be secured by a multifamily residential property that meets all of the following:

- contains at least 5 dwelling units;
- does not include a stand-alone building containing less than 5 dwelling units (e.g., a single-family structure), unless it:
 - was originally constructed as part of a single multifamily development; or
 - is situated on the same tax parcel, or shares a tax parcel boundary, with a
 - multifamily property, or
 - MH Community;
- has suitable bathroom and cooking facilities ~~located~~ within each unit;
- is located in 1 of the 50 states of the United States, the District of Columbia, Puerto Rico, the U.S. Virgin Islands, or Guam;
- is located on a publicly dedicated, all-weather road, or is accessible by a satisfactory easement from this type of road;
- consists of either a single parcel or multiple parcels per [Part II, Chapter 1: Attributes and Characteristics, Section 102.01: Single Borrower Ownership](#);
- ~~any commercial space is physically part of, and connected to, the multifamily space, or a stand-alone building that is on the same tax parcel;~~
 - physically part of, and connected to, the multifamily space; or
 - a stand-alone building that is on the same tax parcel;
- has adequate water and sewer service, which may be delivered by a public utility or, where commercially acceptable for the market area, by a private system or utility;



- offers a suitable level of utility service (e.g., electrical, natural gas, refuse removal, etc.) for the market area;
- either complies with all applicable statutes, rules, regulations, and housing and building codes, or is being appropriately remediated;
- does not contain any **Modular Housing**; and
- has access to police and emergency services.

➔ **Guidance**

To determine if a single-family structure was originally constructed as part of a single multifamily development, you should consider if all buildings:

- were originally constructed at the same time;
- were historically bought, operated, and sold as 1 Project since originally constructed;
- are generally consistent in physical appearance, with distinct boundaries such as
 - signage,
 - gates/fencing,
 - shared parking, or
 - dedicated streets;
- are located on a single tax parcel or adjacent tax parcels;
- are configured without any non-Borrower owned parcels or buildings separating/splitting or within the multifamily development; and
- are not part of a predominately homeowner development.

101.02 Expanded Housing Choice

➔ **Guidance**

A Mortgage Loan is eligible for a pricing incentive if the Borrower and Property comply with this Section.

Requirements

~~To be eligible for the~~For Expanded Housing Choice pricing incentive



eligibility, all of the following must be met:

- The Borrower agrees to:
 - ~~agrees to accept~~ Housing Choice Vouchers at the Property Housing Choice Vouchers throughout the Mortgage Loan term;
 - ~~agrees not to~~ discriminate against applicants, tenants, their family members, and occupants for using Housing Choice Vouchers to pay rent and other lawful fees, including
 - applying stricter screening standards,
 - charging larger security deposits, rent, or fees, or
 - subjecting them to additional community rules;
 - ~~agrees to~~ advertise the Property and/or available units
 - with participating Public Housing Agencies, and
 - on <https://www.affordablehousing.com> (or successor site); and
 - ~~executes~~ execute a
 - Modification to Multifamily Loan and Security Agreement (Expanded Housing Choice) (Form 6273), and
 - Payment Guaranty (Pricing Incentive Recapture) (Form 6020.PIR).
- The Property:
 - is located in
 - Texas, or
 - North Carolina;
 - is not already required to accept Housing Choice Vouchers as a financing condition, such as per
 - an Affordable Regulatory Agreement,
 - Sponsor-Initiated Affordability Agreement, or
 - LIHTC agreement; and
 - on the Mortgage Loan Origination Date, has at least 20% of its units within the applicable HUD Fair Market Rent or Small Area Fair Market Rent, as adjusted per the applicable Public Housing Agency payment standard, with the qualifying unit mix being in



proportion to the [Property's](#) overall unit mix.

Operating Procedures

Use the [Housing Choice Vouchers: Expanded Housing Choice \(EHC\) Job Aid](#) to commit and [Deliver a Mortgage Loan](#) qualifying for an Expanded Housing Choice pricing incentive.

Guidance

For an acceptable unit mix within the applicable [HUD Fair Market Rent](#) or [Small Area Fair Market Rent](#), the qualifying units must be proportional to the [Property's](#) overall unit mix. An acceptable unit mix at a sample 100-unit building would be:

Sample 100-Unit Building		
Apartment Type	Number of Units	Minimum 20% Unit Mix
Studio	10	2
1 Bedroom	50	10
2 Bedroom	30	6
3 Bedroom	10	2
Total	100	20

Section 102 Multiple Properties

102.01 Single Borrower Ownership

Requirements

If more than 1 [Property](#) secures a [Mortgage Loan](#), you must determine if all multifamily buildings are part of the same Project. Buildings on multiple [Properties](#) are a single Project if all [Properties](#):

- are only separated by publicly dedicated or private streets primarily intended for local residents or access to the [Property](#), and not by major arteries or thoroughfares (i.e., streets primarily intended for traffic traveling through the area); and
- have the following characteristics:



- all buildings have been operated as a single complex (e.g., no buildings are marketed separately to tenants);
- the Properties are within
 - 0.5 miles or less of each other, and
 - the same submarket;
- amenities at any building are available to tenants in other buildings;
- amenities located in one building do not materially, adversely affect the rents at other buildings without similar amenities; and
- the overall building configuration across the Properties does not result in elevated vacancy levels at any building.

If multiple Properties are not part of the same Project, you must:

- collect detailed individual data for each Property, including separate
 - rent rolls, and
 - operating statements;
- enter each Property in the “Properties” section of DUS Gateway;
- complete a Multifamily Affordability Estimator (MAE) for each Property per Part I, Chapter 2: Mortgage Loan, Section 201: Registration and Multifamily Affordability Estimator;
- require every third-party report to assess
 - the Properties in each Project separately, and
 - all Properties in the aggregate; and
- enter each Property as a separate Property Collateral record in C&D.

When a Mortgage Loan not in a Credit Facility is secured by multiple Properties, (whether in the multifamily units on same or multiple Projects), each multifamily Property must individually:

- comply with the minimum occupancy requirements in
 - Part II, Chapter 1: Attributes and Characteristics, Section 105: Minimum Occupancy, or



- Part III, Chapter 9: Small Mortgage Loans, Section 903: Occupancy;
- be located in the same MSA; and
- have an acceptable Property condition based on your site inspection and any PCA:
 - your site inspection, and
 - any required PCA .

➔ Guidance

When For a Property Mortgage Loan consists secured by multiple Properties not part of non-contiguous multiple parcels and operates as a single project the same Project, you should also consider whether the Property may:

- if separated by a major thoroughfare primarily intended for traffic traveling through the area (rather than a street primarily intended to provide access to the Property), can be managed effectively by the Borrower;
- has amenities located on any parcel that are available to all Property tenants;
- has reciprocal agreements and easements in place; and
- is adversely affected by material differences in rent among the parcels.
- accept a consolidated third-party report for multiple Projects, if each Property is identified and assessed separately; and
- consolidate the Underwritten NCF and overall underwriting in a single Transaction Approval Memo.

102.02 Joint and Several Borrower Ownership

Requirements

If..	Then..
If..	Then..



<p>A Mortgage Loan</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none">• is made to joint and several Borrowers,• is secured by multiple Properties, and• has a Property owned by a different Borrower.	<p>The Mortgage Loan and each Borrower must comply with</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none">• Part I, Chapter 3: Borrower, Guarantor, Key Principals, and Principals, Section 302.01: Single-Asset Entity,• Part I, Chapter 3: Borrower, Guarantor, Key Principals, and Principals, Section 302.03: Joint and Several Borrowers with Multiple Properties, and• Part II, Chapter 1: Attributes and Characteristics, Section 102.01: Single Borrower Ownership.
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Section 103 Property Ownership; Leasehold

Requirements

You must ensure that the Property is owned in fee simple, unless the Property is held under an acceptable Leasehold estate.

Section 104 Ground Leased Properties

104.01 Generally

Requirements

If the Property has a Ground Lease, the Mortgage Loan collateral must include a Lien on the Leasehold estate.

You must ensure that the Ground Lease complies with the Ground Lease Review Checklist (Form 6479), unless

- the ground lessor joins with the Borrower in executing the Security Instrument and grants a Lien on the ground lessor's fee estate, or
- the absence of the Leasehold estate would not have a material adverse effect on the Property's operation or value of the Property.

104.02 Ground Lease Rents

Requirements

You must establish an escrow for ground rents and ensure that the



~~Borrower deposits sufficient funds for you to make all payments due under the Ground Lease.:~~

- ~~establish an escrow for ground rents;~~
- ~~ensure the Borrower deposits sufficient funds; and~~
- ~~make all payments due per the Ground Lease.~~

104.03 Ground Lease Estoppel Certificate

Requirements

You must obtain an executed Ground Lessor Estoppel Certificate (Form 6495).

104.04 Ground Lease Review

Requirements

You must:

- review and analyze the Ground Lease to ensure compliance with the requirements of this Section; and
- retain the completed Form 6479 in your Servicing File.

Section 105 Minimum Occupancy

105.01 Residential Occupancy

Requirements

You must ensure ~~that the Property meets the following~~ these minimum occupancy levels:

- 85% physical occupancy; and
- 70% economic occupancy.

These minimum levels apply ~~at the time of on~~ the Commitment Commitment Date and for the preceding 3-month period.

105.02 Qualified Occupants



Requirements

When calculating physical occupancy, you must only include tenants who

- physically occupy the unit, and
- have commenced paying rent.

Guidance

You may include any tenant who:

- was under a standard lease for at least 6 months, then converted to a month-to-month lease when the lease expired; or
- is under a lease with a term of less than 6 months, if shorter-term leases
 - are commonly accepted in the market area, and
 - do not reflect weakness in the market.

You may include non-revenue producing units such as

- management units,
- employee occupied units,
- maintenance units, and
- model units.

Such units should not exceed what is usual and customary for stabilized properties in the market.

Section 106

Certificates of Occupancy

Requirements

For any **Property** with construction or rehabilitation work completed within the last 12 months, you must:

- ensure that all units have a certificate of occupancy;
- obtain copies of all certificates of occupancy from the **Borrower**; and
- retain them in your **Servicing File**.



For all other Properties, you must:

- determine whether each unit had a certificate of occupancy at some point;
- attempt to obtain copies of all certificates of occupancy; and
- retain them in your Servicing File.

Certificates of Occupancy	
For any...	You must...
<u>Property with construction or rehabilitation work completed within the last 12 months</u>	<ul style="list-style-type: none">• <u>Ensure all units have a certificate of occupancy.</u>• <u>Obtain copies of all certificates of occupancy from the Borrower .</u>• <u>Retain them in your Servicing File .</u>
<u>Other Property</u>	<ul style="list-style-type: none">• <u>Determine if each unit had a certificate of occupancy at some point.</u>• <u>Attempt to obtain copies of them.</u>• <u>Retain them in your Servicing File .</u>

Guidance

If you are unable to obtain copies of certificates of occupancy for a Property (for example, because of the age of the Property or the records of the jurisdiction where it is located), you should look for other evidence that certificates of occupancy had been issued.

If you cannot obtain a copy or other sufficient evidence of a certificate of occupancy, you should analyze the risk to the Property if one had never been issued, by considering whether:

- your physical inspection reveals any life safety issues;
- all units are accessible through normal access routes (and not, for example, through a former janitorial closet);
- the insurance excludes coverage of a casualty originating from a unit without a certificate of occupancy; and
- the Property is located in a market that exhibits low vacancies and barriers to entry.



You should exclude the income generated by any units without a certificate of occupancy but include all expenses (including replacement reserves) for the maintenance of such units.

No Certificate of Occupancy	
If you cannot obtain...	You should...
<u>Copies of certificates of occupancy for a Property (for example, because of the Property's age, or the records of the jurisdiction where the Property is located)</u>	<ul style="list-style-type: none">• <u>Exclude the income generated by any units without a certificate of occupancy, but include all expenses (including replacement reserves) for the maintenance of these units.</u>• <u>Look for other evidence that certificates of occupancy had been issued.</u>
<u>Copies or other sufficient evidence of a certificate of occupancy</u>	<p>Analyze the risk to the Property if one had never been issued, by considering if:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none">• <u>your physical inspection reveals any life safety issues;</u>• <u>all units are accessible through normal access routes (and not, for example, through a former janitorial closet);</u>• <u>the insurance excludes coverage of a casualty originating from a unit without a certificate of occupancy; and</u>• <u>the Property is located in a market that exhibits low vacancies and barriers to entry.</u>

Section 107

Phased Properties

Requirements

If the Property is a Phased Property, you must evaluate

- how the Property will be affected by other phases of the complex, and
- whether the Property will be able to can succeed independently from other phases.



→ Guidance

In determining whether a Phased Property is viable as a separate Property, you should consider whether:

- its ownership and operation are separate from all other phases of the complex;
- the Borrower is able to provide a separate leasing office for the Property;
- your underwriting has discounted any benefits derived from staff or facilities that the Property shares shared with other phases;
- the records and accounts used to underwrite the Property are separate from the records and accounts those of other phases;
- the Property is marketable to tenants or a new owner, separately from other phases;
- the Property is visible to the public without passing through another phase of the complex;
- the Property is accessible from a public roadway;
- any cross-easements for the complex will survive an adverse action against another phase; and
- any development of a future phase could materially interfere with or disturb the occupancy, marketability, or living environment of the Property Property's:
 - occupancy,
 - marketability,
 - or living environment; and
- the Property is:
 - marketable to tenants or a new owner, separately from other phases;
 - visible to the public without passing through another phase of the complex; and
 - accessible from a public roadway.

In assessing the impact of future phases on a Property, you should consider:



- the short-term impact of construction activity; and
- long-term implications for the continued economic viability of the Property, taking into account the allocation of costs for shared facilities (such as roadways).

Requirements

You may only Deliver a Mortgage Loan on a Phased Property if Fannie Mae holds all other Mortgage Loans secured by other phases of the complex.

When the Phased Property is owned or Controlled by the same Borrower or Principals as the other phases in the complex:

- all Fannie Mae Mortgage Loans on each phase must be cross-defaulted and cross-collateralized;
- when any new Phased Property Mortgage Loan is underwritten, the actual amortizing DSCR (per Form 4254.DEF) and current LTV for all existing Mortgage Loans on each phase must comply with Form 4660 for the same loan term, product, and Pricing and Underwriting Tier, where each property value is determined by
 - dividing the current NCF by the capitalization rate (i.e., a Direct Cap with Sales Comparables analysis),
 - broker's opinion of value, or
 - most recent Appraisal; and
- the new Phased Property Mortgage Loan must have a Prepayment Premium Period End Date that is on or before the Prepayment Premium Period End Date of the other Mortgage Loans on the other phases.

Guidance

If a future phase is expected, consider issuing the first phase MBS with a potential future cross.

Section 108

Commercial Leases

Requirements

You must only underwrite actual income from occupied commercial



space with an executed lease or lease extension agreement, if:

- the remaining lease term is at least 12 months after the Mortgage Loan Origination Date;
- the tenant is
 - paying rent, and
 - not delinquent on rent due outside the lease's cure period; and
- the underwritten commercial income includes the actual commercial rent due under the lease within 12 months after the Mortgage Loan Origination Date, including any
 - discounts, or
 - concessions.

➔ Guidance

Your evaluation of any commercial space's viability should include:

- Appraisal sub-market comparable commercial space rents supporting the underwritten rents;
- sub-market data confirming a low commercial space vacancy rate;
- existing sustainable demand for the tenant's business type; and
- evidence that the Property's location has sufficient foot traffic to support the tenant's business.

108.01 Material Commercial Leases

108.01A Lease Review

Requirements

You must analyze all aspects of each **Material Commercial Lease** and the tenants. **Tenant** refers to each tenant, grantee, or other beneficiary of the **Material Commercial Lease.its**

- tenants,
- grantees, or
- other beneficiaries.



If Material Commercial Lease approval is required by the terms of per Part II, Chapter 1: Attributes and Characteristics, Section 108.01B: Lease Approval you must:

- prepare a written summary of the material terms of the Material Commercial Lease; and
- keep a copy of your summary in your Servicing File.

➔ Guidance

As you analyze the Material Commercial Lease, you should consider the following questions if:

- ~~Does each tenant have~~ has the ability to fulfill its financial and other performance obligations under the Material Commercial Lease?;
- ~~Are the~~ Material Commercial Lease insurance provisions ~~of the~~ Material Commercial Lease ~~are~~ consistent with the insurance requirements in the applicable Loan Documents or otherwise prescribed by Fannie Mae?;
- ~~Is each tenant required to obtain the Lender's consent before making any assignment, sublease, subcontracting, or other transfer of the~~ Material Commercial Lease?
- ~~Does the tenant have early termination clauses and if so, what are the conditions under which the tenant can terminate? For example,~~
 - ~~if there is a material casualty or condemnation, or~~
 - ~~if the landlord cannot substantially restore the premises in a reasonable period of time following a casualty or condemnation.~~
- each tenant is required to obtain the Lender's consent before the Material Commercial Lease is
 - assigned,
 - subleased,
 - subcontracted, or
 - otherwise transferred; and
- the tenant
 - has early termination clauses, and
 - understands the conditions under which they can terminate,



including

- a material casualty or condemnation, or
- if the landlord cannot substantially restore the premises in a reasonable period of time following a casualty or condemnation.

108.01B Lease Approval

Requirements

Material Commercial Lease Type	
Lease with Property Assessed Clean Energy (PACE) Financing	You must not approve any Material Commercial Lease that includes PACE financing.
Solar Power or Other Power Renewable Energy Generation Lease	You must only approve leases for renewable energy systems that comply with Part II, Chapter 1: Attributes and Characteristics, Section 109: Renewable Energy Generation Systems.
Other Material Commercial Leases	You must only approve other Material Commercial Leases that comply with Part II, Chapter 1: Attributes and Characteristics, Section 108: Commercial Leases.

108.01C Lease Modifications

Requirements

As you review each **Material Commercial Lease** modification, you must consider the following questions if it:

- Does it ~~violate~~ **violates** any of the requirements of this Section?;
- Does it ~~contain~~ **contains** terms that are inconsistent with the **Mortgage Loan?**; or
- Does it ~~present~~ **presents** risks that are inappropriate for the **Mortgage Loan?**

If ~~the answer to any of these questions is “yes”, then~~ **conditions are**



present you must:

- require the Borrower to modify the Material Commercial Lease appropriately; or
- address the items in the Tenant Estoppel Certificate (Form 6413) and/or the Subordination, Non-Disturbance, and Attornment Agreement (Form 6415).

108.01D Tenant Estoppel Certificate

Requirements

You must obtain a Tenant Estoppel Certificate (Form 6413) for each Material Commercial Lease.

108.01E Subordination, Non-Disturbance and Attornment

Requirements

You must use Form 6415 if:

- ~~evaluate whether an SNDA (Form 6415) is necessary to provide for subordination and attornment or would be beneficial for other reasons; and~~
- ~~use Form 6415 if the Material Commercial Lease contains provisions for the Borrower to assume liability or other risks as landlord that would not be acceptable~~ unacceptable to the Lender in case of a Foreclosure Event; or
- the form
 - is necessary for subordination and attornment, or
 - would otherwise be beneficial.

You must ensure that each Material Commercial Lease (including any renewal or extension):

- is subordinate to the Lien of the Security Instrument; and
- requires the tenant to attorn to the Lender under the Mortgage Loan.

108.02 Non-Material Commercial Leases



108.02A Tenant Estoppel Certificate; Lease Modification

Requirements

You must make reasonable efforts to get a **Form 6413** for each non-**Material Commercial Lease**, other than leases relating only to equipment or maintenance services.

If a non-**Material Commercial Lease** has terms that are inconsistent with the terms of the **Mortgage Loan** or present inappropriate risks for the **Mortgage Loan**, then you must:

- require the **Borrower** to modify the lease appropriately; or
- address any inconsistencies or risks in a **Form 6413**.

108.02B Non-Material Commercial Lease Types

Requirements

Non-Material Commercial Lease Type	
Telecommunications and Cell Tower Leases	<p>You must review any telecommunications and cell tower lease to ensure that it does not:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • comprise more than 5% of the Property Property's Effective Gross Income; • negatively impact the value, visibility, livability, or marketability of the Property Property's: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> - value. - visibility. - livability, or - marketability; • impose an undue financial or operating burden on the Property or the Borrower; • obligate the Borrower to rebuild any Improvements at the Property following a post-casualty or condemnation; • have a lease term (including extension options) in excess of 25 years; • contain a purchase option; or • convey any right to the tenant other than simple lessee rights (e.g., a perpetual easement, a purported sale of a portion of the Improvements, unjustified exclusivity, etc.).



<p>Communications Service Agreement</p>	<p>You do not need to subordinate the service agreement to the Lien of the Security Instrument if:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none">• the Borrower certifies to you that neither the Borrower, nor any Key Principal or Principal, is an Affiliate of the communications service provider; and• the lease does not contain provisions for the Borrower to assume liabilities and risks as landlord that would not be acceptable for you (as lender under the Mortgage Loan) in the context of a Foreclosure Event. <p>If a communications service agreement is accompanied by a lease or easement, then the lease or easement must end automatically when the service agreement expires, unless the service agreement is subordinated to the Lien of the Security Instrument.</p>
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Mineral Rights; Oil and Natural Gas Leases

You must review each agreement or lease of mineral rights or rights relating to subsurface oil and natural gas to ensure that it does not:

- comprise more than 5% of the **Property Property's Effective Gross Income**;
- grant surface entry for any purpose (e.g., pipes, access across, or storage on the **Property**);
- grant subsurface rights within **250 feet below the surface of the Property**, or within 600 feet from any **Property boundary line**;
 - **250 feet below the surface of the Property, or**
 - **600 feet from any Property boundary line;**
- have a material adverse effect on **public health and safety, air quality or noise levels, or on the marketability or occupancy of the Property**;
 - **public health and safety,**
 - **air quality or noise levels, or**
 - **the Property's marketability or occupancy;**
- **permit oil or gas well activities that could have a negative effect on access, visibility, or storm water drainage at the Property;**
- **permit oil or gas well activities with potential negative effects on the Property's**
 - **access,**
 - **visibility, or**
 - **storm water drainage;**
- have a negative effect on the **zoning or allowable density of the PropertyProperty's**;
 - **zoning, or**
 - **allowable density;**
- facilitate drilling, storage, or processing of oil or gas on the **Property** or any adjacent property; or
- fail to require the lessee to indemnify and hold harmless the **Borrower**, as lessor, for any damage to the **Property** or any other damage or liability caused directly or indirectly as a result of the oil and gas exploration or drilling activities.

The **Borrower** must execute **Form 6262** if a lease or deed reservation of rights allows for the subsurface exploration of oil, natural gas, or minerals, but no evidence of active or planned exploration or drilling exists on the **Property**.



Laundry Lease	<p>You do not need to subordinate the lease to the Lien of the Security Instrument if you confirm that the lease:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • is not with an Affiliate of the Borrower or any Key Principal or Principal; • has market terms; • contains an acceptable termination for cause provision; and • meets recognized industry standards.
Equipment or Related Maintenance Services Lease	<p>You must ensure that the lease:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • is subordinate to the Security Instrument; • contains an acceptable termination for cause provision; and • meets recognized industry standards.

 Guidance

Non-Material Commercial Lease Type	
Storage Unit Lease	<p>You do not need to subordinate the lease to the Lien of the Security Instrument if you determine that the unit is being leased pursuant to a residential Lease.</p>

108.03 Short Term Rentals

 Requirements

You must ensure that:

- the residential nature of any **Property** with units available for **STR** is maintained, even though any **Lease** of an **STR** unit will be
 - classified as a commercial lease, and
 - subject to the space and income limitations per **Form 4660**;
- no more than 5% of the **Property's** units (not counting recreational vehicle sites) are available for **STR**; and
- the **Underwritten NCF** accurately incorporates all **STR** income.

You must include the following information in your underwriting analysis:



- Borrower's strategy for implementing STR;
- a description of the STR arrangement;
- length of time the STR has been in place;
- ~~Borrower~~Borrower's action plan for handling liability issues for
 - STR tenants at the Property, and
 - safety concerns for non-STR tenants;
- ~~Borrower's strategy for implementing STR;~~
- ~~whether~~if the STR units are furnished or unfurnished; and
- ~~confirmation that the STR is legally permissible and in compliance with applicable laws and zoning;~~
- ~~confirmation that the Borrower's or master tenant's insurance covers any STR; and~~
- confirmation that the Property is residential in nature (i.e., not operated as a hotel or other single room occupancy arrangement):
 - STR is legally permissible and in compliance with applicable laws and zoning,
 - Borrower's or master tenant's insurance covers any STR , and
 - Property is residential in nature (i.e., not operated as a hotel or other single room occupancy arrangement).

➔ Guidance

Examples of an STR arrangement include an arrangement between the Borrower and:

- a tenant/master tenant, where the tenant/master tenant has an agreement with an STR provider or platform (such as Airbnb, VRBO®, etc.); or
- an STR provider or platform, where the ~~Borrower~~Borrower's tenants may make their units available for STR.

You should seek to establish a leasing history of at least 12 months for any STR unit.



109.01 Acceptable Renewable Energy Generation Systems

Requirements

Any operational renewable energy generation system located on-benefitting the Property or the Property Borrower must be:

- located on the Property;
- comprised of a Solar PV System;
- Borrower-owned; and
- installed, or installation will begin installation, on or before the Mortgage Loan Origination Date.

109.02 Solar Photovoltaic Systems

Requirements

For any Property with an acceptable Solar PV System, you must ensure:

- All equipment, including energy storage, is located on the Property and owned by the Borrower.
- The Borrower has all required permits, licenses, and certificates to comply with all utility tariffs and laws governing the
 - generation,
 - storage,
 - transmission, and
 - distribution of electricity.
- The Property will remain connected to the utility grid even if the Solar PV System output is sufficient for all of the Property's energy needs.
- The Borrower will not be characterized or regulated as a public utility.
- Any power generated from the Solar PV System that is not consumed or stored on-site is only sold to the local utility, not to any other third party.
- Any battery storage system is designed only for on-site uses (e.g., peak shaving), and the Borrower has not arranged for ancillary services with any utility or third party.
- The Borrower executes Modifications to Multifamily Loan and



Security Agreement (Mortgage Loan with installed Solar Photovoltaic System) (Form 6270).

➔ Guidance

You should engage legal counsel with solar photovoltaic system experience and state-specific knowledge to review all applicable local laws, contracts, and agreements regarding the [Solar PV System](#) installation and operation, including:

- the interconnection agreement with local distribution company or utility;
- any net metering agreements;
- engineering, procurement, and construction contracts or agreements;
- any Operating and Maintenance Agreements;
- notice of Permission to Operate (or similar document) provided by local distribution company or utility;
- any supplemental financing or financing incentives (e.g., grants, tax credits, etc.) used by the [Borrower](#) to finance the [Solar PV System](#) to determine if any competing liens or other restrictions might result;
- any leases or contractual arrangements, such as agreements for
 - renewable energy certificates,
 - solar renewable energy certificates, or
 - purchasing power; and
- confirming that [Borrower](#) will not be deemed a public utility.

109.03 Solar PV System Module

Requirements

The [PCA](#) must include an evaluation of the [Solar PV System](#) equipment and roofs/structures where the equipment is mounted per the Solar PV Module of [Form 4099](#).

109.04 Underwritten NCF

Requirements

When calculating [Underwritten NCF](#):



- do not include any income derived from the Solar PV System, except for tenant utility reimbursement;
- any utility reimbursement income must
 - not exceed the trailing 12-month period, and
 - consider any decrease from the lower utility expense;
- utility expense must be supported by the trailing 12-month operating history; and
- include all additional Solar PV System operating expenses such as:
 - operating and maintenance contract fees;
 - fixed utility fees;
 - incremental real estate taxes;
 - insurance coverage; and
 - ~~replacement reserves~~ Replacement Reserves for equipment replacement and/or system removal and reinstallation upon roof replacement.

Section 110 Oil/Gas Wells and Mineral Exploration

110.01 Active Oil and Gas Wells

Requirements

You must ensure ~~that~~ the Property has no evidence of any surface entry related to active mineral, oil, or gas activities.

For Properties with mineral, oil, or gas exploration on an adjacent property, you must:

- Identify whether the ~~mineral, oil, or gas~~ exploration is active or inactive.
- Deliver a Phase I ESA for the Property reporting no Recognized Environmental Conditions.
- Confirm all mineral, oil, or gas:
 - equipment is located more than 600 feet from any Property boundary line; and
 - exploration on the adjacent property does not impact the health or



safety of the Property's tenants or have a material adverse impact to its marketability.

- Confirm:
 - ~~all mineral, oil, or gas equipment is located more than 600 feet from any Property boundary line;~~
 - ~~the mineral, oil, or gas exploration on the adjacent property does not impact the health or safety of the Property's tenants or have a material adverse impact to its marketability;~~
 - the adjacent property is not owned by an Affiliate of the Borrower; and
 - either:
 - ~~there is~~ no history of spills or leaks exists; or
 - if spills or leaks have occurred, all applicable permits are in place.

➔ Guidance

Evidence of active mineral, oil, or gas activities on the Property may include:

- wells associated with ~~mineral, oil, or gas~~ production, exploration, or extraction;
- ~~actively storing or processing mineral, oil, or gas; or~~
- ~~pits, ponds, or lagoons associated with oil and gas exploration or production.~~
- active storage or processing; or
- associated pits, ponds, or lagoons.

110.02 Inactive Oil and Gas Wells

☑ Requirements

You must ensure ~~that~~ the Property has no evidence of inactive mineral, oil, or gas equipment, unless:

- the ~~Property~~Property's Phase I ESA is acceptable;



- if the Property is subject to an oil and gas lease, the lease complies with Part II, Chapter 1: Attributes and Characteristics, Section 108.02B: Non-Material Commercial Lease Types; and
- for a refinance, all mineral, oil, or gas equipment has been removed, capped, and closed per regulatory requirements before closing, and you have a permit or closure letter from the governing authority; or
- for an acquisition, you:
 - require the mineral, oil, or gas equipment/wells to be removed, capped, and closed per regulatory requirements within 180 days after the Mortgage Loan closing;
 - escrow the applicable cost to remove equipment, close wells, and remediate the site per regulatory requirements;
 - receive a permit or closure letter from the governing authority; and
 - modify the Environmental Indemnity Agreement as required by Fannie Mae.

Section 111

Property Management and Agreement

111.01 Property Management

☑ Requirements

You must ensure that the Property's management team is adequate.

➔ Guidance

~~Fannie Mae does not require an~~ An independent, professional Property management company is not required. However, when analyzing Property management, you should consider ~~whether~~ if the management team:

- has adequate experience to ensure effective ~~administration, leasing, marketing, and maintenance of the~~ Property; and
 - administration,
 - leasing,
 - marketing, and
 - maintenance; and



- is staffed appropriately for the type and size of the Property and the services provided.
 - Property type and size, and
 - services provided.

111.02 Property Management Agreement

✓ Requirements

If the Borrower is not the Property manager, you must ensure the:

- that the Borrower has a written management agreement with a Property management company that allows for cancellation by the allowing Lender cancellation without penalty or prior notice in case of a Borrower default underper the Mortgage Loan Loan Documents; or
- the Borrower and Property manager complete the Assignment of Management Agreement (Form 6405).

➔ Guidance

You should ensure that the Property management agreement clearly states the

- the responsibilities of the Property manager, and
- the amount of the management fee (or describes the method for determining the fee).
- Property manager's responsibilities, and
- amount of the management fee (or fee determination methodology).



Chapter 2 Valuation and Income

Section 201 Market and Valuation

201.01 Market Analysis

Requirements

You must:

- Evaluate the ~~Property~~ Property's market area, identifying its strengths and weaknesses.
- Take these characteristics into account when structuring the Mortgage Loan.

201.02 Appraisal

Requirements

You must obtain an Appraisal that:

- is prepared by a qualified, state-licensed or -certified appraiser;
- conforms to the requirements in the USPAP; and
- meets any governmental regulations in effect when the Mortgage Loan was originated, including the Financial Institutions Reform, Recovery, and Enforcement Act of 1989.

201.02A Appraiser Role and Qualifications

Requirements

You must:

- Provide the appraiser ~~with~~ all documents needed to accurately assess ~~the value of the Property~~ Property's value.
- Ensure the appraiser:
 - ~~provides a complete, accurate description of~~ completely and accurately describes the Property and the market;
 - ~~provides an opinion of the market value of the Property, supported by market data, logical analysis, and sound professional judgment; and~~



- provides an opinion of the Property's market value, supported by
 - market data,
 - logical analysis, and
 - sound professional judgment; and
- uses an industry standard form of Appraisal that is appropriate for the size and structure of the Mortgage Loan.

When selecting an appraiser, you must document that the appraiser is licensed or certified, as appropriate, under applicable state law.

When using an appraiser, you must ensure ~~that~~ the appraiser (whether third-party or in-house):

- Acts independently.;
- Does not participate in the Mortgage Loan approval.; and
- Is not a member of the loan origination or underwriting staff.

201.02B Valuation Date

Requirements

You must ~~update any Appraisal if the Appraisal Date is more than 6 months before the Commitment Date.;~~

~~If the Appraisal Date is more than 12 months before the Commitment Date, then a new Appraisal of the Property is required.~~

- update any Appraisal if the Appraisal Date is more than 6 months before the Commitment Date ; and
- require a new Appraisal if the Appraisal Date is more than 12 months before the Commitment Date .

Guidance

For an Appraisal ~~that is~~ dated less than 12 months before the Commitment Date, you may ~~have the appraiser provide~~ obtain an ~~update~~ updated Appraisal that complies with USPAP guidelines, dated within 6 months of the Commitment Date.



201.02C Appraised Value

Requirements

You must ensure that the appraiser provides an opinion of the market value of the Property, on an “as is” basis, of:

- each separate Project per Part II, Chapter 1: Attributes and Characteristics, Section 102.01: Single Borrower Ownership; and
- the aggregate market value of all Projects.

You may also request that the appraiser provide an opinion of the Property's market value of the Property on an “as completed” basis, but you must only use an “as completed” Appraisal for the opinion of Appraised Value if all of the following conditions apply:

- less than 12 months have passed between when the Borrower Borrower's acquired acquisition of the Property and the Commitment Date;
- for any capital improvements made after the Mortgage Loan Origination Date to be considered in an “as completed” Appraisal, they must be:
 - Immediate Repairs listed in the PCA; or
 - improvements identified by the Borrower, if you concur that agree the improvements will add value to the Property value;
- all capital improvements are included in either the Completion/Repair Agreement or the Rehabilitation Reserve Agreement;
 - Completion/Repair Schedule, or
 - Rehabilitation Reserve Agreement;
- sufficient funds to complete all capital improvements are deposited into either the Completion/Repair Escrow or the Rehabilitation Reserve Account:
 - for capital improvements identified as Immediate Repairs, the funds must cover any higher funding percentage you require; and
 - for capital improvements identified by the Borrower, the funds must cover the estimated cost (including an allowance for cost overruns); and
- all capital improvements are required to be completed in a timely



manner:

- those identified by the Borrower must be completed within 12 months after the Mortgage Loan Origination Date; and
- for others identified as Immediate Repairs, a shorter time period may be required by Part II, Chapter 4: Inspections and Reserves, Section 403: Completion/Repairs.

201.03 Underwriting Value

Requirements

Your Underwriting Value must not exceed the Appraised Value, as reduced by any adjustments you deem necessary ~~to account~~ accounting for ~~property~~ Property deficiencies that cannot be cured within 6 months after the Appraisal Date.

If less than 12 months have passed between the ~~Borrower~~ Borrower's acquisition of the Property and the Commitment Date, your Underwriting Value must not exceed the lower of the

- Appraised Value, or
- sum of the:
 - Property's acquisition price per the title company settlement statement;
 - cost of capital improvements or repairs that increase the Property's value, if
 - completed and fully paid, or
 - sufficient funds for completion are deposited in the Completion/Repair Escrow or reserve account; and
 - actual acquisition costs, not exceeding 3% of the acquisition price, including:
 - Origination Fee;
 - arm's length acquisition fee (generally 1% - 2%) paid to an unrelated Person if documented in the Settlement Statement;
 - third-party report fees;
 - Borrower-paid legal fees incurred on your behalf;



- title search and title insurance fees;
- survey fees;
- real estate and stamp taxes;
- deed-recording fees; and
- credit report charges.

➔ Guidance

Actual acquisition costs should exclude any prepaid operating expenses or deposits applied toward future operating expenses or Property improvements, including:

- the Appraised Value, or
- the sum of:
 - the Property acquisition price;
 - the cost of capital improvements or repairs which increase the value of the Property, if
 - they are completed and fully paid, or
 - sufficient funds to complete them are deposited in an escrow or reserve account; and
 - actual acquisition costs, not to exceed 3% of the acquisition price, such as:
 - loan origination fees;
 - appraisal fees;
 - title search fees;
 - title insurance fees;
 - survey fees;
 - taxes;
 - deed-recording fees; and
 - credit report charges.
- prepaid or escrowed



- real estate taxes, or
- insurance premiums;
- prepaid
 - utilities,
 - Mortgage Loan interest, including any interest rate buydown expense,
 - rents, or
 - security deposits;
- funded
 - Completion/Repair Escrow,
 - Replacement Reserve,
 - Interest Rate Cap cost,
 - operating or Restabilization Reserve, or
 - Borrower-controlled Property operating or capital accounts;
- fees included in the Gross Note Rate, including any
 - Origination Fee, or
 - broker fee;
- acquisition fees paid to a Borrower-Affiliate; and
- for an MAH Property, pre-paid Bond-related and compliance monitoring fees.

Section 202

Income Analysis

202.01 Underwritten Net Cash Flow (Underwritten NCF)

Guidance

Underwritten NCF may differ significantly across assets and will be driven by circumstances particular to the Property.

- differ significantly across assets, and
- will be driven by particular Property circumstances.



Therefore, when calculating the **Property's Underwritten NCF**, you should:

- Use ~~both objective and subjective~~ measures to determine the revenue generated and the expenses incurred ~~at the Property~~.
- Use the best information available, including historical **Property** performance and anticipated **Property** operations.
- Use ~~your~~ best efforts to obtain operating statements for the ~~previous~~ **prior** 3 years.
- Obtain the prior full-year operating statement or, at a minimum, ~~an operating statement~~ **one** covering the trailing 6 months (annualized).
- Consider ~~whether if~~ the **Property** can achieve the **Underwritten NCF** within 12 months after the **Mortgage Loan Origination Date**, absent unexpected market conditions or other unforeseen events.

You may:

- Rely, for acquisitions only, on the ~~Borrower~~ **Borrower's** budgeted operating statements.
- Calculate the **Underwritten NCF** more conservatively, if warranted by ~~circumstances~~ particular to the **Property** ~~circumstances~~.

Requirements

You must use the following table to calculate **Underwritten NCF** for all **Mortgage Loans** unless another table is provided in the applicable Part III chapter based on the specific product.

REQUIRED UNDERWRITTEN NCF (CONVENTIONAL LOANS)		
Item	Function	Description
CALCULATION OF NET RENTAL INCOME		



1		<p>GROSS RENTAL INCOME – actual rents in place for occupied units, plus market rents for vacant units based on a current rent roll (multiplied by 12). The Property must have Stabilized Residential Occupancy by Qualified Tenants.</p> <p>If the Property is located in New York City and subject to the J-51 Tax Incentive Program where the Borrower has decontrolled rent-stabilized units (a Decontrol Event), you must adjust the current rents to reflect no rent decontrol benefits:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Calculate the base rent as the rent amount per unit prior to the Decontrol Event date. • Use the base rent for each applicable unit to determine the Gross Rental Income. • Increase the base rent by the appropriate percentage allowed under per New York City Rent Stabilization laws per annum through the present rent roll date.
2	PLUS	To the extent deducted as an operating expense, rents for other non-revenue units (e.g., model units deducted in the “model apartment” operating expense in the “general and administrative” category, or actual rent from employee units deducted in the “employee” operating expense in the “payroll and benefits” category).
	EQUALS	GROSS POTENTIAL RENT (GPR)
3	MINUS	Premiums (e.g., identifiable additional income from furnished units or short term leases) and/or corporate premiums (e.g., identifiable additional income from corporate units, housekeeping services, etc.).
4	MINUS	Physical vacancy – market rents for vacant units based on a current rent roll (multiplied by 12). ¹



5	MINUS	Concessions - the aggregate amount of forgone residential rental income resulting from incentives granted to tenants for signing leases, such as free rent for 1 or more months, move-in allowance, etc. ¹
6	MINUS	Bad debt - the aggregate amount of unpaid rental income determined to be uncollectable; include, including any adjustments to other income income for bad debt. ¹
	EQUAL S	NET RENTAL INCOME (NRI) ²

1 The total of Items 4, 5, and 6 must equal the greater of

- the difference between the trailing 3-month net rental collections (annualized) and GPR, or
- 5% of GPR.

2 NRI must reflect projected operations for the underwriting period.

a. You must assess the NRI using these parameters and fully support any changes:

- Assess the individual month NRI within the prior full-year operating statement or, at a minimum, an operating statement covering at least the trailing 6 months (annualized).
- If there are fluctuations, you may use an NRI that exceeds the trailing 3-month NRI, **as long as provided** the NRI does not exceed the highest 1-month NRI used in the trailing 3-month NRI calculation.

b. You must assess declines in NRI using these parameters:

- Assess **whether there was if** any decline **occurred** in NRI for the trailing 3-month period compared to the trailing 6-month period and the trailing 12-month period.
- If the decline in NRI for the trailing 3-month period is greater than 2% compared to either the trailing 6-month period or the trailing 12-month period, you must adjust **downward** the NRI **downward** to an amount that is 2% less than the lowest NRI for the trailing 1-month, 3-month, 6-month, or 12-month period.
- You must make a minimum 2% adjustment to NRI; however, you are expected to make additional downward adjustments as appropriate to reflect current market conditions not reflected in historical operations.

CALCULATION OF OTHER INCOME



7	PLUS	<p>Actual other income (except premiums and corporate premiums) generated through ongoing operations. The income must:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • be stable; • be common in the market; • exclude one-time extraordinary non-recurring items; and • be supported by prior years. <p>You must assess the individual <u>month's</u> other income within the prior full-year operating statement or, at a minimum, an operating statement covering at least the trailing 6 months (annualized).</p> <p>If there are fluctuations, you may use other income that exceeds the trailing 3-month other income (annualized), <u>as long as provided</u> it does not exceed the highest 1-month other income used in the trailing 3-month other income calculation.</p> <p>When determining the other income, you must</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • adjust Items 8 through 12, and • include specific income for Items 13 through 15 when applicable.
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CALCULATION OF COMMERCIAL INCOME

8	PLUS	<p>Actual income from <u>leased and</u> occupied commercial space (and parking revenue for commercial spaces, if applicable) <u>per Part II, Chapter 1: Attributes and Characteristics, Section 108: Commercial Leases.</u></p>
9	PLUS	<p>Actual income from STR units.</p>
10	MINUS	<p>10% of the actual commercial <u>space</u> income (total of Items 8 plus 9).³</p>
<u>11</u>	<u>PLUS</u>	<p><u>Commercial parking income (e.g., public parking) that does not exceed actual trailing 12-month collections.</u>³</p>

³ If net commercial income is greater than 20% of EGI, then reduce to 20% of EGI.



11	PLUS	<p>Premiums, provided that the income must:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • be stable or increasing; • be typical (in type and amount) in the market; • be supported by prior years; and • not exceed the income generated over the most recent year or trailing 12-month period.
12	PLUS	<p>Corporate premiums <u>Premiums</u>, provided that <u>this</u> the income must:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • not be included for more than 10% of the <u>Property's units</u>; • be stable or increasing; • be typical (in type and amount) in the market; • be supported by prior years; and • not exceed the income generated over the most recent year or trailing 12-month period.
13	PLUS	<p><u>Corporate premiums</u>, provided that <u>this</u> income must:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • <u>not be included for more than 10% of the Property's units</u>; • <u>be stable or increasing</u>; • <u>be typical (in type and amount) in the market</u>; • <u>be supported by prior years</u>; and • <u>not exceed the income generated over the most recent year or trailing 12-month period</u>.
1314	PLUS	Laundry and vending.
1415	PLUS	Parking - income from residential parking/garage spaces.



1516	PLUS	<p>All other income, includeincluding the following:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • application fees; • cable; • club house rental; • fees charged tenants for returned checks due to insufficient funds (NSF); • forfeited security deposits; • late fees; • miscellaneous; • non-refundable fees; • pet fees; • reimbursements; • storage; • temporary tenants; • utility; and • other. <p>The following must not be included:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • corporate tax and refunds; • delinquency; • Financial Accounting Standards Board 13 straight-line lease income; • gain on sale; • insurance proceeds; • interest income; • interest on security deposits; • mobile home sales; • partnership funds received; • sales tax collected; • security deposits collected; • security deposits returned; • straight-line lease income; and • tax reimbursement from real estate taxes.
	EQUALS	EFFECTIVE GROSS INCOME (EGI)
CALCULATION OF OPERATING EXPENSES		



1617	MINUS	<p>Line-by-line stabilized operating expenses. Stabilized operating expenses are the expenses during normal ongoing Property operations, not affected by a lease-up, rehabilitation, or other short-term positive or negative factors.</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none">• <u>lease-up.</u>• <u>rehabilitation, or</u>• <u>other short-term positive or negative factors.</u> <p>Non-recurring, extraordinary expenses must not be included.</p> <p>You must <u>assess access:</u></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none">• past operating history;• the appraiser's expense analysis;• all information available to you (including Property contracts, utility bills, real estate tax assessments, insurance policies, and comparable assets); and• the Borrower<u>Borrower's</u> budget (in the case of an acquisition). <p>You must analyze historical operations at the Property and apply an appropriate increase over the prior year's operations in determining an estimate. :</p> <p>All expenses associated with STR must be underwritten in their respective expense line items. These expenses include cleaning, furnishing, and repairs.</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none">• <u>analyze historical operations at the Property;</u><u>and</u>• <u>apply an appropriate increase over the prior year's operations in determining an estimate;</u><u>and</u>• <u>include all STR-related expenses in their respective expense line items, including</u><ul style="list-style-type: none">- <u>cleaning,</u>- <u>furnishing, and</u>- <u>repairs.</u>
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16(a) 17(a)	MINUS	Property management fee equal to the greatest of: <ul style="list-style-type: none">• 3% of EGI⁴;• actual property management fee (exclude any portion of a non-arm's length property management fee that is subordinated to the Mortgage Loan); or• market property management fee.
<p>4 Minimum property management fee may be 2.5% of EGI (rather than 3% of EGI) provided that the:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none">• underwritten management fee is at least \$300 per unit;• actual management fee is equal to or less than the underwritten management fee;• Mortgage Loan has an original principal amount greater than \$3 million; and• market management fees support the underwritten management fee for similarly sized properties.		



<p>16(b) 17(b)</p>	<p>MINUS</p>	<p>Real estate taxes based on the greatest of:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none">• actual future tax bill(s) covering a full calendar year;• prior full year's taxes multiplied by 103% (the 3% trending is not required for trailing 12-month or year-to-date annualized expenses); <p>or</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none">• in California, the <u>greater sum of:</u><ul style="list-style-type: none">- the Mortgage Loan amount, or- the assessed value,- multiplied by the millage rate plus any special assessments.- <u>any special assessments; plus</u>- <u>the millage rate multiplied by the greater of the</u><ul style="list-style-type: none">▪ <u>Mortgage Loan amount, or</u>▪ <u>assessed value.</u> <p>You must consider any automatic tax reassessment upon acquisition in the next 12-month period.:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none">• <u>consider any automatic tax reassessment upon acquisition in the next 12-month period;</u> <p><u>and</u></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none">• <u>for any tax abatement, exemption, deferral, or PILOT expiring within 36 months after the Mortgage Loan Origination Date, underwrite fully assessed real estate taxes.</u> <p>If the Property has real estate tax abatements, exemptions, <u>deferrals,</u> or deferrals<u>PILOTs,</u> they must:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none">• be in effect at closing, per written documentation from the state or local tax assessor; and• survive a foreclosure on the Mortgage Loan such that Fannie Mae or a subsequent owner will retain the abatement, exemption, <u>deferral,</u> or deferral benefit<u>PILOT</u> (i.e., it is tied to the Property and not the owner).
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<p>1617(b) continued</p>	<p>MINUS</p>	<p>If the timeframe for the real estate tax abatement, exemption, <u>deferral</u>, or <u>deferral PILOT</u> is shorter than the Mortgage Loan term, or begins phasing out or expires within 5 years after the Maturity Date, you must consider:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • a Bifurcated Mortgage Loan structure (i.e., 2 notes secured by a single first Lien Security Instrument); • an amortization schedule that accommodates the elimination of the abatement; • or • providing clear justification and support in the refinance analysis.
<p>16(e) 17(c)</p>	<p>MINUS</p>	<p>Insurance equal to:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • the quoted expense, for insurance policies with a bona fide written quote from a reputable broker for a new 12-month policy; or • 110% of the current expense, for insurance policies with a remaining term less than 6 months.
<p>16(d) 17(d)</p>	<p>MINUS</p>	<p>Utilities, including the following:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • building lights; • dumpster rental; • electricity; • fuel oil; • heat; • natural gas; • non-common area electric; • parking lot electric; • parking lot lights; • septic; • trash removal (including contract); • utilities; • vacant unit utilities; and • other.
<p>16(e) 17(e)</p>	<p>MINUS</p>	<p>Water and sewer.</p>



16(f)17(f)	MINUS	Repairs and maintenance, including the following: <ul style="list-style-type: none">• appliances;• building;• carpet;• cleaning;• common area maintenance;• decorating;• electrical;• elevator;• equipment repairs;• exterminating services;• floor covering replacement;• HVAC;• janitorial;• landscaping (exterior);• landscaping (interior/plants);• lawn and grounds;• lock/keys;• maid service;• make ready;• mechanical;• painting;• parking lot;• parking lot lighting repair;• pest control;• plumbing;• pool;• rubbish removal;• scavenger;• snow removal;• supplies;• supplies (cleaning);• turnover;• vacancy preparation;• water irrigation;• water treatment;• window covering repair/replacement (minor); and <ul style="list-style-type: none">• other.
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16(g) 17(g)	MINUS	Payroll and benefits, including the following: <ul style="list-style-type: none">• 401k;• bonuses;• contract labor (carpet cleaning);• contract labor (make ready);• contract work;• custodian salary;• employee benefits;• employee expense;• employee insurance;• FICA;• health benefits;• labor plumbing;• manager salaries;• payroll and benefits;• payroll and processing;• payroll taxes;• salaries;• salaries maintenance;• security personnel's salary;• subcontracted labor;• temporary help;• unemployment insurance;• worker's compensation; and• other.
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16(h) 17(h)	MINUS	Advertising and marketing, including the following: <ul style="list-style-type: none">• apartment finder/guide;• banners;• brochures;• building signage;• finder's fee;• media commissions;• newspaper ads;• promotions;• resident relations;• signage;• supplies (marketing);• tenant relations;• Yellow Pages; and• other.
16(i)17(i)	MINUS	Professional fees, including the following: <ul style="list-style-type: none">• accounting or tax preparation fees;• architectural fees;• attorney fees;• bookkeeping fees;• engineering fees;• legal fees/expense;• professional fees; and• other.



16(j)17(j)	MINUS	General and administrative, including the following: <ul style="list-style-type: none">• ad valorem tax;• administrative fee;• alarm system;• answering service;• auto leasing;• auto repairs;• bank charges;• broker commission/fees;• business license;• cable;• cell phone/pager;• commissions;• computer repairs;• courtesy patrol;• credit check;• donations;• education;• entertainment;• equipment lease/rental;• eviction expense;• fire extinguisher;• freight and shipping;• leased equipment;• leasing commissions;• leasing office expense;• licenses;• life safety;
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1617 (j) continued	MINUS	<ul style="list-style-type: none">• mileage;• miscellaneous general and administrative expenses;• model apartment;• moving expense;• office supplies;• office unit (non-revenue unit);• permits;• personal property taxes;• postage;• printing;• public relations;• rental commissions;• rental expense;• security;• security vehicle and maintenance vehicle;• space designs and drawings;• subscription dues;• telephone;• travel;• truck repairs;• uniform service;• utility vehicle;• vehicle lease;• vehicle repair and expense; and• other.
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16(k) 17(k)	MINUS	<p>Other expenses, including the following:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none">• ancillary expense;• franchise taxes and fees;• general building;• miscellaneous;• on-going costs associated with any Interest Rate Cap Agreement;• other expenses/costs; and• for STR:<ul style="list-style-type: none">- taxes, fees, etc. imposed by the governing jurisdiction; and- if applicable, the difference in actual lease STR income and an equivalent market rate apartment rent (as if leased as an apartment unit). <p>For example, if actual lease STR income for a unit is \$1,000 and market rate residential rent for that unit is \$900, then deduct \$1,200 ($\\$1,000 - \\$900 = \\$100 \times 12$ months) as an Other expense.</p> <p>Do not include the following:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none">• amortization;• depreciation;• entity (i.e., filing, license, etc.);• financing fees;• initial or upfront costs associated with any Interest Rate Cap Agreement;• interest;• legal fees associated with securing Mortgage Loans;• life insurance;• owner's draw;• partnership fees;• principal payments on any loan;• sales tax paid; and• trust account fees.
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1718	MINUS	Ground rent for any Ground Lease or any master lease. Ground Lease bonus rent and/or escalations during the term of the Mortgage Loan must be considered when calculating Underwritten NCF and analyzing refinance risk.
	EQUALS	UNDERWRITTEN NOI
1819	MINUS	Replacement Reserve expense, including <u>a</u> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • a minimum annual amount of \$200 per unit, or • a greater amount if required in Part II, Chapter 4: Inspections and Reserves, Section 404: Replacement Reserve. Replacement Reserve expense must be included whether the escrow is funded or not.
	EQUALS	UNDERWRITTEN NCF

202.02 Underwritten DSCR

Requirements

You must calculate Underwritten DSCR per the following table.

Item	Function	Description
1		Underwritten NCF per Part II, Chapter 2: Valuation and Income, Section 202.01: Underwritten Net Cash Flow (Underwritten NCF).
2	DIVIDED BY	Annual debt service for the Mortgage Loan amount. You must base debt service on a level debt service payment, including amortization, and the greater of <u>the</u> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • the actual note rate, or • the required Underwriting Interest Rate Floor per Form 4660.



When calculating **Underwritten DSCR** for a **Mortgage Loan** with an interest-only period, you must use the same level debt service payment, including amortization, regardless of the length of the interest-only period.

The **Underwriting Interest Rate Floor**, if applicable, is the lowest interest rate you may use to determine the **Mortgage Loan** amount.

If the **Gross Note Rate** is below the required **Underwriting Interest Rate Floor**, per **Form 4660**, you must use the **Underwriting Interest Rate Floor** to establish the permitted **Mortgage Loan** amount.

All underwriting **Tier** requirements must be based on the **Underwritten NCF**.

Section 203

Refinance Risk Analysis

Requirements

You must prepare an exit strategy analyzing the **Borrower's** ability to refinance the **Mortgage Loan** in the year after the **Maturity Date** (e.g., use the projected **NCF** in year 11 for a **Mortgage Loan** with a 10-year term), by calculating a:

- “reversion” cap rate, which is the expected capitalization rate **that could be supported based on per** the projected **NCF**; and
- **Refinance Interest Rate**.

203.01 Base Assumptions

Requirements

You must derive proforma **NCF** for **the term of the Mortgage Loan term** as follows:

- **Loan Year 1: Underwritten NCF.**
- **Income Growth Rate for subsequent Loan Years, use:**
 - **2% for a**
 - **Student Housing Property,**
 - **Dedicated Student Housing Property,**
 - **Seniors Housing Property,**



- Multifamily Affordable Housing Property,
 - Structured Transaction, and
 - Mortgage Loan secured by multiple Properties; or
 - for all other Mortgage Loans, use the rent growth published in DUS Gateway for the Property's submarket.
- Economic Vacancy: hold underwritten economic vacancy level for the Mortgage Loan term.
 - Expense Growth Rate:
 - 3%; and
 - for real estate taxes,
 - 3% (or 2% for California acquisitions), or
 - increase Property taxes if an abatement expires or taxes are expected to rise during the loan term followed by 3% trending, or
 - for refinance transactions in California only, no trending is required until the year in which the actual tax bill would surpass the underwritten taxes, then trend Property taxes at 2%.

For..	You must..
<u>Loan Year 1</u>	<u>Use the Underwritten NCF .</u>
<u>Annual Income Growth Rate</u>	<u>Use:</u> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • <u>2% for a</u> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> - <u>Student Housing Property ,</u> - <u>Dedicated Student Housing Property ,</u> - <u>Seniors Housing Property ,</u> - <u>MAH Property ,</u> - <u>Structured Transaction, and</u> - <u>Mortgage Loan secured by multiple Properties ; and</u> • <u>for all other Mortgage Loans , the rent growth published in DUS Gateway for the Property's submarket.</u>



For..	You must..
<u>Economic Vacancy</u>	<u>Hold underwritten economic vacancy level for the Mortgage Loan term.</u>
<u>Annual Expense Growth Rate</u>	<p><u>Use:</u></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • <u>3%; and</u> • <u>for real estate taxes:</u> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> - <u>3% (or 2% for California acquisitions);</u> - <u>if taxes are expected to rise during the loan term:</u> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪ <u>increase taxes to the expected levels;</u> <p><u>then</u></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪ <u>3%; or</u> - <u>if an abatement, exemption, deferral, or PILOT:</u> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪ <u>phases out or expires during the loan term</u> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • <u>increase taxes to the expected levels;</u> <p><u>then</u></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • <u>3%; or</u> ▪ <u>begins phase out or expires within 5 years after the Maturity Date, use fully assessed real estate taxes in the projected exit NCF; and</u> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> - <u>for a California refinance,</u> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪ <u>no growth until the year the actual tax bill would surpass the underwritten taxes, then</u> ▪ <u>2%.</u>

You must estimate the Mortgage Loan UPB at the Maturity Date as follows:

- Amortization: 30 years or the amortization for the applicable product or features.
- DSCR: The minimum Tier 2 DSCR for the applicable product or features, per Form 4660.
- LTV: The maximum Tier 2 LTV for the applicable product or features, per Form 4660.



For..	Use..
<u>Amortization</u>	<ul style="list-style-type: none">• <u>30 years, or</u>• <u>the amortization for the applicable product or features.</u>
<u>DSCR</u>	<u>The minimum Tier 2 DSCR for the applicable product or features, per Form 4660.</u>
<u>LTV</u>	<u>The maximum Tier 2 LTV for the applicable product or features, per Form 4660.</u>

→ Guidance

Since these base assumptions are indicative only, you may use more conservative estimates if warranted by circumstances particular to the Property.

In most cases, the combined effect of principal amortization and NCF growth should result in a refinancing at the minimum DSCR and maximum LTV for Tier 2, using a reasonable interest rate.

You should consider the following refinance parameters:

- A target reversion capitalization rate at least 2.0% greater than the initial capitalization rate used for determining Underwriting Value.
- A Refinance Interest Rate at least 2.25% greater than the current 10-year Amortizing Nationwide Underwriting Floor rate, per Form 4660.

203.02 Alternative Assumptions

→ Guidance

If you determine that the base assumptions do not appropriately estimate the Property's NCF over the Mortgage Loan term, you may undertake an alternative risk analysis using assumptions that deviate from the base assumptions.

You should specifically identify and support any deviations with reliable evidence and historical and projected market trends. You should state your conclusions and discuss any mitigating factors, such as the:



- strength of the Sponsor or the submarket,
- Property's characteristics, or
- Property's operating history and performance.
- specifically identify and support any deviations with reliable evidence and historical and projected market trends; and
- state your conclusions and discuss any mitigating factors, such as the
 - strength of the Sponsor or the submarket,
 - Property's characteristics, or
 - Property's operating history and performance.

Income and Expense Growth Rates: Income and expense trending should incorporate projected market rates based upon general economic, market, and submarket conditions from reliable sources. For example:

- Rents on recently signed leases should only be used for estimating income growth in years Loan Years 1 and 2.
- Rent projections greater than the Base Assumption Income Growth Rate should not be used beyond Loan Year 4.
- When improvements in market economic occupancy or sustained market rental rate increases are widely anticipated, growth trends above the Base Assumption Income Growth Rate may be supported.
- Projections of income growth resulting from Property renovations or improved operations should be limited to the first 3 years Loan Years.
- When a Property is subject to a scheduled reassessment or a tax abatement phase-in period, tax expense should be adjusted appropriately.
- If a tax abatement, exemption, deferral, or PILOT begins phase out or expires more than 5 years after the Maturity Date, consider if the increased expense within 10 years after the Maturity Date may affect the Borrower's ability to refinance, and warrants
 - a lower Mortgage Loan amount,
 - faster amortization, or
 - a reduced interest only period.



- When you expect to incur costs for tenant improvement allowances and leasing commissions, or to realize rent increases from the rollover of tenants, commercial income should be adjusted appropriately.

Economic Vacancy: Properties in submarkets that are experiencing with depressed economic conditions due to temporary demand or supply issues may be modeled to reflect the economic vacancy projected by a reliable source. If you expect a decrease in vacancy to achieve stabilized levels, you should consider

- the anticipated timing, and
- effect of decreased economic vacancy on projected income growth over the same time period.

Section 204

Cash Out Analysis

Requirements

You must examine the risk of allowing cash out to the Borrower (see Form 4660 for a description of cash out transactions):

- examine the risk of allowing cash out to the Borrower (see Form 4660 for a description of cash out transactions); and
- for New Construction, consider the Mortgage Loan amount relative to the Property's total development cost basis.

Guidance

When underwriting a cash out transaction you should consider:

- the amount of hard equity remaining in the Property, excluding prior permanent financing costs, such as interest or prepayment premium;
- the length of time the Borrower has owned the Property;
- the effective age and current physical condition of the Property;
- the Property's effective age and current physical condition;
- any improvement in asset quality over the ownership period;
- any improvement in the Property's operations (i.e., its



NCF) or value over the ownership period; and

- whether an increase in the Property's value resulted from increased due to an increase in NCF or, rather than a decrease in the capitalization rate; and
- for New Construction, the Property's total development costs basis:

New Construction	
For...	The Property's total development cost basis includes...
<u>Land</u>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • <u>Purchase price; plus</u> • <u>Value created since acquisition from</u> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> - <u>zoning changes,</u> - <u>demolition,</u> - <u>infrastructure improvements,</u> - <u>parcel assembly over time, and</u> - <u>other subjective entitlements.</u> <p><u>Note: Valuation should be supported by recent land sale activity on a market and cash basis.</u></p>
<u>Hard Costs</u>	<p><u>Expenses for:</u></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • <u>items including</u> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> - <u>substructure,</u> - <u>shell,</u> - <u>interiors,</u> - <u>construction services,</u> - <u>equipment, and</u> - <u>furnishings;</u> • <u>developer fee (8% maximum); and</u> • <u>general contractor fee (10% maximum).</u>



New Construction	
<u>Soft Costs</u>	<u>Fees for:</u> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • <u>appraisal, market studies, etc.;</u> • <u>professional services, including</u> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> - <u>architecture,</u> - <u>engineering,</u> - <u>consulting,</u> - <u>legal, and</u> - <u>accounting;</u> • <u>review, impact, and testing (i.e., surveys, feasibility, environmental, geotechnical);</u> • <u>building permits and utility access; and</u> • <u>any HUD and LIHTC processing.</u>
<u>Construction Financing Costs</u>	<u>Expenses for:</u> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • <u>construction loan financing, including</u> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> - <u>interest, and</u> - <u>origination fee;</u> • <u>construction period</u> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> - <u>real estate taxes,</u> - <u>insurance, and</u> - <u>utilities; and</u> • <u>Bond related fees.</u>
<u>HUD or LIHTC New Construction</u>	<u>Amount supported by the Cost Certification.</u>

Examples of factors that support cash out transactions include:

- retention by the Borrower of 10% or more hard equity in the Property;
- ownership of the Property for a period of time commensurate with the extent of cash-out proceeds;
- maintenance of the Property in good condition, or improvement of its condition, during the ownership period;
- improvement in the Property's NCF over the ownership period; and
- an increase in the Property's value over the ownership period due to an increase in NCF.



Cash Out Transaction Support	
Factor...	Should...
Cash Out Proceeds	Be commensurate with the length of the ownership period.
Property Condition	Have improved or been good over the ownership period.
Property NCF	Have improved over the ownership period.
Property Value	Have increased due to higher NCF over the ownership period.

Section 205

Rent-Stabilized Properties

➔ Guidance

For Rent-Stabilized Properties (e.g., located in New York State), you should:

- underwrite Property income based on current rents;
- exclude any potential rent increase for units converting to market rate from the projected NCF in the refinance risk analysis;
- assess and stress the cap rate used to determine the Underwriting Value, and consider obtaining an Appraisal before Rate Lock;
- for fund Sponsors or other Sponsors requiring minimum investment returns, consider whether the Sponsor's interests are aligned with the limited rent increases allowed under the law; and
- fund the Replacement Reserve to maintain the Property's physical condition.



Chapter 1 Student Housing Properties

Section 101 Description

101.01 Student Housing Property

Requirements

- A **Student Housing Property** is a multifamily rental property in which 40% or more, but less than 80%, of the units are leased to undergraduate or graduate students.
- A student with sufficient income to pay rent does not count toward the student unit concentration required for a **Student Housing Property**.

101.02 Dedicated Student Housing Property

Requirements

A **Dedicated Student Housing Property** is a multifamily rental property in which 80% or more of the units are leased to undergraduate or graduate students.

Guidance

A **Dedicated Student Housing Property** typically:

- caters to a student population due to its location;
- was specifically constructed as a student property or, although built as conventional multifamily housing, is now leased primarily to students; or
- is not readily rentable as conventional multifamily housing.

Section 102 Generally

Guidance

When underwriting a **Student Housing Property** or **Dedicated Student Housing Property**, you should consider the following questions:

- What percentage of units are leased to graduate students versus undergraduate students?



- Has the ratio of student to non-student tenants changed over the past several years?
- Is the **Property** marketable to non-student tenants, given the size, mix, and quality of the units?
- What is the rent structure? For example, are rents charged on a by unit basis or by bed basis?
- Who are the parties to the lease agreements? For example, are they typically signed by 1 tenant or all tenants, and/or co-signed by parents?
- What is the typical lease term?
- What is the enrollment outlook at the college/university?
- What is the student composition (i.e., full-time versus part-time) at the college/university?
- What are the current and forecasted supply and demand for student housing at the college/university? Will there be any college/university-sponsored construction?
- What is the **Key Principal's** experience with operating **Student Housing Properties** and **Dedicated Student Housing Properties**?
- What is the **Property's** proximity to campus? Can students walk to class and other campus locations?
- Is the **Property** conveniently located to a college/university-sponsored transportation line?
- Is the **Property** subject to a **Ground Lease**? If so, what are the structure and terms of the **Ground Lease**?

Requirements

If a **Student Housing Property** or **Dedicated Student Housing Property** is subject to a master lease, you must complete the Master Lease Review Checklist (**Form 6480**).

Section 103

Dedicated Student Housing Property

103.01 Eligible Property Characteristics

Requirements

You must ensure that a **Dedicated Student Housing Property**:



- caters to a campus with at least 10,000 students, the majority of whom are full-time students;
- is
 - located within 2 miles of a campus boundary line, as determined by the local municipality, or
 - near a college/university-sponsored transportation line; and
- has operated for at least 1 full school year (i.e., August/September through April/May).

Guidance

The [Dedicated Student Housing Property](#) should have stabilized occupancy no later than the month preceding the start of the first semester/quarter of the second full school year.

103.02 Ineligible Property Characteristics

Requirements

Fannie Mae will not purchase any [Mortgage Loan](#) secured by a [Dedicated Student Housing Property](#) that offers food service.

103.03 Residential Leases

Requirements

You must ensure that at least 80% of the units in a [Dedicated Student Housing Property](#) are leased for a minimum term of 12 months.

Guidance

Each student lease agreement should have

- a parental guarantee of the rent, or
- student tenants with sufficient income or other documented financial means to pay the rent.

103.04 Properties on College/University Land

Requirements



You must ensure that a **Dedicated Student Housing Property** located on college/university land meets the following:

- the **Borrower** has control over all economic decisions affecting the **Property** (such as financing, leasing, and management);
- the **Key Principal**
 - has at least 5 years of operating experience with **Dedicated Student Housing**, and
 - operates at least 1 other **Dedicated Student Housing Property** located on college/university land; and
- any **Ground Lease** complies with **Part II, Chapter 1: Attributes and Characteristics, Section 104: Ground Leased Properties**.

103.05 Additional Underwriting Documentation

Requirements

Your underwriting must include the following:

- name of the college/university and its current total enrollment;
- current enrollment percentages of full-time graduate and undergraduate students;
- location of the **Property** relative to the campus;
- whether the **Property** is part of the college/university's housing referral program;
- details of the **Property's** amenity package;
- whether the **Property** is convenient to a college/university-sponsored transportation line;
- detailed description of the related rental housing market, including
 - the amount of on-campus rental housing space occupied or available, and
 - any future on- or off-campus rental housing planned or under construction;
- percentage of the **Property's** units pre-leased for the semester/quarter;
- percentage of the **Property's** tenants who are students;
- percentage of the **Property's** leases that have a term of less than 12-



months;

- whether the **Property** is subject to a **Ground Lease** or master lease and, if so, the structure and terms of the lease; and
- whether parental guaranties are required for leases at the **Property**.

Section 104

Underwritten NCF

Requirements

You must use the following table to calculate **Underwritten NCF** for **Student Housing Properties** and **Dedicated Student Housing Properties**.

For **Dedicated Student Housing Properties**, Fannie Mae will permit “by-the-bed” income and valuation for units occupied by students if the

- **Property** has at least 2 years of operating statements using that method, and
- rental rates are comparable to similar **Student Housing Properties**.

REQUIRED UNDERWRITTEN NCF (STUDENT OR DEDICATED STUDENT HOUSING PROPERTY)		
Item	Function	Description
CALCULATION OF NET RENTAL INCOME		
1		<p>GROSS RENTAL INCOME (GRI) – market rents for vacant units based on a current rent roll (multiplied by 12), plus:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • for a Student Housing Property – the lower of <ul style="list-style-type: none"> - actual rents in place for occupied units on a per unit basis, or - market rents that would be available if the Property was not leased to students; and • for a Dedicated Student Housing Property – the lower of <ul style="list-style-type: none"> - actual rents in place for occupied units on a per unit or “by the bed” basis, or - market rents for comparable Dedicated Student Housing Properties.



2	PLUS	To the extent deducted as an operating expense, rents for other non-revenue units (e.g., model units deducted in the “model apartment” operating expense in the “general and administrative” category, or actual rent from employee units deducted in the “employee” operating expense in the “payroll and benefits” category).
	EQUALS	GROSS POTENTIAL RENT (GPR)
3	MINUS	Premiums (e.g., identifiable additional income from furnished units or short term leases) and/or corporate premiums (e.g., identifiable additional income from corporate units, housekeeping services, etc.).
4	MINUS	Physical vacancy – market rents for vacant units based on a current rent roll (multiplied by 12). ¹
5	MINUS	Concessions - the aggregate amount of forgone residential rental income resulting from incentives granted to tenants for signing leases, such as free rent for 1 or more months, move-in allowance, etc. ¹
6	MINUS	Bad debt - the aggregate amount of unpaid rental income determined to be uncollectable: include , including any adjustments to other income for bad debt. ¹
	EQUALS	NET RENTAL INCOME (NRI)
<p>1 The total of Items 4, 5, and 6 must equal or exceed the greater of</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • the difference between the trailing 12-month net rental collections (annualized) and GPR, or • 5% of GPR. <p>If trailing 12-month NRI is not available, use a minimum 10% of GPR.</p>		
CALCULATION OF OTHER INCOME		



7	PLUS	<p>Actual other income (except premiums and corporate premiums) generated through ongoing operations. The income must:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • be stable; • be common in the market; • exclude one-time extraordinary non-recurring items; and • be supported by prior years. <p>You must assess the individual <u>monthly month's</u> other income within the prior full year operating statement or, at a minimum, an operating statement covering at least the trailing 6 months (annualized). If there are fluctuations, you may use other income that exceeds the trailing 3-month other income (annualized), <u>as long as provided</u> it does not exceed the highest 1-month other income used in the trailing 3-month other income calculation.</p>
CALCULATION OF COMMERCIAL INCOME		
8	PLUS	<p>Actual income from <u>leased and occupied commercial space</u> (and parking revenue for commercial spaces, if applicable) <u>per Part II, Chapter 1: Attributes and Characteristics, Section 108: Commercial Leases.</u></p>
9	MINUS	<p>10% of the actual commercial <u>space</u> income.²</p>
<u>10</u>	<u>PLUS</u>	<p><u>Commercial parking income (e.g., public parking) that does not exceed actual trailing 12-month collections.</u>²</p>
<p>² If net commercial income is greater than 20% of EGI, then reduce to 20% of EGI.</p>		



10	PLUS	<p>Premiums³, provided that the income must:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • be stable or increasing; • be typical (in type and amount) in the market; • be supported by prior years; and • not exceed the income generated over the most recent year or trailing 12-month period.
11	PLUS	<p>Corporate premiumsPremiums³, provided that thisthe income must:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • not be included for more than 10% of the Property's units; • be stable or increasing; • be typical (in type and amount) in the market; • be supported by prior years; and • not exceed the income generated over the most recent year or trailing 12-month period.
12	PLUS	<p>Corporate premiums³, provided that this income must:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • not be included for more than 10% of the Property's units; • be stable or increasing; • be typical (in type and amount) in the market; • be supported by prior years; and • not exceed the income generated over the most recent year or trailing 12-month period.
1213	PLUS	Laundry and vending, parking, and all other income per Part II, Chapter 2: Valuation and Income, Section 202: Income Analysis.
	EQUALS	EFFECTIVE GROSS INCOME (EGI)

³ Premium or corporate premium income cannot exceed 3% of GRI.

CALCULATION OF OPERATING EXPENSES



13	MINUS	<p>Line-by-line stabilized operating expenses. Stabilized operating expenses are the expenses during normal ongoing Property operations, not affected by a lease-up, rehabilitation, or other short-term positive or negative factors. Non-recurring, extraordinary operating expenses must not be included.</p> <p>You must assess:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none">• past operating history;• the appraiser's expense analysis;• all information available to you (including Property contracts, utility bills, real estate tax assessments, insurance policies, and comparable assets); and• the Borrower's budget (in the case of an acquisition). <p>You must analyze historical operations at the Property and apply an appropriate increase over the prior year's operations in determining an estimate.</p>
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14	MINUS	<p><u>Line-by-line stabilized operating expenses. Stabilized operating expenses are the expenses during normal ongoing Property management fee equal to the greatest of operations, not affected by a</u></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none">• <u>lease-up,</u>• <u>rehabilitation, or</u>• <u>other short-term positive or negative factors.</u> <p><u>Non-recurring, extraordinary expenses must not be included.</u></p> <p><u>You must assess:</u></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none">• <u>4% of EGI;</u>• <u>actual property management fee (exclude any portion of a non-arm's length property management fee that is subordinated to the Mortgage Loan); or</u>• <u>market property management fee.</u>• <u>past operating history;</u>• <u>the appraiser's expense analysis;</u>• <u>all information available to you (including Property contracts, utility bills, real estate tax assessments, insurance policies, and comparable assets); and</u>• <u>the Borrower's budget (in the case of an acquisition).</u> <p><u>You must:</u></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none">• <u>analyze historical operations at the Property; and</u>• <u>apply an appropriate increase over the prior year's operations in determining an estimate.</u>
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15	MINUS	<p>Real estate taxes based on <u>Property management fee equal to</u> the greatest of:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none">• actual future tax bill(s) covering a full calendar year;• prior full year's taxes multiplied by 103% (the 3% trending is not required for trailing 12-month or year-to-date annualized expenses); or• in California, the greater of the <u>Mortgage Loan</u> amount or assessed value, multiplied by the millage rate, plus any special assessments.• <u>4% of EGI</u>;• <u>actual property management fee (exclude any portion of a non-arm's length property management fee that is subordinated to the Mortgage Loan)</u>; or• <u>market property management fee.</u> <p>You must consider any automatic tax reassessment upon acquisition in the next 12-month period.</p>
<u>16</u>	<u>MINUS</u>	<u>Real estate taxes per Item 17(b) in Part II, Chapter 2: Valuation and Income, Section 202.01: Underwritten Net Cash Flow (Underwritten NCF).</u>
<u>1617</u>	MINUS	<p>Insurance equal to:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none">• the quoted expense, for insurance policies with a bona fide written quote from a reputable broker for a new 12-month policy; or• 110% of the current expense, for insurance policies with a remaining term less than 6 months.



17	MINUS	Utilities, water and sewer, repairs and maintenance, payroll and benefits, advertising and marketing, professional fees, general and administrative, ground rent, and all other expenses per Part II, Chapter 2: Valuation and Income, Section 202: Income Analysis.
	EQUALS	UNDERWRITTEN NET OPERATING INCOME (UNDERWRITTEN NOI)
18	MINUS	Replacement Reserve expense Utilities, water and sewer, repairs and maintenance, payroll and benefits, advertising and marketing, professional fees, general and administrative, ground rent, and all other expenses per Part III, Chapter 1: Student Housing Properties, Section 105: Replacement Reserve Part II, Chapter 2: Valuation and Income, Section 202: Income Analysis.
	EQUALS	UNDERWRITTEN NET OPERATING INCOME (UNDERWRITTEN NOI)
19	MINUS	Replacement Reserve expense per Part III, Chapter 1: Student Housing Properties, Section 105: Replacement Reserve.
	EQUALS	UNDERWRITTEN NCF

Section 105 Replacement Reserve

105.01 Determining Replacement Reserve

Requirements

The minimum Replacement Reserve amount must equal the greater of

- the amount calculated per Part II, Chapter 4: Inspections and Reserves, Section 404: Replacement Reserve, or
- \$250 per unit per year.



105.02 Replacement Reserve Funding

Requirements

You must ensure full funding of the [Replacement Reserve](#).



Chapter 5 Seniors Housing Properties

Section 501 Generally

501.01 Description

Requirements

A [Seniors Housing Property](#) is a multifamily residential rental property with [Independent Living](#), [Assisted Living](#), [Alzheimer's/Dementia Care](#), or [Skilled Nursing](#) units.

501.02 Eligible Lenders

Requirements

You must be approved in writing to [Deliver Seniors Housing Mortgage Loans](#).

501.03 Key Principal/Sponsor Experience

Requirements

You must ensure that the [Key Principal](#) or [Sponsor](#) has owned or operated [Seniors Housing Properties](#) of commensurate type, size, and service level as the [Property](#).

Section 502 Eligible Properties

502.01 Eligible Properties

Requirements

You must ensure that a [Seniors Housing Property](#) has the following design features:

- convenience features for the elderly in all units, such as grab bars in the bathrooms and emergency pull-cords or equivalent safety items;
- a fully operational sprinkler system throughout each level of each building (including all units and common areas), regardless of local building code or other governmental requirements;
- a commercial kitchen for preparing meals for residents;
- kitchens or kitchenettes containing a refrigerator, microwave or comparable cooking element, and sink in each [Independent Living](#)



unit, and also in, each Assisted Living unit if consistent with the market; and

- bathrooms in each Independent Living and Assisted Living unit.

502.02 Ineligible Properties

Requirements

Fannie Mae will not purchase any Mortgage Loan secured by a Seniors Housing Property:

- comprised of only Skilled Nursing units;
- that does not meet the Skilled Nursing NCF Test per Part III, Chapter 5: Seniors Housing Properties, Section 504.02: Skilled Nursing NCF Test; or
- if the original Seniors Housing Mortgage Loan UPB exceeds 100% of the portion of the Appraised Value
 - attributed to land and all Improvements, but
 - excluding any portion attributed to goodwill, business value, intangibles, and/or furniture, fixtures, and equipment.

Section 503

Continuing Care Retirement Communities (CCRCs)

Requirements

You must ensure that a CCRC has:

- had at least 90% physical occupancy for each of the past 5 fiscal years;
- debt service reserves equal to at least 1 year of P&I; and
- a DSCR of at least 1.00 based on annualized rent collections and operating expenses, excluding net entrance fees.

For any CCRC with an entrance fee, your underwriting must include a summary and analysis of the following:

- actuarial report (including a copy of the report);
- range and weighted average of entrance fees offered at the Property, which must be within the range of median home values in the local



market;

- entrance fee refund plans (for example, full, partial, declining, non-refundable);
- required entrance fee reserve;
- whether the entrance fee reserve can be assigned as collateral for the [Mortgage Loan](#);
- net entrance fee income (collections minus refunds) for the past 5 years;
- sufficiency of the entrance fee reserve;
- market analysis of entrance fees;
- underwritten net entrance fee income;
- historical annual resident turnover;
- required operating reserves;
- whether the operating reserves can be assigned as collateral for the [Mortgage Loan](#);
- identity of all governmental authorities that license the [Property](#) and [Seniors Housing Operator](#); and
- status of each required license.

Section 504 Seniors Housing Property Income

504.01 Underwritten NCF

Requirements

You must use the following table to calculate [Underwritten NCF](#) for [Seniors Housing Properties](#).

REQUIRED UNDERWRITTEN NCF (SENIORS HOUSING PROPERTY)		
Item	Function	Description
CALCULATION OF NET RENTAL INCOME		



1		GROSS RENTAL INCOME — actual rents per Item 1 in place for occupied units, plus market rents for vacant units based on a current rent roll (multiplied by 12) Part II, Chapter 2: Valuation and Income, Section 202.01: Underwritten Net Cash Flow (Underwritten NCF).
2	PLUS	Medicaid income (does not include Medicare, which is included in Skilled Nursing income).
3	PLUS	Skilled Nursing income – actual trailing 12-month collections for Skilled Nursing units (if 12-month collections are not available, then actual trailing 6-month collections (annualized)). ¹
4	PLUS	To the extent deducted as an operating expense, rents for other non-revenue units (e.g., model units deducted in the “model apartment” operating expense in the “general and administrative” category, or actual rent from employee units deducted in the “employee” operating expense in the “payroll and benefits” category).
	EQUALS	GROSS POTENTIAL RENT (GPR)
5	MINUS	Physical vacancy – market rents for vacant units based on a current rent roll (multiplied by 12). ²
6	MINUS	Concessions – the aggregate amount of forgone residential rental income resulting from incentives granted to tenants for signing leases, such as free rent for 1 or more months, move-in allowance, etc. ²
7	MINUS	Bad debt – the aggregate amount of unpaid rental income determined to be uncollectable: include, including any adjustments to other income for bad debt. ²
	EQUALS	NET RENTAL INCOME (NRI) ¹



1 Skilled Nursing income must not be grossed up to 100% before the 20% deduction is applied. An additional 20% is taken off the Skilled Nursing income.

2 The total of Items 5, 6, and 7 must equal the greater of:

- the difference between the trailing 3-month net rental collections (annualized) and the GPR; or
- the following percentages:
 - Independent Living: if the percentage of Independent Living units is greater than 50%, then use 5% of GPR.
 - Assisted Living (60 total units or more): if the percentage of Assisted Living units or the combined percentage of Assisted Living and Alzheimer's/Dementia Care units is 50% or greater, then use 5% of GPR.
 - Assisted Living (less than 60 total units): if the percentage of Assisted Living units or the combined percentage of Assisted Living and Alzheimer's/Dementia Care units is 50% or greater, then use 10% of GPR.
 - Alzheimer's/Dementia Care: if the percentage of Alzheimer's/Dementia Care units is 100%, then use 10% of GPR.
 - Skilled Nursing units: use 20% of collections based on the trailing period used in determining Skilled Nursing income in Item 3.

You must determine if NRI declined per [Part II, Chapter 2: Valuation and Income, Section 202: Income Analysis](#) and adjust Underwritten NRI as required.

CALCULATION OF ASSISTED LIVING SERVICE INCOME AND OTHER INCOME

8	PLUS	Trailing 12-month nursing/medical income (includes Assisted Living service income).
9	PLUS	Trailing 12-month ancillary income attributable to Skilled Nursing units, if applicable.
10	PLUS	Trailing 12-month other income for second resident fees, meals, tray service, laundry, special transportation, community fees, parking revenue, and any other income.

CALCULATION OF NET ENTRANCE FEE INCOME

11	PLUS	Net entrance fee income associated with CCRCs – resident entrance fee collections minus entrance fee refunds, but not more than the annualized average of the trailing 60-months of net entrance fee income.
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CALCULATION OF COMMERCIAL INCOME



12	PLUS	Actual income from <u>leased and occupied commercial space (and parking revenue for commercial spaces, if applicable)</u> per <u>Part II, Chapter 1: Attributes and Characteristics, Section 108: Commercial Leases</u> .
13	MINUS	10% of the actual commercial <u>space</u> income. ³
<u>14</u>	<u>PLUS</u>	<u>Commercial parking income (e.g., public parking) that does not exceed actual trailing 12-month collections.</u> ³
	EQUALS	EFFECTIVE GROSS INCOME (EGI)

³ If net commercial income is greater than 20% of EGI, then reduce to 20% of EGI.

CALCULATION OF OPERATING EXPENSES

<u>14</u>	<u>MINUS</u>	<p><u>Line-by-line stabilized operating expenses. Stabilized operating expenses are the expenses during normal ongoing <u>Property</u> operations, not affected by a lease-up, rehabilitation, or other short-term positive or negative factors. Non-recurring, extraordinary operating expenses must not be included.</u></p> <p><u>You must assess:</u></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <u>past operating history;</u> <u>the appraiser's expense analysis;</u> <u>all information available to you (including <u>Property</u> contracts, utility bills, real estate tax assessments, insurance policies, and comparable assets); and</u> <u>the <u>Borrower's</u> budget (in the case of an acquisition).</u> <p><u>You must analyze historical operations at the <u>Property</u> and apply an appropriate increase over the prior year's operations in determining an estimate.</u></p>
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15	MINUS	<p><u>Line-by-line stabilized operating expenses.</u> <u>Stabilized operating expenses are the expenses during normal ongoing Property management fee equal to the greatest of operations, not affected by a</u></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none">• <u>lease-up,</u>• <u>rehabilitation, or</u>• <u>other short-term positive or negative factors.</u> <p><u>Non-recurring, extraordinary operating expenses must not be included.</u> <u>You must assess:</u></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none">• <u>5% of EGI;</u>• <u>actual property management fee (exclude any portion of a non-arm's-length property management fee that is subordinated to the Mortgage Loan); or</u>• <u>market property management fee.</u>• <u>past operating history;</u>• <u>the appraiser's expense analysis;</u>• <u>all information available to you (including Property contracts, utility bills, real estate tax assessments, insurance policies, and comparable assets); and</u>• <u>the Borrower's budget (in the case of an acquisition).</u> <p><u>You must:</u></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none">• <u>analyze historical operations at the Property;</u> <u>and</u>• <u>apply an appropriate increase over the prior year's operations in determining an estimate.</u>
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16	MINUS	<p>Real estate taxes based on Property management fee equal to the greatest of:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none">• actual future tax bill(s) covering a full calendar year;• prior full year's taxes multiplied by 103% (the 3% trending is not required for trailing 12-month or year to date annualized expenses); or• in California, the greater of the Mortgage Loan amount or the assessed value, multiplied by the millage rate, plus any special assessments. <ul style="list-style-type: none">• 5% of EGI;• actual property management fee (exclude any portion of a non-arm's-length property management fee that is subordinated to the Mortgage Loan); or• market property management fee. <p>You must consider any automatic tax reassessment upon acquisition in the next 12-month period.</p> <p>If the Property has real estate tax abatements, exemptions, or deferrals, they must:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none">• be in effect at closing, per written documentation from the state or local tax assessor; and• survive a foreclosure on the Mortgage Loan such that Fannie Mae or a subsequent owner will retain the abatement, exemption, or deferral benefit (i.e., it is tied to the Property and not the owner).
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<p>1617 continued</p>	<p>MINUS</p>	<p>If the timeframe for the real estate tax abatement, exemption, or deferral is shorter than the Mortgage Loan term, you must consider</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • a Bifurcated Mortgage Loan structure (i.e., 2 notes secured by a single first Lien Security Instrument), • an amortization schedule that accommodates the elimination of the abatement, or • providing clear justification and support in the refinance analysis. <p>If the Property is located in New York City and subject to the J-51 Tax Incentive Program where the Borrower is a Borrower under Part II, Chapter 2: Valuation and Income, Section 202.01: Underwritten Net Cash Flow (Underwritten NCF) has decontrolled rent-stabilized units (a Decontrol Event), you must adjust the current rents to reflect no rent decontrol benefits:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Calculate the base rent as the rent amount per unit before the Decontrol Event date. • Use the base rent for each applicable unit to determine the Gross Rental Income. • Increase the base rent by the appropriate percentage allowed under New York City Rent Stabilization laws per annum through the present rent roll date.
<p>1718</p>	<p>MINUS</p>	<p>Insurance equal to:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • the quoted expense, for insurance policies with a bona fide written quote from a reputable broker for a new 12-month policy; or • 110% of the current expense, for insurance policies with a remaining term less than 6 months.
<p>18</p>	<p>MINUS</p>	<p>Room expense — housekeeping, if applicable.</p>
<p>19</p>	<p>MINUS</p>	<p>Meals Room expense — housekeeping, if applicable.</p>
<p>20</p>	<p>MINUS</p>	<p>Meals expense, if applicable.</p>



2021	MINUS	Utilities, water and sewer, repairs and maintenance, payroll and benefits, advertising and marketing, professional fees, general and administrative, ground rent, and all other expenses per Part II, Chapter 2: Valuation and Income, Section 202: Income Analysis.
	EQUALS	UNDERWRITTEN NET OPERATING INCOME (UNDERWRITTEN NOI)
2122	MINUS	Replacement Reserve expense per Part III, Chapter 5: Seniors Housing Properties, Section 505: Replacement Reserve.
	EQUALS	UNDERWRITTEN NCF

504.02 Skilled Nursing NCF Test

Requirements

Fannie Mae will not purchase any Mortgage Loan if the Skilled Nursing NCF is more than 20% of the Property's NCF.

You must:

- Calculate the Skilled Nursing NCF at underwriting to determine if the Property will meet this Skilled Nursing NCF test.
- Retest all Properties with Skilled Nursing units annually after closing to ensure compliance.
- Contact the Fannie Mae Deal Team to ensure the Loan Documents for any transaction with Skilled Nursing units include appropriate modifications.

The Skilled Nursing NCF test is a Property-specific test. You must separately test a Property with Skilled Nursing units, if the Mortgage Loan is

- secured by multiple Properties, or
- cross-defaulted or cross-collateralized with another Mortgage Loan.

You must use the following table to calculate the Skilled Nursing NCF.



REQUIRED SKILLED NURSING NCF AND PERCENTAGE (SENIORS HOUSING PROPERTY)		
Item	Function	Description
SKILLED NURSING EFFECTIVE GROSS INCOME		
1		SKILLED NURSING INCOME – actual trailing 12-month collections for Skilled Nursing units (if 12-month collections are not available, then actual trailing 6-month collections (annualized)).
2	MINUS	20% of collections based on the trailing period used in determining the Skilled Nursing income.
3	PLUS	Ancillary income attributable to Skilled Nursing units.
	EQUALS	SKILLED NURSING EFFECTIVE GROSS INCOME (EGI)
SKILLED NURSING EXPENSES		
4	MINUS	Fixed expenses – greater of actual or allocated fixed expenses (e.g., real estate taxes, liability insurance, etc.) for Skilled Nursing units.
5	MINUS	Variable operating expenses for Skilled Nursing units.
	EQUALS	SKILLED NURSING NCF
6	DIVIDED BY	Underwritten NCF per Part III, Chapter 5: Seniors Housing Properties, Section 504.01: Underwritten NCF.
	EQUALS	SKILLED NURSING NCF PERCENTAGE

504.03 Operating Lease Ratios

Requirements



If the Seniors Housing Operator

- does not have any direct or indirect ownership interest in the Borrower or the Key Principal, or
- is not a Person Controlled by, under common Control with, or which Controls, the Borrower or Key Principal, then you must ensure that the Property meets the following ratios:

Ratios	Requirements
Operating Lease Coverage Ratio	<p>The minimum underwriting ratios for Underwritten NCF to current year operating lease payments are:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none">• 1.10 for Seniors Housing Properties where more than 50% of the units are Independent Living units; and• 1.15 for Seniors Housing Properties where 50% or more of the units are Assisted Living, Alzheimer's/Dementia Care, or Skilled Nursing units.
Operating Lease Payment to Debt Service Payment Ratio	<p>The minimum underwriting ratios of the current year operating lease payments to the underwritten fixed rate debt service payments are:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none">• 1.15 for Seniors Housing Properties where more than 50% of the units are Independent Living units; and• 1.20 for Seniors Housing Properties where 50% or more of the units are Assisted Living, Alzheimer's/Dementia Care, or Skilled Nursing units.

504.04 Operating Lease Analysis

Requirements

Before finalizing the Loan Documents, you must:

- Obtain a copy of each management agreement, operating lease,



master lease, and sublease including all exhibits and amendments.

- Upload into [DUS Gateway](#) a completed Seniors Housing Operating Lease Review Checklist (Form 6487.SRS) that analyzes the
 - underwriting and legal aspects of each lease and its impact on the operations of the [Property](#), and
 - obligations of the [Borrower](#), each [Guarantor](#), and the Seniors Housing Operator under the [Loan Documents](#).

Section 505 Replacement Reserve

Requirements

The minimum [Replacement Reserve](#) amount must equal the greatest of:

- the amount calculated per [Part II, Chapter 4: Inspections and Reserves, Section 404: Replacement Reserve](#);
- \$300 per unit per year for a [Property](#) with no [Skilled Nursing](#) units; or
- \$450 per unit per year for a [Property](#) with any [Skilled Nursing](#) units.

Section 506 Medicaid Funds

506.01 Dependency and Medicaid Transition Reserve

Requirements

You must analyze the [EGI](#) to determine the percentage derived from payments under a Medicaid provider agreement with a government authority or managed care organization ([Medicaid Funds](#)).

Operating Procedures

If more than 20% of the [EGI](#) is derived from [Medicaid Funds](#), Fannie Mae may require that you

- establish a Medicaid transition reserve account, and/or
- enter into an account control agreement with the [Borrower](#).

If Fannie Mae requires a Medicaid transition reserve, you must:



- determine the appropriate amount of the reserve by considering the
 - reimbursement rates of the government authority or managed care organization, and
 - percentage of Medicaid-supported residents at the [Property](#);
- ensure that the [Borrower](#) sufficiently funds the reserve; and
- use the Modifications to Multifamily Loan and Security Agreement (Medicaid Transition Reserve) ([Form 6237.SRS](#)) and Modifications to Multifamily Loan and Security Agreement – Addenda to Schedule 2 – Summary of Loan Terms (Medicaid Transition Reserve) ([Form 6102.21.SRS](#)).

If Fannie Mae requires an account control agreement, you must

- require the [Borrower](#) to deposit the [Medicaid Funds](#) into a controlled account,
- include in the agreement an acknowledgement of Fannie Mae's first [Lien](#) on, and control over, the [Medicaid Funds](#), and
- obtain Fannie Mae's approval if you elect not to use Fannie Mae's form.

506.02 State Medicaid

Requirements

The [Property](#) must be located in a state that has a

- Medicaid waiver in place, or
- Medicaid plan that allows for the payment of services and housing costs from [Medicaid Funds](#).

You must document the Medicaid waiver or plan and demonstrate that it allows for the payment of services performed, and housing costs incurred, at the [Property](#).

Section 507 Consultant Reports

507.01 Management, Operations, and Regulatory Compliance

Requirements

You must engage a third-party professional to analyze the [Property's](#)



management, operations, and regulatory compliance.

The third-party professional you select must have:

- been in good standing for the past 5 years as a licensed administrator, licensed practical nurse, or registered nurse; and
- at least 5 years of experience with
 - the operation of [Seniors Housing Properties](#), and
 - regulatory matters affecting [Seniors Housing Properties](#).

You must assess and summarize the information presented and conclusions reached by the third-party professional.

507.02 Management and Operations Reports

Requirements

You must obtain management and operations reports for the [Property](#) that assess:

- competency, performance, and experience of management at the corporate, regional, and [Property](#) levels;
- qualifications of key personnel,
 - noting their experience and length of time in current positions at the [Property](#), and
 - including copies of available resumes;
- hiring and screening practices and personnel policies (such as employee handbooks, orientation materials, initial and in-service training materials, available resources);
- staffing levels, composition, and qualifications;
- risk management policies and procedures, including an analysis of the backgrounds of individuals employed to handle insurance and risk management matters;
- policies and procedures supporting and aligning resident services;
- availability and use of home health services, including whether
 - home health services are available,
 - home health services are provided by the [Borrower](#), the [Seniors Housing Operator](#), an [Affiliate](#) of the [Borrower](#) or the operator, or a



third party, and

- the home services provider leases space at the [Property](#);
- policies and procedures for documenting residents' well-being (such as periodic resident assessments, tracking the general health condition of each resident, resident safety and evacuation plans);
- content of the admission application and the residency or lease agreement;
- resident turnover data;
- availability of replacements for the Seniors Housing Operator; and
- overall management and operations, including an analysis and detailed recommendations for any other matters material to the ownership, operation, or management of the [Property](#).

507.03 Regulatory Compliance Report

Requirements

You must obtain a Regulatory Compliance Report for all licensed [Seniors Housing Properties](#). The report must include the following information as of the date of the report:

- identity of all government authorities with jurisdiction over the [Property](#) and each authority's definition of the level of care permitted at the [Property](#);
- summary and copies of all government surveys conducted during the past 3 years, including
 - a summary and analysis of all deficiencies identified in the surveys,
 - the severity of these deficiencies, and
 - the correction plans for all deficiencies, whether corrected or outstanding;
- summary and analysis of all enforcement actions during the past 3 years resulting from a state survey inspection (such as a probationary license or ban on admissions), together with a summary and analysis of any remedial plan of action;
- photocopies of all regulatory permits, licenses, and certificates;
- state staffing requirements;



- summary of the status of any federal, state, or local proposed regulations (or amendments to existing regulations) that could affect the **Property** or any aspect of the **Seniors Housing** industry;
- summary of the regulatory and licensing procedures required to change **Property** ownership, any service provider, the authority to operate, or the management of the **Property**, and this summary must
 - identify the changes that require advance notice and/or prior approval from the relevant government authority, and
 - describe any advance notice requirements, such as timing, required recipients, and required notice content;
- if the **Borrower** or Seniors Housing Operator participates in
 - the state's Medicaid waiver program, or
 - another third-party subsidy program,
 - an assessment of the risk to the **Property's** operations if the program is discontinued;
- identification and analysis of any special insurance requirements of government authorities (such as workers compensation insurance or medical director professional liability insurance);
- copies of the sources and references used to complete this report; and
- overall assessment of regulatory matters affecting the **Property**, including an analysis and detailed recommendations for any other matters material to the ownership, operation, or management of the **Property**.



Chapter 6 Manufactured Housing Communities

Section 601 Description

Requirements

An **MH Community** is a residential real estate development with lots on which **Manufactured Homes** are located, together with amenities, utility services, landscaping, roads, and other infrastructure.

Section 602 Lender Eligibility

Requirements

You must be approved in writing to **Deliver MH Community Mortgage Loans**.

Section 603 Legal and Property Compliance

603.01 Borrower and the MH Community

603.01A Borrower Ownership

Requirements

If the **Borrower** is a non-profit entity, then you must ensure that each of the following complies with **Part I, Chapter 3: Borrower, Guarantor, Key Principals, and Principals**:

- the **Borrower**;
- **Key Principals**;
- **Guarantors**; and
- **Principals**.

Guidance

If the **Borrower** is a non-profit entity, you may reimburse the **Borrower** from the **Origination Fee** for up to a combined total of \$10,000 for the cost of any required **MH Community Mortgage Loan** third-party reports (e.g., **Appraisal, Environmental Site Assessment**).

Operating Procedures



Fannie Mae will reimburse the cost of any third-party report within 2 months after the delivery of the [Mortgage Loan](#). To receive reimbursement, you must:

- request an invoice from the vendor with the report cost listed as a separate line item from any ancillary charges (Fannie Mae will not reimburse other costs such as fees for expediting a report);
- within 1 month after the [Mortgage Loan Origination Date](#):
 - complete [Form 4829](#), detailing the [Lender's](#) information, the commitment number or loan number, [Property](#) information, wiring instructions, and listing the third-party cost as "Other" (note that any fields related to servicing may be left blank); and
 - manually sign or e-sign [Form 4829](#), scan or save it as a PDF file, and email the signed PDF [Form 4829](#) and the third-party report invoice to: mhc_report_reimbursement@fanniemae.com.

603.01B Collateral; Tenant-Occupied and Affiliate-Owned Homes

Requirements

The collateral for an [MH Community Mortgage Loan](#) consists of

- the [MH Community's](#) land and infrastructure,
- the rents for the [MH Sites](#), and
- any other [Borrower-owned](#) property used for the [MH Community](#).

The percentage of tenant-occupied [Manufactured Homes](#) must not exceed 35%. If the percentage of tenant-occupied [Manufactured Homes](#) is greater than 25%, then:

- the [Borrower's](#) business plan must reflect the conversion of tenant-occupied [Manufactured Homes](#) to owner-occupied over time; and
- on-going business related to the sale, financing, or rental of a [Manufactured Home](#) located on the [Property](#) must be performed by an [Affiliate](#).

If any [Affiliate-Owned Manufactured Homes](#) are leased to tenants by an [Affiliate](#) of either the [Borrower](#) or a [Key Principal](#), then:

- The [MH Site](#) lease must be at a market rate rent.
- If the tenant's rent payment includes both the rent for the [Affiliate-Owned Manufactured Home](#) and the rent for the [MH Site](#), then either:



- the check must be payable to and deposited by the **Borrower**, which must pay all required **P&I**, and escrows before remitting the rent payment to the **Affiliate**; or
- you must consider whether it is appropriate to require a lockbox arrangement with the **Borrower** and the **Affiliate**
 - into which all rent checks for the **Manufactured Homes** and **MH Sites** must be deposited, and
 - from which you can control the disbursement of funds for **P&I**, required escrows, and the **Manufactured Home** rentals, with the remainder disbursed to the **Borrower**.

603.01C MH Community

Requirements

An eligible **MH Community** must:

- have a minimum of 50 **MH Sites**;
- consist of contiguous parcels or, if the **MH Community** is made up of **Non-Contiguous Parcels**:
 - all parcels must be located within the same **MSA**; and
 - each separate parcel (individually), and all **Non-Contiguous Parcels** (together), must comply with the **Guide**; and
- achieve at least a Level 3 Quality Rating per the **Manufactured Housing Community Quality Rating Standards** table in **Part III, Chapter 6: Manufactured Housing Communities, Section 603.02: MH Community Score**.

An **MH Community** must be served by either

- public underground utilities, or
- private sewage treatment plants, septic systems, and private water wells which are:
 - common for the market;
 - owned by the **Borrower** or an **Affiliate**; and
 - in compliance with all applicable government requirements.



➔ Guidance

The **Mortgage Loan** may be secured by either an **Age-Restricted MH Community** or an **All-Age MH Community**.

You should consider the following:

- For an **MH Community** that is more than 25 years old, does the **Borrower** have a plan for placing new **Manufactured Homes** in the **MH Community** as **MH Sites** with older **Manufactured Homes** are vacated?
- Are the landscaping and entrance signage high quality and well maintained?
- For an **MH Community** served by a private sewage treatment plant, septic system, or a private water well, then:
 - Address the availability and cost of obtaining a backup source for water if the **MH Community** has a private water well.
 - Ensure that the operator of the facility, including its employees and contractors, meet all applicable government requirements to perform ongoing operation and maintenance.
 - If the operator is an employee of the **Borrower**, identify a local, qualified vendor that could be retained if substitute services are needed.
 - Exercise reasonable due diligence, including contacting municipal agencies, to confirm that
 - the **MH Community's** connection to a municipal system has not been mandated, and
 - no mandate is expected to occur during the term of the **Mortgage Loan**.
 - If hookup is imminent, determine if an escrow for the cost is appropriate.

603.02 MH Community Score

Requirements

You must determine the **MH Community Score** using the **MH Community Quality Rating Standards table**. The overall **MH Community Quality Rating** is based on the lowest rating for any 1 characteristic.

The **MH Community** must:



- meet a Level 3 Quality Rating; or
- achieve most of the minimum Quality Rating characteristics and either
 - the unsatisfactory characteristics are not materially detrimental to the performance, overall appearance, desirability, and quality of the MH Community, or
 - any failed characteristic must be remediated as a Completion/Repair item.

Manufactured Housing Community Quality Rating Standards			
Characteristic	Level 3 Quality Rating	Level 4 Quality Rating	Level 5 Quality Rating
	Minimum Standard	Minimum Standard applies (except as detailed)	Level 4 applies (except as detailed)
Streets	Paved Roads.	Same as Level 3.	Rolled curbs (if warranted by layout/drainage needs).



Manufactured Housing Community Quality Rating Standards			
Characteristic	Level 3 Quality Rating	Level 4 Quality Rating	Level 5 Quality Rating
	Minimum Standard	Minimum Standard applies (except as detailed)	Level 4 applies (except as detailed)
Home Sites	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Area under the Manufactured Homes consists of concrete, crushed rock, or dirt. • Entry to the Manufactured Homes is through a patio or porch. • Manufactured Homes are supported by stacks of hollow concrete block or steel pier systems along the main beams (with ground anchors and steel straps holding the frame against movement) that meet local and state requirements. 	Same as Level 3 with at least 60% of MH Sites having commercial grade porch/cabanas or patios.	Same as Level 3 with all MH Sites having commercial grade porch/cabanas or patios.



Manufactured Housing Community Quality Rating Standards			
Characteristic	Level 3 Quality Rating	Level 4 Quality Rating	Level 5 Quality Rating
	Minimum Standard	Minimum Standard applies (except as detailed)	Level 4 applies (except as detailed)
Site Size	Preference for 50% doublewide MH Sites, however you have delegated discretion on the percentage of doublewide sites as long as the MH Community is competitive with a clear market demand for singlewide MH Sites.	Same as Level 3.	Minimum 50% doublewide MH Sites.
Density	Density reflects the norm for the Property market. Generally, maximum density is 12 MH Sites per acre, however you have delegated discretion to determine the typical density in your market.	Density reflects the norm for the Property market. Generally, maximum density is 7 MH Sites per acre, or 10 MH Sites per acre if developed before 2000.	Same as Level 4.



Manufactured Housing Community Quality Rating Standards			
Characteristic	Level 3 Quality Rating	Level 4 Quality Rating	Level 5 Quality Rating
	Minimum Standard	Minimum Standard applies (except as detailed)	Level 4 applies (except as detailed)
Skirts/Hitches	100% of the Manufactured Homes are professionally skirted, with hitches covered or removed. You can meet this requirement through a Completion/Repair Agreement .	Same as Level 3.	All of the Manufactured Homes are professionally skirted, with hitches removed.
Parking	Minimum of 2 on- or off-street parking spaces per MH Site that are properly maintained, paved, concrete, or gravel (if common in the market). You have delegated discretion to determine compliance based on prevailing market conditions, subject to local ordinances.	Same as Level 3.	2 paved off-street parking spaces per MH Site .



Manufactured Housing Community Quality Rating Standards			
Characteristic	Level 3 Quality Rating	Level 4 Quality Rating	Level 5 Quality Rating
	Minimum Standard	Minimum Standard applies (except as detailed)	Level 4 applies (except as detailed)
Amenities	Not required, but amenity package should be competitive based on market comparables.	Competitive amenity package required.	High quality amenity package competitive with other high-quality MH Communities.

603.03 Code Standards

Requirements

You must determine if all Manufactured Homes in the MH Community meet the requirements of the Manufactured Home HUD Code.

Guidance

Fannie Mae may allow Manufactured Homes predating the Manufactured Home HUD Code if

- they are Borrower-owned Manufactured Homes or Affiliate-Owned Homes that comply with local codes with no identified life safety issues,
- the Borrower certifies, and the Loan Documents reflect that no additional Manufactured Homes predating the Manufactured Home HUD Code will be added to the MH Community during the term of the Mortgage Loan, and
- you document the number of Manufactured Homes predating the Manufactured Home HUD Code.

Fannie Mae may allow rental units that do not comply with the Manufactured Home HUD Code (e.g., certain park model recreational vehicles) if the rental income is included as commercial income in Part III, Chapter 6: Manufactured Housing Communities, Section 606:



Property Income and Underwritten NCF.

603.04 Flood Zone

603.04A Rising Water

Requirements

For an **MH Community** located in a flood zone with rising water (e.g., flood water that quickly dissipates and flood zone A or AE) you must ensure the **Borrower** notifies all **Homeowners** and all tenants of **Borrower-owned** or **Affiliate-Owned Homes** occupying an **MH Site** located in the flood zone before the **Mortgage Loan Origination Date**.

For Manufactured Homes located in a rising water flood zone...

If you

- do not know the base flood elevation for the flood zone (e.g., flood zone A), or
- know that the living floor levels are below the base flood elevation

Then:

- you must calculate the **Underwritten DSCR** excluding the site rent for **Manufactured Homes** with living floor levels within the flood zone; and
- if the resulting **Underwritten DSCR** decreases to more than 10 basis points below the minimum **Tier 2** standard, you cannot underwrite the site rent for those **Manufactured Homes**.

603.04B Moving Water

Requirements

For an **MH Community** located in a flood zone with the potential for flooding due to moving water (e.g., typically in flood zone A and AE and located next to a stream, river, etc.), you must ensure:

- your underwriting assumes that **MH Sites** located in the flood zone are considered non-income producing **MH Sites**; and
- the **Borrower** notifies all **Homeowners** and all tenants of **Borrower-owned** or **Affiliate-Owned Homes** occupying an **MH Site** located in the flood zone before the **Mortgage Loan Origination Date**.



603.05 Lease Terms

603.05A Master Leases

Requirements

You must ensure there are no master lease arrangements affecting any of the [MH Sites](#).

603.05B MH Site Leases

Requirements

[MH Site Leases](#) must

- be in writing, and
- not contain an option to purchase the [MH Site](#).

The [Borrower](#) must agree to implement the [Tenant Site Lease Protections](#) for all [MH Sites](#) by the end of the first loan year.

Operating Procedures

The [Tenant Site Lease Protections](#) may be incorporated

- by amending each [MH Site Lease](#); or
- within the [MH Community's](#) rules and regulations, if the [MH Site Lease](#) incorporates the rules and regulations by reference.

The [Multifamily Loan Agreement](#) must include a:

- covenant to implement the [Tenant Site Lease Protections](#) by the end of the first loan year;
- requirement that, if the [Tenant Site Lease Protections](#) were implemented within the [MH Community's](#) rules and regulations:
 - the rules and regulations are publicly posted; and
 - each lessee of an [MH Site Lease](#) receives written notice of the [Tenant Site Lease Protections](#); and
- [Borrower](#):
 - representation stating the percentage of [MH Site Leases](#) with the [Tenant Site Lease Protections](#);
 - covenant to continue the [Tenant Site Lease Protections](#) over the



entire [Mortgage Loan](#) term; and

- requirement to annually submit to you a:
 - certified copy of the [MH Community's](#) current Rules and Regulations;
 - certified copy of the notice sent to all [MH Site Lease](#) tenants if the [Tenant Site Lease Protections](#) were implemented by the Rules and Regulations;
 - certified copy of the current form of Residential Leases for [MH Sites](#);
 - copy of any requested [MH Site Leases](#); and
 - certification of the percentage of [MH Site Leases](#) with the [Tenant Site Lease Protections](#).

➔ Guidance

You may reimburse the [Borrower](#) from the [Origination Fee](#) for up to a combined total of \$10,000 for the cost of any required third-party reports if the [Borrower](#) implements the [Tenant Site Lease Protections](#) for all owner-occupied [MH Sites](#).

✦ Operating Procedures

Fannie Mae will reimburse the cost of any third-party report within 2 months after the delivery of the [Mortgage Loan](#). To receive reimbursement, you must:

- request an invoice from the vendor with the report cost listed as a separate line item from any ancillary charges (Fannie Mae will not reimburse other costs such as fees for expediting a report); and
- within 1 month after the [Mortgage Loan Origination Date](#):
 - complete [Form 4829](#), detailing the [Lender's](#) information, the commitment number or loan number, [Property](#) information, wiring instructions, and listing the third-party cost as "Other" (note that any fields related to servicing may be left blank); and
 - manually sign or e-sign [Form 4829](#), scan or save it as a PDF file, and email the signed PDF [Form 4829](#) and the third-party report invoice to mhc_report_reimbursement@fanniemae.com.



➔ Guidance

You may allow

- month-to-month lease terms,
- lease terms for up to 2 years, and
- lease terms longer than 2 years, but only if the lease provides for:
 - an annual rent increase sufficient to cover the current and/or projected Consumer Price Index (CPI);
 - the pass-through of real estate taxes over a base year;
 - the pass-through of any utilities provided by the Borrower; and
 - cannot result in the Manufactured Home on the MH Site being titled as real estate.

603.05C Loan Document Modification

Requirements

You must modify the Loan Documents to reflect the use of short-term or long-term leases.

Section 604 Property Insurance

Requirements

You must ensure that the security for an MH Community Mortgage Loan (per Part III, Chapter 6: Manufactured Housing Communities, Section 603.01B: Collateral; Tenant-Occupied and Affiliate-Owned Homes) complies with Part II, Chapter 5: Property and Liability Insurance.

Section 605 Survey

Requirements

If you obtain an acceptable as-built survey of the Property, it must comply with Part II, Chapter 3: Legal Compliance, Section 305: Survey.

➔ Guidance

You should ensure that the survey only shows the location or



dimensions of

- the individual MH Sites,
- any individual Manufactured Homes or recreational vehicles, and/or
- the related MH Site or recreational vehicle site, piers, and/or foundations, that constitute encroachments.

605.01 Public Roadways, Private Interior Roadways, and Drives

➔ Guidance

You should ensure that the survey accurately shows all public roadways.

For any private interior access roads, streets, drives, parking areas, visible utilities, and structures without foundations, the survey:

- does not need to show them accurately from field measurements, unless they constitute encroachments;
- should include a sketch showing their approximate location; and
- may locate them by photogrammetric or other approximate methods.

605.02 Setbacks

➔ Guidance

You should identify and show 2 different types of setbacks on the survey:

- setback restrictions shown in documents of record; and
- setbacks imposed by applicable zoning ordinances or building codes.

You should ensure that the survey:

- states that the zoning setbacks apply only to permanent buildings and not to the Manufactured Homes; and
- includes recorded references or citations to authority for the zoning setbacks, or gives the reason why this information is not available.

605.03 Encroachments



→ Guidance

You may show the following encroachments by a simple indicating mark (i.e., a distinctive mark or symbol identified in the legend), without indicating dimensions:

- nonpermanent outbuildings or other structures; and
- recreational vehicles that are not set upon a supporting foundation, MH Site, or pier.

Section 606

Property Income and Underwritten NCF

☑ Requirements

You must use the following table to calculate Underwritten NCF.

REQUIRED UNDERWRITTEN NCF (MANUFACTURED HOUSING COMMUNITY)		
Item	Function	Description
CALCULATION OF NET RENTAL INCOME		
1		GROSS RENTAL INCOME ¹ – actual MH Site rents in place where Manufactured Homes are installed under leases with residents in occupancy, plus market rents for vacant MH Sites and MH Sites with vacant Manufactured Homes based on a current rent roll (multiplied by 12).
2	PLUS	To the extent deducted as an operating expense, MH Site rents for other non-revenue MH Sites , such as: <ul style="list-style-type: none">• MH Sites with model Manufactured Homes deducted in the “model apartment” operating expense in the “general and administrative” category; and• actual MH Site rent from employee Manufactured Homes deducted in the “employee” operating expense in the “payroll and benefits” category.
	EQUALS	GROSS POTENTIAL RENT (GPR)



3	MINUS	Physical vacancy ² – <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • market rents for vacant MH Sites based on a current rent roll (multiplied by 12); and • net rental collections for occupied MH Sites where the Manufactured Home is vacant, and the MH Site rent is paid by the MH Community owner, prior occupants, or a third party (e.g., a retail creditor).
4	MINUS	Concessions – the aggregate amount of forgone residential rental income resulting from incentives granted to tenants for signing leases, such as free rent for 1 or more months, move-in allowance, etc. ²
5	MINUS	Bad debt – the aggregate amount of unpaid rental income determined to be uncollectable: include, <u>including</u> any adjustments to other income for bad debt. ²
	EQUALS	NET RENTAL INCOME (NRI) ^{3,4}

1 Includes the MH Site rent for any Affiliate-Owned Manufactured Home or Borrower-owned Manufactured Homes, but excludes the rent (or that portion of the rent) for the Manufactured Home.

2 The total of Items 3, 4, and 5 must equal the greater of

- the difference between the trailing 3-month net rental collections (annualized) and GPR, or
- 5% of GPR.

If a rent increase with verified actual collections was instituted within the trailing 3 months, then NRI may be calculated based on the trailing 1-month net rental collections (annualized).

3 If NRI is greater than the trailing 1-month of actual NRI (annualized), then reduce to actual NRI.

4 You must assess any decline in NRI per [Part II, Chapter 2: Valuation and Income, Section 202: Income Analysis](#), and adjust Underwritten NRI as required.

CALCULATION OF OTHER INCOME



6	PLUS	<p>Actual other income generated through ongoing operations. The income must:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • be stable; • be common in the market; • exclude one-time extraordinary non-recurring items; and • be supported by prior years. <p>You must assess the individual month <u>month's</u> other income within the prior full-year operating statement or, at a minimum, an operating statement covering at least the trailing 6 months (annualized).</p> <p>If there are fluctuations, you may use other income that exceeds the trailing 3-month other income (annualized), as long as <u>provided</u> it does not exceed the highest 1-month other income used in the trailing 3-month other income calculation.</p>
7	PLUS	<p>For RV Sites with lease terms of 30 days or more, the lesser of</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • actual average net collections for the past 3 years, or • the current trailing 12-month RV Site rents, minus a 10% vacancy.⁵
CALCULATION OF COMMERCIAL INCOME⁶		
8	PLUS	<p>Actual income from <u>leased and</u> occupied commercial space (and parking revenue for commercial spaces, if applicable) per <u>Part II, Chapter 1: Attributes and Characteristics, Section 108: Commercial Leases</u>.</p>
9	PLUS	<p>Actual average RV Site rental income for RV Sites with lease terms of less than 30 days.</p>
10	PLUS	<p>Actual MH Site rental income for <u>Manufactured Homes</u> that predate the <u>Manufactured Home HUD Code</u>.</p>
11	MINUS	<p>10% of the actual commercial <u>space</u> income (total of Items 8, 9, and 10).</p>
<u>12</u>	<u>PLUS</u>	<p><u>Commercial parking income (e.g., public parking) that does not exceed actual trailing 12-month collections.</u>⁶</p>



5 If the average RV Site rental income for RV Sites with lease terms of 30 days or more is greater than 20% of EGI, then reduce to 20% of EGI.
 6 If net commercial income is greater than 10% of EGI, then reduce to 10% of EGI.
 Additionally, total RV Site income from Items 7 and 9 (less 10% vacancy) cannot exceed 20% of EGI.

1213	PLUS	Laundry and, vending, parking, and all other income per Part II, Chapter 2: Valuation and Income, Section 202: Income Analysis.
	EQUALS	EFFECTIVE GROSS INCOME (EGI)

CALCULATION OF OPERATING EXPENSES

1314	MINUS	<p>Line-by-line stabilized operating expenses. Stabilized operating expenses are the expenses during normal ongoing Property operations, not affected by a lease-up, rehabilitation, or other short-term positive or negative factors.</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • lease-up. • rehabilitation, or • other short-term positive or negative factors. <p>Non-recurring, extraordinary operating expenses must not be included. You must assess:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • past operating history; • the appraiser's expense analysis; • all information available to you (including Property contracts, utility bills, real estate tax assessments, insurance policies, and comparable assets); and • the Borrower's budget (in the case of an acquisition). <p>You must analyze historical operations at the Property and apply an appropriate increase over the prior year's operations in determining an estimate:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • analyze historical operations at the Property; and • apply an appropriate increase over the prior year's operations in determining an estimate.
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1415	MINUS	<p>Property management fee equal to the greatest of:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • 3% of EGI; • actual property management fee (exclude any portion of a non-arm's length property management fee that is subordinated to the Mortgage Loan); or • market property management fee.
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4516	MINUS	<p>Real estate taxes based on the greatest of:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none">• actual future tax bill(s) covering a full calendar year;• prior full year's taxes multiplied by 103% (the 3% trending is not required for trailing 12-month or year-to-date annualized expenses); or• in California, the <u>greater sum of the Mortgage Loan amount or the assessed value, multiplied by the millage rate, plus any special assessments:</u><ul style="list-style-type: none">- <u>any special assessments; plus</u>- <u>the millage rate multiplied by the greater of the</u><ul style="list-style-type: none">▪ <u>Mortgage Loan amount, or</u>▪ <u>assessed value.</u> <p>You <u>must:</u></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none">• <u>consider any automatic reassessment upon acquisition in the next 12-month period;</u>• <u>include ad valorem taxes for Borrower-owned Manufactured Homes; and</u>• <u>for any tax abatement, exemption, deferral, or PILOT expiring within 36 months after the Mortgage Loan Origination Date, underwrite fully assessed real estate taxes.</u> <p><u>If the Property has real estate tax abatements, exemptions, deferrals, or PILOTs, they must:</u></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none">• <u>be in effect at closing, per written documentation from the state or local tax assessor; and</u>• <u>survive a foreclosure on the Mortgage Loan such that Fannie Mae or a subsequent owner will retain the abatement, exemption, deferral, or PILOT (i.e., it is tied to the Property and not the owner).</u> <p><u>If the timeframe for the real estate tax abatement, exemption, deferral, or PILOT is shorter than the Mortgage Loan term, or begins phasing out or expires within 5 years after the Maturity Date, you must consider any automatic reassessment upon acquisition in the next 12-month period, and include ad valorem taxes for Borrower-owned Manufactured Homes:</u></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none">• <u>a Bifurcated Mortgage Loan structure (i.e., 2 notes secured by a single first Lien Security Instrument);</u>• <u>an amortization schedule that accommodates the elimination of the abatement; or</u>• <u>providing clear justification and support in the refinance analysis.</u>
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1617	MINUS	Insurance equal to: <ul style="list-style-type: none">• the quoted expense, for insurance policies with a bona fide written quote from a reputable broker for a new 12-month policy; or• 110% of the current expense, for insurance policies with a remaining term less than 6 months.
1718	MINUS	Utilities, water and sewer, repairs and maintenance, payroll and benefits, advertising and marketing, professional fees, general and administrative, ground rent, and all other expenses per Part II, Chapter 2: Valuation and Income, Section 202: Income Analysis.
	EQUALS	UNDERWRITTEN NET OPERATING INCOME (UNDERWRITTEN NOI)
1819	MINUS	Replacement Reserve expense per Part II, Chapter 4: Inspections and Reserves, Section 404: Replacement Reserve, with a minimum annual amount of \$25 per MH Site.
	EQUALS	UNDERWRITTEN NCF

Section 607

Replacement Reserve

Requirements

If the Replacement Reserve determined by the Property Condition Assessment is more than \$75 per MH Site, full funding of the Replacement Reserve is required per Part II, Chapter 4: Inspections and Reserves, Section 404: Replacement Reserve.



Chapter 7 Multifamily Affordable Housing Properties

Section 701 Generally

701.01 Description

Requirements

An MAH Property is a Property that is encumbered by a regulatory agreement, land use restriction agreement, extended use agreement, or similar restriction (an Affordable Regulatory Agreement) that

- limits rents that can be charged to tenants, or
- imposes income limits on tenants.

An Affordable Preservation Transaction is any transaction involving an MAH Property that:

- currently has rent or income restrictions meeting the eligibility criteria of an MAH Property, but the Property is potentially at risk of being lost from the affordable housing inventory through conversion to market-rate housing;
- is not receiving new LIHTCs; and
- is being acquired or refinanced, but excludes a Mortgage Loan paying off the initial construction loan.

701.02 Eligible Lenders

Requirements

You must be approved in writing to Deliver MAH Mortgage Loans.

Section 702 MAH Property Eligibility

702.01 Eligible Characteristics and Underwriting

Requirements

You must ensure that an MAH Property has rent or income restrictions that meet or exceed 1 of the following:

- **20% @ 50%:** at least 20% of all units have rent or income restrictions in place making them affordable to households earning



no more than 50% of AMI as adjusted for family size.

- **40% @ 60%:** at least 40% of all units have rent or income restrictions in place making them affordable to households earning no more than 60% of AMI as adjusted for family size (except for New York City, where at least 25% of all units have rent or income restrictions in place, making them affordable to households earning no more than 60% of AMI as adjusted for family size).
- **HAP contract:** at least 20% of all units are subject to a project-based HAP contract.
- **Special Public Purpose:** the Property
 - is subject to an Affordable Regulatory Agreement imposed by a government entity, containing other rent and/or income restrictions,
 - has rent or income restrictions that meet or exceed **20% @ 80%:** at least 20% of all units have rent or income restrictions in place making them affordable to households earning no more than 80% of AMI as adjusted for family size, and
 - meets a noteworthy special public purpose.
- **Sponsor-Initiated Affordability:** the Borrower may voluntarily self-impose rent and income restrictions to preserve or create multifamily affordable housing. These restrictions must:
 - require the Property to have
 - rent and income restrictions that meet or exceed **20% @ 80%:** at least 20% of all units have rent and income restrictions in place making them affordable to households earning no more than 80% of AMI as adjusted for family size, and
 - restricted unit rent limits not exceeding 30% of the adjusted AMI;
 - be placed on record against the Property by executing the Sponsor-Initiated Affordability Agreement (Form 6490);
 - be in place at the Property by the Mortgage Loan Origination Date;
 - require the Property to comply with the Sponsor-Initiated Affordability Agreement (Form 6490) within 12 months after the Mortgage Loan Origination Date;
 - remain in place during the Mortgage Loan term; and
 - be certified annually by the Borrower and monitored by an



Administering Agent for compliance with the Sponsor-Initiated Affordability Agreement (Form 6490).

➔ Guidance

An MAH Property may also:

- be subject to FHA Risk Sharing;
- be financed using tax-exempt Bonds;
- receive LIHTCs under Section 42 of the Internal Revenue Code, and its related U.S. Treasury regulations;
- be subject to inclusionary zoning (e.g., targeting certain income levels or employees of certain firms or institutions, etc.) or resale restrictions; or
- receive other state, local or federal subsidies which are conditioned on the affordability of some or all of the units in the Property, including Rural Housing Service (RHS) Section 515 Loans, and Loans insured under Section 202 or Section 236 of the National Housing Act.

☑ Requirements

You must:

- Reflect the impact of the rent or income restrictions in your underwriting.
- Maintain a copy of the applicable Affordable Regulatory Agreement or Property restrictions in your Servicing File.

✦ Operating Procedures

For any Property with Sponsor-Initiated Affordability, the Borrower must execute the:

- Sponsor-Initiated Affordability Agreement (Form 6490);
- Modifications to Multifamily Loan and Security Agreement (Sponsor-Initiated Affordability Restrictions) (Form 6271); and
- Payment Guaranty (Pricing Incentive Recapture) (Form 6020.PIR).

To commit and Deliver a Mortgage Loan that qualifies as Special Public



Purpose or Sponsor-Initiated Affordability, refer to:

- Multifamily Affordable Housing Property Definition – Special Public Purpose FAQs; and
- Sponsor-Initiated Affordability FAQs.

702.02 Ineligible Characteristics and Underwriting

✔ Requirements

You must not underwrite or price the Property as an MAH Property if it has:

- less than 3 years of rent or income restrictions remaining on the Affordable Regulatory Agreement and is expected to transition to market rents during the term of the Mortgage Loan; or
- 3 or more years of LIHTC restrictions remaining, but the Borrower intends to enter into the Qualified Contract Process (per Section 42 of the Internal Revenue Code) within 3 years after the Mortgage Loan Origination Date.

✦ Operating Procedures

If a Property will have existing rent, income, and/or occupancy restrictions when you Deliver the Mortgage Loan, you must indicate the “MAH type” in C&D under “Other Attributes”, even if you cannot underwrite the Property as an MAH Property or Affordable Preservation Transaction per this Section 702.02: Ineligible Characteristics and Underwriting.

Section 703 Property Income and Underwriting

703.01 Underwritten NCF

✔ Requirements

You must use the following table to calculate Underwritten NCF.

REQUIRED UNDERWRITTEN NCF (MULTIFAMILY AFFORDABLE PROPERTY)		
Item	Function	Description
CALCULATION OF NET RENTAL INCOME		



1		<p>GROSS RENTAL INCOME – the least of:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • rents permitted under any federal, state, or local subsidy program applicable to the Property, as adjusted for AMI, family size, and number of bedrooms in a unit, and reductions for the applicable utility allowances¹; • rents permitted under any restrictive covenants, subordinate financing requirements, or an Affordable Regulatory Agreement recorded on the Property; or • based on a current rent roll, <ul style="list-style-type: none"> - actual rents in place for occupied units, plus - for vacant units, the lowest of: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪ actual rents in place for comparable occupied units; ▪ market rents; and ▪ permitted rents, described above (multiplied by 12).² <p>Rent from non-project based Housing Choice Vouchers must not exceed the average rent for comparable units without non-project based Housing Choice Vouchers. You must include incremental HAP contract income per Part III, Chapter 7: Multifamily Affordable Housing Properties, Section 707.01: Properties with Both HAP Contracts and LIHTC Units.</p>
2	PLUS	To the extent deducted as an operating expense, rents for other non-revenue units (e.g., model units deducted in the “model apartment” operating expense in the “general and administrative” category, or actual rent from employee units deducted in the “employee” operating expense in the “payroll and benefits” category).
	EQUALS	GROSS POTENTIAL RENT (GPR) ¹
3	MINUS	Physical vacancy – applicable actual rents for vacant units and MAH unit type (e.g., 20% @ 50%, 40% @ 60%, or HAP contract) based on a current rent roll (multiplied by 12). ³
4	MINUS	Concessions – the aggregate amount of forgone residential rental income resulting from incentives granted to tenants for signing leases, such as free rent for 1 or more months, move-in allowance, etc.). ³
5	MINUS	Bad debt – the aggregate amount of unpaid rental income determined to be uncollectable: include , <u>including</u> any adjustments to other income for bad debt. ³
	EQUALS	NET RENTAL INCOME (NRI) ^{2,3,4}



- 1 For Properties with HAP contracts, you
- may use newly approved rents if they are effective by the first day of the month after the Mortgage Loan Origination Date, even if the rents exceed trailing GPR, but
 - may not use rents based on
 - an agreement to enter into a HAP contract (AHAP),
 - commitment to enter into a Housing Assistance Payment contract (CHAP), or
 - a "comfort letter".
- 2 You may underwrite HAP contract rents up to:
- 5% above market rents if the MAH Property is located in an Eligible MSA; or
 - 10% above market rents if the MAH Property is located in a Strong Market, provided the Property's
 - HAP contract expires after the Maturity Date, and
 - current and average 3-year physical occupancy is greater than or equal to 95%.
- 3 The total of Items 3, 4, and 5 must equal the greater of
- the GPR including any permitted HAP contract rent increases multiplied by the percentage difference between
 - the trailing 3-month net rental collections (annualized), and
 - trailing GPR excluding any HAP contract rent increases not in effect before the Mortgage Loan Origination Date; and
 - either
 - 5% of GPR, including any permitted HAP contract rent increases, or
 - 3% of GPR, including any permitted HAP contract rent increases, if:
 - the Property is located in a Strong or Nationwide Market per [Form 4660](#);
 - for a Property without a HAP contract, the actual rents for restricted units are at least 10% below comparable market rents; and
 - the economic vacancy (i.e., the total of Items 3, 4, and 5) is supported by current and 3 years of historical economic vacancy data.
- 4 You must assess the NRI, including any declines, and make adjustments per [Part II, Chapter 2: Valuation and Income, Section 202: Income Analysis](#).

CALCULATION OF OTHER INCOME⁵

6	PLUS	<p>Actual other income (except premiums and corporate premiums) generated through ongoing operations. The income must:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • be stable; • be common in the market; • exclude one-time extraordinary non-recurring items; and • be supported by prior years. <p>You must assess the individual month's other income within the prior full-year operating statement or, at a minimum, an operating statement covering at least the trailing 6 months (annualized).</p> <p>If there are fluctuations, you may use other income that exceeds the trailing 3-month other income (annualized), as long as provided it does not exceed the highest 1-month other income used in the trailing 3-month other income calculation.</p>
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5 If premiums or corporate premiums are applicable for a particular MAH Property, inclusion of premium income is permitted consistent with Part II, Chapter 2: Valuation and Income, Section 202: Income Analysis.

CALCULATION OF COMMERCIAL INCOME

7	PLUS	Actual income from <u>leased and</u> occupied commercial space (and parking revenue for commercial spaces, if applicable) per Part II, Chapter 1: Attributes and Characteristics, Section 108: Commercial Leases.
<u>8</u>	<u>PLUS</u>	<u>Actual income from STR units.</u>
<u>89</u>	MINUS	10% of the actual commercial <u>space</u> income. ⁶
<u>6 If net commercial income is greater than 20% of EGI, then reduce to 20% of EGI.</u>		
<u>10</u>	<u>PLUS</u>	<u>Commercial parking income (e.g., public parking) that does not exceed actual trailing 12-month collections.</u> ⁶
<u>911</u>	PLUS	Laundry and vending, parking, and all other income per Part II, Chapter 2: Valuation and Income, Section 202: Income Analysis.
<u>6 If net commercial income is greater than 20% of EGI, then reduce to 20% of EGI.</u>		
	EQUALS	EFFECTIVE GROSS INCOME (EGI)

CALCULATION OF OPERATING EXPENSES



<p>1012</p>	<p>MINUS</p>	<p>Line-by-line stabilized operating expenses. Stabilized operating expenses are the expenses during normal ongoing Property operations, not affected by lease-ups, rehabilitation, or other short-term positive or negative factors. <u>a</u></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • <u>lease-up,</u> • <u>rehabilitation,</u> • <u>or other short-term positive or negative factors.</u> <p>Non-recurring, extraordinary operating expenses must not be included.</p> <p>You must assess:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • the past operating history; • the appraiser's expense analysis; • all information available to you (including Property contracts, utility bills, real estate tax assessments, insurance policies, and comparable assets); and • the Borrower<u>Borrower's</u> budget (in the case of an acquisition). <p>You must analyze historical operations at the Property and apply an appropriate increase over the prior year's operations in determining an estimate. <u>:</u></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • <u>analyze historical operations at the Property;</u> • <u>apply an appropriate increase over the prior year's operations in determining an estimate; and</u> • <u>include all STR-related expenses n their respective expense line items, including</u> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> - <u>cleaning,</u> - <u>furnishing, and</u> - <u>repairs.</u>
<p>1113</p>	<p>MINUS</p>	<p>Property management fee equal to the greatest of:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • 4% of EGI⁷; • actual property management fee (exclude any portion of a non-arm's-length property management fee that is subordinated to the Mortgage Loan); or • market property management fee.



7 Minimum management fee may be 3.5% of EGI (rather than 4% of EGI) if the:

- underwritten management fee is at least \$300 per unit;
- actual management fee is equal to or less than the underwritten management fee; and
- market management fees support the underwritten management fee for similarly sized MAH properties.

If the MAH Property is located in a Strong Market or Eligible MSA and the Mortgage Loan's original UPB is greater than \$6 million, the minimum management fee may be the greatest of

- 2.5%,
- \$300 per unit,
- the actual management fee, or
- market management fees for similarly sized MAH properties.

<p>1214</p>	<p>MINUS</p>	<p>Real estate taxes based on the greatest of:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • actual future tax bill(s) covering a full calendar year; • prior full year's taxes multiplied by 103% (the 3% trending is not required for trailing 12-month or year-to-date annualized expenses); or • in California, the <u>greater sum of the Mortgage Loan amount or the assessed value, multiplied by the millage rate, plus any special assessments. :</u> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> - <u>any special assessments; plus</u> - <u>the millage rate multiplied by the greater of the</u> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪ <u>Mortgage Loan amount, or</u> ▪ <u>assessed value.</u> <p>You must consider any automatic reassessment upon acquisition in the next 12-month period. :</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • <u>consider any automatic reassessment upon acquisition in the next 12-month period; and</u> • <u>for any tax abatement, exemption, deferral, or PILOT expiring within 36 months after the Mortgage Loan Origination Date, underwrite fully assessed real estate taxes.</u>
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<p>1214 continued</p>	<p>MINUS</p>	<p>If the Property has real estate tax abatements, exemptions, deferrals, or payments in lieu of taxes (PILOTs), you may use a reduced real estate tax payment if they will must:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none">• be in effect at closing (or at conversion in the case of a Forward Commitment), per written documentation from the state or local tax assessor;• survive a foreclosure on the Mortgage Loan such that Fannie Mae or a subsequent owner will retain the abatement, exemption, deferral, or deferral benefit PILOT as long as the rent, income, or other restrictions are maintained (i.e., it is tied to the Property and not the owner); and• if governed under the California Welfare Tax Exemption Program, meet the following:<ul style="list-style-type: none">- if a refinance, the Borrower must be in and remain in compliance with the California Welfare Tax Exemption program; or- if an acquisition or a Transfer/Assumption where the Affiliate with Control of the Borrower (which is typically a non-profit entity), or the non-profit entity itself, is changing you must:<ul style="list-style-type: none">▪ escrow at least 6 months of full real estate taxes at closing which will be released after confirming that the California Welfare Tax Abatement is approved and in place at the Property;▪ ensure that the Borrower has demonstrated experience with the California Welfare Tax Abatement Program; and▪ ensure that the Borrower is and remains eligible for the California Welfare Tax Abatement Program.
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<p>1214 continued</p>	<p>MINUS</p>	<p>If governed under the Florida affordable housing property exemption (per Sections 196.1978(1) and (2) of the Florida Statutes),</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • for a refinance, the Borrower must initially be in compliance, and remain in compliance, with the Florida affordable housing property exemption; or • for an acquisition or a Transfer/Assumption, you must: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> - confirm the Borrower applies to the county taxing authority within 60 days after the Mortgage Loan Origination Date; - escrow full taxes until you confirm the Florida affordable housing property exemption is approved and in place at the Property; and - after confirmation, refund the escrowed taxes to the Borrower. <p>If the Property benefits from real estate tax abatements, exemptions, deferrals, or deferrals a PILOT that will not survive a Foreclosure Event, then you may use a reduced real estate tax payment only if:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • upon reapplying for the original underwritten tax abatement or an alternative tax abatement, Fannie Mae or a subsequent Property owner would qualify for the tax abatement; • the rent or income restrictions at the Property are maintained; and • you have ensured that: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> - if a qualified non-profit entity is required to participate in the ownership structure of the MAH Property in order to qualify for the tax abatement, exemption, or deferral, a sufficient number of qualified non-profits currently operate in the market (at least 3 for an MSA with a population of less than 1 million and at least 5 for an MSA with a population of 1 million or greater), and in the event of a foreclosure, could serve in the replacement ownership structure to qualify for the tax abatement, exemption, deferral, or deferral PILOT; and - the original or alternative tax abatement, exemption, deferral, or deferral PILOT has <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪ been established in the state's statutes, ▪ been in effect for at least 10 years, and ▪ the Lender conducted all appropriate due diligence and confirmed that there is no material risk that the tax abatement, exemption, or deferral legislation will be repealed or revised in a manner that would affect the Property's ability to continue to qualify for the tax abatement, exemption, deferral, or deferral PILOT.
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1214 continued	MINUS	<p>If the timeframe for the real estate tax abatement, exemption, deferral, or deferral PILOT is shorter than the Mortgage Loan term, or begins phasing out or expires within 5 years after the Maturity Date, you must consider:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • a Bifurcated Mortgage Loan structure (i.e., 2 notes secured by a single first Lien Security Instrument); • an amortization schedule that accommodates the elimination of the abatement; or • providing clear justification and support in the refinance analysis. <p>For a Property with a tax abatement, the Modifications to Multifamily Loan and Security Agreement (Tax Abatement or Exemption) (Form 6251) must be executed even if you do not underwrite the tax abatement.</p>
1315	MINUS	<p>Insurance equal to:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • the quoted expense, for insurance policies with a bona fide written quote from a reputable broker for a new 12-month policy; or • 110% of the current expense, for insurance policies with a remaining term of less than 6 months.
1416	MINUS	<p>Utilities, water and sewer, repairs and maintenance, payroll and benefits, advertising and marketing, professional fees, general and administrative, ground rent, and all other expenses per Part II, Chapter 2: Valuation and Income, Section 202: Income Analysis.</p>
	EQUALS	UNDERWRITTEN NET OPERATING INCOME (UNDERWRITTEN NOI)
1517	MINUS	<p>Replacement Reserve expense per Part II, Chapter 2: Valuation and Income, Section 202.01: Underwritten Net Cash Flow (Underwritten NCF).</p>
	EQUALS	UNDERWRITTEN NCF

703.02 Underwriting

703.02A Appraised Value and Underwriting Value

Requirements

In addition to the Appraisal requirements in Part II, Chapter 2: Valuation and Income, Section 201.02: Appraisal, you must:

- Include 2 separate opinions of the Appraised Value based on:
 - Restricted Value from the Affordable Regulatory Agreement, using



- comparable multifamily rental properties,
 - the [Property's](#) submarket,
 - properties with similar rent or income restrictions, and
 - any tax abatements or exemptions.
- [Unrestricted Value](#) from the [Property's](#) income and expenses without the [Affordable Regulatory Agreement](#) (e.g., market rents, occupancy, and operating expenses), using
 - comparable multifamily market rate rental properties,
 - the [Property's](#) submarket, and
 - full taxes if rental income restrictions are required by a tax abatement or exemption.
- Ensure that each [Appraised Value](#) is based on a market cap rate without any upward or downward adjustment for:
 - special financing (other than adjusted cap rates for [Credit Enhancement Mortgage Loans](#)); or
 - tax credit benefits.
 - Determine the appropriate [Appraised Value](#) for the [Underwriting Value per Part II, Chapter 2: Valuation and Income, Section 201: Market and Valuation](#).

703.02B Market Study

Requirements

If the [Property](#) is subject to a [HAP](#) contract that will expire before the [Mortgage Loan Maturity Date](#), you must include a market study (which can be part of the [Appraisal](#)) that:

- is prepared by a qualified real estate professional; and
- identifies the absorption rate, lease-up period, and rent level for comparable market rate rental properties in the submarket.

703.02C Affordable Regulatory Agreement Restrictions

Guidance



To underwrite the [Mortgage Loan](#) as an [MAH Property](#), the [Affordable Regulatory Agreement](#) restrictions should remain in effect for the term of the [Mortgage Loan](#).

Requirements

When the [Affordable Regulatory Agreement](#) restrictions have 3 or more years remaining but will expire before the [Mortgage Loan Maturity Date](#), you must provide support to underwrite to the [MAH Preservation](#) standards in the [Form 4660](#), taking into account factors such as:

- restricted rents below market rate rents;
- the [Property](#)'s history of operating as an [MAH Property](#);
- the [Borrower](#)'s history and experience owning and operating [MAH Properties](#);
- the [Borrower](#)'s intention to renew the [Affordable Regulatory Agreement](#);
- the amount of time between the [Maturity Date](#) and when the [Affordable Regulatory Agreement](#) restrictions expire;
- market strength; and
- how the [Property](#) compares to comparable market rate properties in terms of occupancy, condition, and amenities if the [Borrower](#) intends to convert the [Property](#) to market rate rents and if no rent advantage exists.

See [Part III, Chapter 7: Multifamily Affordable Housing Properties, Section 702.01: Eligible Characteristics and Underwriting](#) regarding self-imposed restrictions.

703.02D 35-Year Amortization

Requirements

If you use a 35-year amortization term, the:

- [Property](#) must have [LIHTCs](#) with at least 8 years remaining in the initial 15-year compliance period; and
- minimum [MAH Mortgage Loan](#) term must equal the greater of
 - the remaining initial compliance period, and
 - 10 years.



703.02E LIHTC Income Averaging

Guidance

When a Sponsor elects LIHTC Income Averaging for a Property with new LIHTCs, you should consider:

- Will LIHTC Income Averaging impact other non-LIHTC regulatory agreements?
- Is LIHTC Income Averaging compatible with other funding and subsidy source requirements, including any project-based HAP contract?
- Has LIHTC Income Averaging been approved by the
 - state agency, and
 - LIHTC investor or syndicator?
- Will the on-site Property management staff have sufficient experience?
- Will the unit mix be impacted, including
 - unit parity,
 - multi-building election,
 - floating units, and
 - market rate units?
- What is the rent advantage, especially for units above 60% of AMI?
- For a Forward Commitment,
 - is the Property not a resyndication of a property previously developed or preserved using LIHTCs and subject to an existing extended use agreement, or
 - if the Property is a resyndication, have you confirmed the property has completed its extended use period?
- Does the market study include capture rates for each unit designation supporting LIHTC Income Averaging?

Requirements

You must identify and mitigate any risks from electing LIHTC Income Averaging.



703.02F Initial LIHTC Equity

Requirements

For any MAH Property with new LIHTCs, you must ensure at least 20% of the aggregate LIHTC equity that the LIHTC investor or syndicator must contribute into the limited partnership is received on or before the Mortgage Loan Origination Date.

703.02G Developer Fees

Guidance

You should analyze the development budget, including the

- developer fee due the Sponsor or any Affiliate, and
- any deferred developer fee (i.e., the portion of the developer fee shown as a source in the sources and uses statement).

If the deferred developer fee is greater than 50% of the total developer fee, you should confirm there are sufficient

- hard and soft contingency budgets, and
- projected surplus cash flows to repay the deferred developer fee within the initial compliance period.

703.02H Rent-Stabilized Units

Guidance

Refer to Part II, Chapter 2: Valuation and Income, Section 205: Rent-Stabilized Properties regarding rent-stabilized MAH Property units.

Section 704 Subordinate Financing

704.01 Interest Rate and Payments

Requirements

You must ensure any subordinate loan:

- has a fixed rate; and
- any non-Soft Financing has:



- interest payable on a current basis; and
- no deferrals or accruals.

704.02 Loan Term

Requirements

You must ensure any non-fully amortizing subordinate loan, including any Soft Financing, matures at least 180 days after the [Maturity Date](#) of the [Mortgage Loan](#) and any [Pre-Existing Mortgage Loans](#).

Guidance

A fully amortizing subordinate loan may mature at any time regardless of the [Mortgage Loan Maturity Date](#). A subordinate loan may also be fully or partially forgiven at any time per its loan documents.

704.03 Collateral and Credit Support

Requirements

You must ensure the [Mortgage Loan](#) obtains the same credit support and collateral as any subordinate loan, including any

- recourse to the [Borrower](#) or any guarantor, or
- additional collateral.

You may secure the subordinate loan with a [Lien](#) on the [Property](#) if the [Lien](#):

- is subordinated to the [Security Instrument's Lien](#) per
 - [Part III, Chapter 7: Multifamily Affordable Housing Properties, Section 704.07: Subordination Agreement](#),
 - [Part III, Chapter 7: Multifamily Affordable Housing Properties, Section 704.08: Lien Priority and Title Insurance Policy](#), and
 - [Part III, Chapter 7: Multifamily Affordable Housing Properties, Section 704.09: Form of Subordinate Loan Documents](#); and
- includes only the same collateral covered by the [Mortgage Loan's Security Instrument](#).



704.04 Soft Financing

Requirements

Provision	To be considered Soft Financing...
Financing Terms	Subordinate loan terms must comply with Part III, Chapter 7: Multifamily Affordable Housing Properties, Section 704: Subordinate Financing .
Payments	<ul style="list-style-type: none">• Any subordinate loan payments due during the Mortgage Loan term, including any fees, must be payable only from the surplus NCF remaining after all other payments (due and owing) are made on the Mortgage Loan or any Pre-Existing Mortgage Loans.• No more than 75% of the surplus NCF must be available for payments on all Soft Financing unless the note is payable to the Sponsor or an Affiliate.
Events of Default	Failure to pay principal and/or interest due to lack of surplus NCF must not be an event of default.
Subordination	Subordination must comply with Part III, Chapter 7: Multifamily Affordable Housing Properties, Section 704.07: Subordination Agreement .

Guidance

Soft Financing may have:

- a nominal interest rate (e.g., 1% or 2%);
- interest that does not accrue;
- principal payments that do not fully amortize the subordinate loan over its term; or
- a loan term significantly longer than the [Mortgage Loan](#) term, with the subordinate loan either
 - being forgiven over time or at its maturity date, or
 - due only upon the sale of the [Property](#).

704.05 Subordinate Lender



Requirements

If the Lender type is...	Then...
Public / Quasi-Public / Not-for-Profit Lender	A subordinate loan provided by a public, quasi-public, or not-for-profit Lender may <ul style="list-style-type: none">• be Soft Financing, or• require mandatory payments of P&I, or interest-only.
Private Lender	You must ensure that any subordinate financing originated by a private, for-profit Lender is Soft Financing per Part III, Chapter 7: Multifamily Affordable Housing Properties, Section 704.04: Soft Financing.

704.06 Developer's Notes

Requirements

You must ensure any developer note or advance due the Sponsor or an Affiliate is Soft Financing per Part III, Chapter 7: Multifamily Affordable Housing Properties, Section 704.04: Soft Financing.

704.07 Subordination Agreement

Requirements

For all subordinate financing, including Soft Financing, you, the Borrower, and the subordinate Lender must enter into either:

- Fannie Mae form Subordination Agreement (Affordable) (Form 6456), if the subordinate Lender is a government entity; or
- Fannie Mae form Subordination Agreement (Conventional) (Form 6414), if the subordinate Lender is not a government entity.

704.08 Lien Priority and Title Insurance Policy

Requirements

You must ensure:



- The subordinate loan, along with any **Lien** securing the subordinate loan, remains at all times, subordinate to the **Security Instrument's Lien**, including any refinancing.
- The Subordination Agreement is recorded in the land records immediately after the subordinate security instrument is recorded.
- The lender's title insurance policy reflects the recordation of the Subordination Agreement.

704.09 Form of Subordinate Loan Documents

Requirements

You must confirm that the subordinate loan documents:

- comply with this Chapter;
- include the specific provisions required by the Subordination Agreement; and
- do not require the **Borrower** to maximize rents at the **Property** (even if the **Property** is subject to an **Affordable Regulatory Agreement**).

704.10 Prepayment

Requirements

The **Borrower** may not prepay or redeem the subordinate loan without Fannie Mae's consent.

704.11 LIHTC Equity Bridge Loans

Requirements

LIHTC Equity Bridge Loan	Requirements
Lender Eligibility	The LIHTC equity bridge lender must not be on ACheck .
Repayment	Must be completely repaid on or before the final LIHTC equity payment associated with the Property's placed-in-service date.



LIHTC Equity Bridge Loan	Requirements
Amount	Maximum of 80% of aggregate LIHTC equity contribution.
Funding Conditions	No performance hurdles or Property performance benchmarks tied to bridge loan payments.
Note	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Non-recourse to Borrower. • Fixed or variable rate.
Guaranty (Repayment or Completion)	Must be subordinated to any Guaranty in favor of Fannie Mae.

Bridge Loan Collateral Types (multiple types allowed)	Bridge Lender Affiliated with You or LIHTC Investor	Bridge Lender Unaffiliated with You, LIHTC Investor, or Sponsor	Bridge Lender Affiliated with Sponsor
Assignment of Rights to Capital Contribution from LIHTC Equity Investor	Acceptable	Acceptable	Unacceptable
Assignment of Development Fee	Acceptable	Acceptable	Acceptable
Subordinate Security Instrument	Unacceptable	Unacceptable	Unacceptable



Bridge Loan Collateral Types (multiple types allowed)	Bridge Lender Affiliated with You or LIHTC Investor	Bridge Lender Unaffiliated with You, LIHTC Investor, or Sponsor	Bridge Lender Affiliated with Sponsor
Assignment of General or Limited Partnership Interests	Acceptable if Bridge Lender has LIHTC experience	Acceptable if Bridge Lender has LIHTC experience	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Acceptable for general partnership Interests • Unacceptable for limited partnership Interests
Subordination Agreement	Conventional Form	Conventional Form	Affordable Form

Section 705 Restrictive Covenants and Affordable Regulatory Agreements

Requirements

For MAH Properties and non-MAH Properties, the Affordable Regulatory Agreement, except for a HUD Use Agreement, must be subordinated to the Lien of the Security Instrument if the agreement:

- grants rights, remedies, or powers similar to that of a secured creditor to any aggrieved party;
- impairs the Lien rights or priority of the Lien of the Security Instrument;
- contains any Borrower obligations other than the affordability restrictions;
- contains any rights or remedies to enforce the affordability restrictions other than specific performance or injunctive relief; or
- does not terminate upon Mortgage Loan foreclosure.

To subordinate the Affordable Regulatory Agreement to the Security Instrument Lien

- use an approved Subordination Agreement, or



- for an [Affordable Regulatory Agreement](#) with a subordinate loan, use [Subordination Agreement \(Affordable\) \(Form 6456\)](#).

➔ Guidance

The rights, remedies, and powers of a secured creditor would typically include:

- the ability to appoint a receiver;
- the right to collect rents directly from the mortgaged property;
- the right to take possession of the mortgaged property;
- limitations on transferring title to you or to a subsequent transferee by foreclosure or deed in lieu;
- no requirement to give you notice of violations of or amendments to the [Affordable Regulatory Agreement](#); and
- the ability to remove or replace the [Property](#) manager without your prior consent.

Section 706 ROAR Loan

706.01 Generally

Requirements

You must ensure any [ROAR Loan](#):

- is a [Mortgage Loan](#) or [Credit Enhancement Mortgage Loan](#) using a [Credit Enhancement Instrument](#);
- has a fixed rate;
- has a minimum [Mortgage Loan](#) amount of \$5 million; and
- is secured by an [MAH Property](#) that:
 - currently has [Stabilized Residential Occupancy](#), but will likely experience tenant displacement significant enough to lower the [Underwritten DSCR](#), calculated using the [Gross Note Rate](#), below the required [DSCR](#) set forth in [Form 4660](#); and
 - will undergo repairs, replacements, or improvements costing \$10,000 per unit or more (based on the total number of residential units at the [Property](#)), or qualifies as a [Moderate Rehabilitation Property](#).



706.02 Timing

Requirements

Within 18 months after the [Mortgage Loan Origination Date](#)

- the [ROAR Work](#) must be completed, and
- [Restabilized Residential Occupancy](#) must be achieved.

706.03 General Underwriting

Guidance

In addition to complying with [Part III, Chapter 3: Moderate Rehabilitation Mortgage Loans](#), you should also review and evaluate:

- the reasonableness of the estimated cost of the [ROAR Work](#) and the completion schedule;
- whether the [ROAR Work](#) can be completed and the [Restabilized Residential Occupancy](#) achieved within 18 months after the [Mortgage Loan Origination Date](#);
- the [Borrower's](#) experience in developing or rehabilitating properties similar to the [ROAR Property](#);
- the tenant relocation plan, including budget and schedule;
- the [ROAR Work](#) budget, including monthly sources and uses during the rehabilitation period;
- any construction risks;
- the [LIHTC](#) investors' financial strength, experience, and reputation; and
- the projected rent levels relative to market rents.

706.04 Additional Underwriting and Loan Documents

Requirements

You must underwrite the [ROAR Loan](#) per the following table.



Topic	Description
Underwritten NCF	GPR must comply with Part III, Chapter 7: Multifamily Affordable Housing Properties, Section 703.01: Underwritten NCF; Underwritten NCF can be based on the Restabilized Residential Occupancy and normalized operating expenses achievable within 18 months after the Mortgage Loan Origination Date.
Appraisal	The Appraisal must include an opinion of the value of the Property on both an “as is” and an “as completed” basis that incorporates the ROAR Work to be completed after the Mortgage Loan Origination Date.
Occupancy During ROAR Work	Physical Occupancy: minimum of 50%; and Economic Occupancy: minimum of 50%.
Minimum DSCR During ROAR Work	Using the ROAR Stressed NCF, actual fixed interest rate, and maximum loan amount based on the “as completed” value <ul style="list-style-type: none">• 0.75 on an amortizing basis, or• 1.00 on an interest-only basis, if applicable.
Rehabilitation Reserve Agreement	Required.
Key Principal Guaranties	The Key Principal must execute a <ul style="list-style-type: none">• Completion Guaranty (Form 6018), and• an operating deficit guaranty.



Topic	Description
Letter of Credit	Any Letter of Credit must: <ul style="list-style-type: none">• comply with Part I, Chapter 2: Mortgage Loan, Section 204: Letters of Credit; and• equal at least 125% of the difference between the maximum Mortgage Loan amount based on<ul style="list-style-type: none">- the “as completed” value, and- the “as is” value.
Additional Credit Support	May be required.
Underwriting Fee	You must: <ul style="list-style-type: none">• charge the Borrower an underwriting fee equal 3 basis points of the Mortgage Loan amount; and• pay that amount to Fannie Mae.

Section 707 HAP Contract Properties

707.01 Properties with Both HAP Contracts and LIHTC Units

Requirements

For a Mortgage Loan secured by an MAH Property or a Credit Enhancement Mortgage Loan, if the Property has both HAP contracts and LIHTC units, you must underwrite the Mortgage Loan using 1 of the following options.



Choice	Requirements
Option 1	<p>Underwrite the rents from HAP contract units using the lowest of</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • market rents, • HAP contract rents, and • applicable LIHTC rents. <p>Applicable LIHTC rents are the lower of</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • maximum allowable LIHTC rents minus utility allowances, and • actual rents in place for occupied units subject to a LIHTC Affordable Regulatory Agreement.
Option 2	<p>Underwrite the rents from HAP contract units using the additional income above the LIHTC rents (LIHTC overage) if:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • at least 20% of the Property's units are subject to a project-based HAP contract; • the HAP contract rents are less than or equal to market rents; • the weighted average LIHTC unit rents are least 10% below market; • the MAH Property is located in a market or submarket with 90% or greater economic occupancy, both for market rate and MAH Properties; and • the Sponsor has experience and success owning and operating properties with HAP contracts. <p>If the HAP contract expires before the Mortgage Loan Maturity Date, you must ensure the Property's Underwritten DSCR is greater than or equal to</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • 1.05 based on the LIHTC rents, and • 1.10 based on the LIHTC rents after the HAP contract expires.

707.02 Restabilization Reserve

Requirements



For all Tier 2 and Tier 3 Mortgage Loans, you must establish a Restabilization Reserve for an MAH Property that has a HAP contract if the HAP contract term (excluding any annual or incremental government appropriation conditions) expires before the Mortgage Loan Maturity Date.

The Restabilization Reserve must:

- equal the monthly Mortgage Loan P&I, multiplied by the greater of
 - 6 months, or
 - the lease-up period determined by the market study per Part III, Chapter 7: Multifamily Affordable Housing Properties, Section 703.02B: Market Study; and
- remain in place until
 - the Property achieves underwritten occupancy for 90 days at market rate rents, or
 - the HAP contract is renewed with an expiration date after the Mortgage Loan Maturity Date.

You may eliminate the Restabilization Reserve if the:

- weighted average LIHTC unit rents are at least 10% below market;
- MAH Property is located in a market or submarket with 90% or greater economic occupancy, both for market rate and MAH Properties; and
- Sponsor has experience and success owning and operating properties with HAP contracts.

707.03 HAP Contract Review Sheet

Requirements

Before you Deliver the Mortgage Loan, you must:

- complete the Section 8 Housing Assistance Payments (HAP) Contract Review Sheet and Certification (Form 6422); and
- confirm that all conditions for approval are met.

Section 708

Refinancing Section 236 Properties – IRP is Maintained



Requirements

For Fannie Mae to consider the cash flow from an **IRP**, the **Borrower** must decouple the **IRP** from the existing Section 236 note and mortgage by

- prepaying the Section 236 Loan, and
- having the **IRP** transferred to a new **Mortgage Loan** (which will be then considered a Section 236 Loan for purposes of continuing the **IRP**).

708.01 No Additional Proceeds

Requirements

If the **Borrower** is not seeking additional proceeds based on the **IRP**, you must exclude the amount of the **IRP** from the **LTV** and **Underwritten DSCR**.

708.02 Additional Proceeds from Mortgage Loan

Requirements

If the **Borrower** is seeking additional proceeds from the **Mortgage Loan** based on the **IRP**, then you must ensure that:

- The **Mortgage Loan** has equal monthly payments of P&I.
- The portion of the **Mortgage Loan** sized based on the **Underwritten NCF** meets Fannie Mae's **LTV** and **Underwritten DSCR** requirements without considering the **IRP** cash flow.
- The portion of the **Mortgage Loan** sized based on the **IRP** cash flow has an **Underwritten DSCR** of at least 1.00.
- The financing structure reflects the remaining term of the **IRP** through a bifurcated note or amortization structure.

In a **Forward Commitment** transaction, if the **IRP** is decoupled from the original Section 236 Loan, you do not need to ensure principal amortization during the construction phase.

708.03 Additional Proceeds from Other Sources

Requirements



If the **Borrower** is seeking additional proceeds from sources other than the **Mortgage Loan** based on the **IRP**, you must:

- factor the debt into the **Property**'s overall **LTV**; and
- comply with **Part III, Chapter 7: Multifamily Affordable Housing Properties, Section 704: Subordinate Financing**.

Section 709

LIHTC Properties – Lender Equity Interest

Requirements

Fannie Mae will only purchase a **Mortgage Loan** secured by a **LIHTC Property** in which you are an equity investor (directly or indirectly) in the **Borrower** if the following conditions are met:

- Your equity interest in the **Borrower** is solely for obtaining the **LIHTCs** in the **Property**, and you have no
 - management authority for the **Property**, or
 - equity interest (other than the **LIHTCs**) in
 - the **Borrower**,
 - any **Key Principal**,
 - any **Person** holding a **Controlling Interest** in the **Borrower** or **Key Principal**,
 - any **Principal**, or
 - any **Guarantor**.
- You and the equity syndicator are organized to ensure independent analysis and decision making occurs in the
 - underwriting and approval of the debt,
 - equity investments, and
 - servicing of the **Mortgage Loan**.
- Your underwriting submission includes:
 - a description of the relationship among the
 - **Lender**,
 - **Borrower**, and



- applicable [Lender Affiliate](#); and
- an organizational chart or diagram showing:
 - the complete [Borrower](#) ownership structure, including any [Lender](#) or [Lender Affiliate](#) equity interest; and
 - each entity's ownership interest.

Section 710 Transactions with Fannie Mae Debt and Equity Interests

710.01 Transactions Funded with Tax-Exempt Bond Proceeds

Requirements

If a [Mortgage Loan](#) will be funded with tax-exempt bond proceeds and the [Property](#) securing the [Mortgage Loan](#) qualifies for LIHTCs, you must confirm:

- If Fannie Mae owns or plans to acquire a direct or indirect equity interest in the [Borrower](#), it does not own or intend to acquire an interest in the tax-exempt [Bonds](#).
- If Fannie Mae owns or plans to acquire an interest in the tax-exempt [Bonds](#), it does not own or intend to acquire a direct or indirect equity interest in the [Borrower](#).

710.02 Fannie Mae Credit-Enhanced Tax-Exempt Bond Issuance

Requirements

You must confirm that if Fannie Mae credit enhances tax-exempt [Bonds](#) issued to fund a [Mortgage Loan](#), it does not also own or intend to acquire a direct equity interest in the [Borrower](#).

If Fannie Mae owns or intends to acquire an indirect equity interest in the [Borrower](#) through a fund, you must confirm:

- Fannie Mae's indirect equity interest in the [Borrower](#) is less than 50%;
- in the case of a LIHTC transaction:
 - the IRS documentation filed in connection with the [Bond](#) issuance shows that none of the [Bond](#) proceeds were applied to pay any portion of Fannie Mae's credit enhancement fee;



- the **Bond** issuer and the **Borrower** have either
 - entered into a **LIHTC** agreement that acknowledges Fannie Mae’s equity interest, or
 - consented in writing to Fannie Mae’s equity interest; and
- any required notices to the **Borrower** and the issuer under a **LIHTC** agreement have been provided; and
- in the case of a non-**LIHTC** transaction, the issuer and the **Borrower** have consented in writing to Fannie Mae’s equity interest.

Section 711 FHA Risk Sharing

711.01 Description

Guidance

Fannie Mae and the HUD have a risk sharing agreement to share risk on **Mortgage Loans** for certain **MAH** transactions. HUD’s risk sharing is in the form of mortgage insurance from **FHA**. HUD takes 50% of the risk of loss, and the remaining 50% of the loss is shared by you and Fannie Mae.

711.02 Eligibility

711.02A Borrowers, Key Principals, Guarantors, and Principals

Requirements

You must ensure that the **Borrower** (and each **Key Principal**, **Guarantor**, and **Principal**) is not on the most current “List of Parties Excluded from Federal Procurement or Nonprocurement Programs”.

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.

711.02C Cash Out

Guidance

There is no limit on the amount of cash out in an [FHA Risk Sharing](#) transaction.

711.03 Mortgage Insurance Premium



Requirements

Your pricing for an [FHA Risk Sharing Mortgage Loan](#) must include a sufficient amount to pay the mortgage insurance premium due to [FHA](#).

Guidance

Fannie Mae will make this [FHA](#) premium payment on or before its due date.

711.04 Subsidy Layering Review

Requirements

You must ensure the [Borrower](#) obtains a subsidy layering review when required by federal laws. [FHA Risk Sharing Mortgage Loans](#) are a source of federal government assistance.

Operating Procedures

After the subsidy layering review is complete, the applicable reviewing office will issue a certification to the [Borrower](#) stating the total amount of governmental assistance is not more than is necessary to provide affordable housing after taking into account other government assistance. You must receive the certification before

- [Rate Lock](#), or
- obtaining a [Commitment](#) for a tax-exempt [Bond](#) transaction.

711.05 Lender FHA Risk Sharing Reserve and Loss Sharing Modifications

Operating Procedures

If a [Mortgage Loan](#) was approved for [FHA Risk Sharing](#), you must indicate an "FHA risk sharing" Mortgage Loan Type on the Mortgage Loan Certificate ([Form 6505](#)).



Chapter 9 Small Mortgage Loans

Section 901 Generally

901.01 Description

Requirements

A **Small Mortgage Loan** is a **Mortgage Loan** with an original loan amount of less than or equal to \$6 million and underwritten per this Chapter.

901.02 Applicability

Requirements

You may use this Chapter to underwrite conventional **Mortgage Loans** and the following products:

- **MH Communities**;
- **MAH Properties**; and
- **market rate Cooperative Properties** that are not **Limited Equity Cooperative Properties**.

Section 902 Key Principal Guaranty Obligation

Requirements

You must obtain a **Non-Recourse Guaranty (Form 6015)** from each **Key Principal**.

Section 903 Occupancy

Requirements

Small Mortgage Loans must achieve **Stabilized Residential Occupancy** as follows:



If the Property contains...	Then it must have...
10 or more units	at least 90% physical occupancy by Qualified Occupants for the 90 days immediately before the Commitment Date .
Less than 10 units	<ul style="list-style-type: none">• no more than 1 vacant unit as of the Commitment Date, and• an average occupancy by Qualified Occupants of at least 90% for the 12-month period immediately before the Commitment Date.

If a [Small Mortgage Loan](#) is secured by an [MH Community](#), then [Stabilized Residential Occupancy](#) must comply with [Part II, Chapter 1: Attributes and Characteristics, Section 105: Minimum Occupancy](#).

Section 904 Corporate Leases; Leases to One Entity

Guidance

Entity leases are permitted; but you should analyze the effect of leasing

- more than 10% of the total residential units in the [Property](#) to corporations, partnerships, trusts, and other entities, or
- more than 5% of the total residential units to any single corporation, partnership, trust, or other entity.

Entity leases of residential units for residential purposes are considered residential space.

Section 905 Property Income Analysis

905.01 Small Mortgage Loan Underwritten NCF (Underwritten NCF)

Requirements

You must calculate [Underwritten NCF](#) as follows:

- for a [MAH Property](#), per [Part III, Chapter 7: Multifamily Affordable Housing Properties, Section 703: Property Income and Underwriting](#); except that [Replacement Reserves](#) may be calculated per the table



in this Section;

- for a MH Community, per Part III, Chapter 6: Manufactured Housing Communities, Section 606: Property Income and Underwritten NCF;
- for a Cooperative Property, per Part III, Chapter 8: Cooperative Properties, Section 804: Income Analysis; and
- for all conventional Small Mortgage Loans, you must use the following table.

REQUIRED UNDERWRITTEN NET CASH FLOW (SMALL MORTGAGE LOANS)		
Item	Function	Description
CALCULATION OF NET RENTAL INCOME		
1		GROSS RENTAL INCOME – the lesser of <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • actual rents in place, or • market rents for occupied units, plus market rents for vacant units based on a current rent roll (multiplied by 12).¹
2	PLUS	To the extent deducted as an operating expense, rents for other non-revenue units. For example: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • model units deducted in the “model apartment” operating expense in the “general and administrative” category; • owner-occupied units² deducted in the “general and administrative” category; and • employee units³ deducted in the “employee” operating expense in the “payroll and benefits” category.
	EQUALS	GROSS POTENTIAL RENT (GPR)
3	MINUS	Premiums and corporate premiums.
4	MINUS	Physical vacancy – market rents for vacant units based on a current rent roll (multiplied by 12). ⁴
5	MINUS	Concessions – the aggregate amount of forgone residential rental income resulting from incentives granted to tenants for signing leases, such as free rent for 1 or more months, move-in allowance, etc. ⁴



6	MINUS	Bad debt – the aggregate amount of unpaid rental income determined to be uncollectable; include, including any adjustments to other income for bad debt. ⁴
	EQUALS	NET RENTAL INCOME (NRI)

1 (a) In the New York-Northern New Jersey-Long Island, NY-NJ-PA MSA, you may use actual rents in place plus projected increases for rent-regulated units that have rent increases scheduled before, or through, the first 12 months of the loan term. Any units subject to rent regulation on the Commitment Date must be treated as rent-regulated for this calculation even if converting to market rate after origination.

(b) For Properties located in New York City that are currently subject to the J51 Tax Incentive Program, you must ensure that the Gross Rental Income complies with is calculated per Item 1 in Part II, Chapter 2: Valuation and Income, Section 202: Income Analysis.

2 You must deduct owner-occupied units as an expense unless

- the Mortgage Loan is Tier 3 or Tier 4, or
- the Property contains 24 or more units.

3 You must deduct as an expense the portion of the market rent used as employee compensation.

4 The total of Items 4, 5, and 6 must be greater than or equal to

- 3% of GPR for the New York-Northern New Jersey-Long Island, NY-NJ-PA and San Francisco-Oakland-Fremont, CA, Metropolitan Statistical Areas (MSAs), if supported by market and property operations, or
- 5% of GPR for all other MSAs.

CALCULATION OF OTHER INCOME

7	PLUS	Actual other income (except premiums and corporate premiums) generated through ongoing operations. The income must: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • be stable; • be common in the market; • exclude one-time extraordinary, non-recurring items; and • be supported by prior years. You must assess the individual month's other income within the prior full-year operating statement; or at a minimum, an operating statement covering at least the trailing 6 months (annualized).
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CALCULATION OF COMMERCIAL INCOME



8	PLUS	Actual income from <u>leased and occupied commercial space (and parking revenue for commercial spaces, if applicable) per Part II, Chapter 1: Attributes and Characteristics, Section 108: Commercial Leases.</u>
9	PLUS	Actual income from STR units.
10	MINUS	10% of the actual commercial <u>space</u> income (total of Items 8 plus 9). ⁵
<u>5 If net commercial income is greater than 20% of EGI, then reduce to 20% of EGI.</u>		
<u>11</u>	<u>PLUS</u>	<u>Commercial parking income (e.g., public parking) that does not exceed actual trailing 12-month collections.</u> ⁵
<u>112</u>	PLUS	Laundry and vending, <u>parking</u> , and all other income <u>as detailed in</u> Part II, Chapter 2: Valuation and Income, Section 202: Income Analysis.
<u>5 If net commercial income is greater than 20% of EGI, then reduce to 20% of EGI.</u>		
	EQUALS	EFFECTIVE GROSS INCOME (EGI)
CALCULATION OF OPERATING EXPENSES		



4213	MINUS	<p>Line-by-line stabilized operating expenses. Stabilized operating expenses are the expenses during normal ongoing Property operations, not affected by a lease-up, rehabilitation, or other short-term positive or negative factors.</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none">• lease-up,• rehabilitation, or• other short-term positive or negative factors. <p>Non-recurring, extraordinary operating expenses must not be included.</p> <p>You must assess:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none">• past operating history;• the appraiser's expense analysis;• all information available to you (including Property contracts, utility bills, real estate tax assessments, insurance policies, and comparable assets); and• the Borrower's budget (in the case of an acquisition). <p>You must analyze historical operations at the Property and apply an appropriate increase over the prior year's operations in determining an estimate.</p> <p>All expenses associated with STRs must be underwritten in their respective expense line items. These expenses include cleaning, furnishing, and repairs.</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none">• analyze historical operations at the Property ;• apply an appropriate increase over the prior year's operations in determining an estimate; and• include all STR-related expenses in their respective expense line items, including<ul style="list-style-type: none">- cleaning,- furnishing, and- repairs. <p>You cannot include any operating expense that reflects blanket or bulk discounts that benefit the Borrower or Key Principal (e.g., blanket property or casualty insurance policies, or utilities purchased in bulk). Operating expenses must reflect the Property expenses on a stand-alone basis.</p>
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1314	MINUS	<p>Property management fee equal to the greatest of:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • 3% of EGI; • actual property management fee (exclude any portion of a property management fee that is subordinated to the Mortgage Loan); or • market property management fee.
1415	MINUS	<p>Real estate taxes based on the greatest of:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • actual future tax bill(s) covering a full calendar year; • prior full year's taxes multiplied by 103% (the 3% trending is not required for trailing 12-month or year-to-date annualized expenses); or • in California, the greater of the Small Mortgage Loan amount or the assessed value, multiplied by the millage rate, plus any special assessments. You must consider any automatic reassessment upon acquisition per Item 17(b) in the next 12-month period. <p>Part II, Chapter 2: Valuation and Income, Section 202.01: Underwritten Net Cash Flow (Underwritten NCF).</p> <p>You may use a reduced real estate tax payment if the Property's real estate tax abatements, exemptions, or deferrals meet the requirements in Part II, Chapter 2: Valuation and Income, Section 202: Income Analysis.</p>
1516	MINUS	<p>Insurance equal to:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • the quoted expense, for insurance policies with a bona fide written quote from a reputable broker for a new 12-month policy; or • 110% of the current expense, for insurance policies with a remaining term less than 6 months.
1617	MINUS	<p>Utilities, water and sewer, repairs and maintenance, payroll and benefits, advertising and marketing, professional fees, general and administrative, ground rent, and all other expenses as detailed in Part II, Chapter 2: Valuation and Income, Section 202: Income Analysis.</p>



	EQUALS	UNDERWRITTEN NET OPERATING INCOME (UNDERWRITTEN NOI)
1718	MINUS	<p>Replacement Reserve expense equal to at least⁶</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • \$200 per unit, for a Property with an overall rating of 1, • \$250 per unit, for a Property with an overall rating of 2, or • \$300 per unit, for a Property with an overall rating of 3. <p>The Property ratings are the ratings reported on the Comprehensive Assessment Addendum (“Comp Assmt Addendum”) tab of the MBA Standard Inspection Form.</p>
	EQUALS	UNDERWRITTEN NET CASH FLOW (UNDERWRITTEN NCF)
<p>6 If a PCA was completed, the Replacement Reserve must equal the amount required per Part II, Chapter 4: Inspections and Reserves, subject to a minimum of \$200 per unit.</p>		

905.02 Underwritten DSCR

Requirements

You must calculate Underwritten DSCR per the following table.

UNDERWRITTEN DSCR ^{1,2}		
Item	Function	Description
1		Underwritten NCF as calculated in Part III, Chapter 9: Small Mortgage Loans, Section 905.01: Small Mortgage Loan Underwritten NCF (Underwritten NCF).



UNDERWRITTEN DSCR ^{1,2}		
Item	Function	Description
2	DIVIDED BY	<p>Annual debt service for the Mortgage Loan amount.</p> <p>You must base debt service on a level debt service payment, including amortization, and the greater of</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • the actual note rate, or • the required Underwriting Interest Rate Floor.³
<p>1 For a Small Mortgage Loan secured by an MAH Property underwritten per this Chapter, you must comply with the minimum DSCR requirement for an MAH Property per Form 4660.</p> <p>2 For shorter amortization terms, you must</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • calculate the Underwritten DSCR based on the shorter period, and • comply with the minimum DSCR requirement per Form 4660. <p>The mandatory NRI adjustments in Part II, Chapter 2: Valuation and Income, for Properties with declining NRI do not apply.</p> <p>3 For a Small Mortgage Loan secured by an MAH Property underwritten per this Chapter, you must comply with the required Underwriting Interest Rate Floor for an MAH Property per Form 4660.</p>		

Section 906

Property Management

Requirements

To ascertain the property management requirements, you must determine how many years of experience, as of the [Commitment Date](#), the [Borrower](#) or any [Key Principal](#) has owning or managing at least 1 multifamily property that is similar in size to the [Property](#), based on the following:

Similar in Size	Unit Range
Small Properties	5 – 50 units



Similar in Size	Unit Range
Medium Properties	51 – 100 units
Large Properties	101 or more units

As of the [Commitment Date](#), a non-Local Borrower must have at least 2 years of multifamily ownership or property management experience with a property similar in size or larger than the [Property](#).

[Property](#) management requirements are as follows.

Property Size	Professional property management or qualified on-site manager required if...
Less than 10 residential units	non-Local Borrower.
10 or more residential units	<ul style="list-style-type: none">• non-Local Borrower, or• Local Borrower with less than 2 years of experience with a property similar in size or larger.

Guidance

A professional property management company should have an office within 100 miles of the [Property](#) and use a written management agreement that complies with [Part II, Chapter 1: Attributes and Characteristics, Section 111: Property Management and Agreement](#).

A qualified on-site manager

- is not required to be a [Property](#) resident,
- should generally be on-site during normal business hours, and
- for at least 2 years the before the [Commitment Date](#), should have either successfully managed the [Property](#) or have demonstrated management experience with a property similar in size or larger than the [Property](#).

Section 907 Property Condition

907.01 Site Inspection by Lender or Other Third Party

Requirements



You must ensure:

- a physical inspection of the [Property](#) is performed (including any [Property](#) securing a [Small Mortgage Loan](#) that is also a [Choice Refinance Loan](#));
- the physical inspection addresses special hazards, zoning, building and fire code violations, and regulatory compliance per the Instructions for Performing a Multifamily Property Condition Assessment ([Form 4099](#));
- the person performing the inspection and completing the [MBA Standard Inspection Form](#) meets the requirements for a [PCA Consultant](#) per [Part II, Chapter 4: Inspections and Reserves, Section 402.03: Conducting the PCA](#), and is:
 - your employee;
 - an appraiser; or
 - a third-party inspector.

If a non-employee appraiser or other third-party inspector performs the physical inspection, you must also have an employee visit the [Property](#).

The site inspection must provide you with enough information to complete the [MBA Standard Inspection Form](#), including:

- an assessment of the current condition of the [Property](#);
- an identification and cost estimate of any [Immediate Repairs](#), which must be included in the appropriate [Completion/Repair Agreement](#); and
- a general estimate of anticipated replacement and major maintenance needs.

For any [Property](#) consisting of multiple buildings, the site inspection must address the condition of all roofs, HVAC equipment, exterior façades, parking lots, exterior walkways, and balconies.

If a [Mortgage Loan](#) has a term greater than 10 years, then you must ensure that a new site inspection is performed in the 10th year of the loan term.

The date of the site inspection must meet the timing requirements for a [PCA](#) in [Part II, Chapter 4: Inspections and Reserves, Section 402: Property Condition Assessment \(PCA\)](#).

You must not [Deliver](#) any [Small Mortgage Loan](#) secured by a [Property](#)



that has:

- an overall rating on the [MBA Standard Inspection Form](#) that does not comply with [Part II, Chapter 4: Inspections and Reserves, Section 401: Site Inspection and Lease Audit](#); or
- deferred maintenance with repair costs greater than 10% of the [UPB](#).

907.02 Site Inspection by Borrower

Requirements

You must ensure that the [Borrower](#) or the [Key Principal](#):

- Conducts a physical inspection of the [Property](#).
- Certifies in the [Multifamily Underwriting Certificate \(Form 6460\)](#) that the physical inspection has been performed.

907.03 PCA

Requirements

A [PCA](#) is required:

- if the site inspection
 - notes structural or physical concerns, or
 - results in an overall rating of 3 being reported on the [Comp Assmt Addendum](#) tab of the [MBA Standard Inspection Form](#); or
- when a [Replacement Reserve](#) is required per [Part III, Chapter 9: Small Mortgage Loans, Section 908: Replacement Reserve](#).

Guidance

When a [PCA](#) is required, you may use:

- the [Streamlined Property Condition Assessment Guidance \(Form 4099.A\)](#), but the [PCA](#) must otherwise comply with [Part II, Chapter 4: Inspections and Reserves, Section 402: Property Condition Assessment \(PCA\)](#); and
- the [Streamlined PCA Requirements \(Form 4099.A\)](#) instead of the [MBA Standard Inspection Form](#), if you include the overall inspection



rating as defined on the [MBA Standard Inspection Form](#).

Section 908 Replacement Reserve

Requirements

You must require either full funding or alternative funding (per [Part II, Chapter 4: Inspections and Reserves, Section 404.03: Alternative Replacement Reserve Funding](#)) of the Replacement Reserve for any Tier 2 Small Mortgage Loan on a

- [Property](#) not located in an Eligible MSA per [Form 4660](#), or
- [Rent-Stabilized Property](#) located in the New York-Newark-Jersey City, NY-NJ-PA MSA.

For all other [Small Mortgage Loans](#), you must determine whether to require funding of the [Replacement Reserve](#).

If you do not require full funding, then you and the [Borrower](#) must execute either

- the appropriate Modifications to Multifamily Loan and Security Agreement (Replacement Reserve – Partially or Fully Waived) ([Form 6220](#)), or
- the Modifications to Multifamily Loan and Security Agreement (Replacement Reserve – Alternative Funding) ([Form 6221](#)).

Section 909 Environmental Matters and Inspections

Requirements

Before the [Commitment Date](#), you must:

- Obtain an Environmental Screening of the [Property](#) using the [ASTM E-1528](#) protocol.
- Perform a physical site inspection of the [Property](#).
- Notify the Appraiser of any Recognized Environmental Condition or “non-scope considerations” that would impact the value of the [Property](#).
- Determine if an [O&M](#) plan is appropriate to address a Recognized Environmental Condition.



- Determine if the state where the **Property** is located has an environmental super-lien statute, and ensure that the **Property** conditions are not likely to result in such a lien.
- Disclose any actual or suspected environmental conditions not disclosed in the **ESA**.
- Evaluate the potential risk posed by any Recognized Environmental Conditions that could result in loss or liability to you, the **Borrower**, the **Property**, or Fannie Mae.
- Obtain a copy of any **Phase I ESA** that the **Borrower** has in its possession or can obtain.
- Determine, based on the findings of the environmental screening and analysis, whether a **Phase I ESA** is required and, if so, contract for the report.
- When indicated, contract for a **Phase II ESA**.
- Disclose any knowledge of actual or suspected environmental problems.

Guidance

You may contract portions of your environmental responsibilities to qualified parties. The environmental screening and analysis may be completed by:

- the engineer conducting the **PCA** (if one was required);
- a qualified employee; or
- a qualified non-employee.

Operating Procedures

If a qualified individual performs the environmental screening and analysis, you must:

- Identify the individual.
- Ensure that the individual certifies each environmental analysis.
- Submit a certified copy of each environmental analysis with Folder II of the Multifamily Mortgage Loan Delivery Package Table of Contents (**Form 6502**).



Section 910

Borrower, Key Principals, Guarantors, and Principals

Requirements

Except as described below, you must comply with all requirements for the Borrower, Key Principals, Guarantors, and Principals in Part I, Chapter 3: Borrower, Guarantor, Key Principals, and Principals.

910.01 Borrower Organizational Structure

Requirements

Any individual Borrower must not be a Foreign Person.

Although a single asset entity is preferred, the Borrower may be a multi-asset entity.

Guidance

If the Borrower owns multiple assets, then you should obtain and underwrite the Borrower's complete schedule of owned real estate assets. Your underwriting should include the nature, location, cash flows, outstanding mortgage debt, and contingent liabilities of each asset.

910.02 Co-Tenant Borrowers

Requirements

If a Co-Tenant Borrower is not an individual or a trust holding title to assets of an individual, each Key Principal must execute the applicable Guaranty per Part III, Chapter 9: Small Mortgage Loans, Section 902: Key Principal Guaranty Obligation.

A Co-Tenant Borrower must be

- an individual who is not a Foreign Person,
- a single-asset entity, or
- a multi-asset entity.

910.03 Key Principals

Requirements

You must ensure that any individual Key Principal is not a Foreign



Person.

910.04 Principals

Requirements

For [Small Mortgage Loans](#), a [Principal](#) is any person or entity that holds direct or indirect interests of 50% or more in the [Borrower](#).

910.05 Financial Statements

Requirements

You must obtain

- a schedule of owned real estate assets, and
- signed financial statements.

Instead of signed financial statements, you may obtain an equivalent signed net worth statement or personal financial statement (such as a form bank application from the [Borrower](#) certifying to its financial condition) that conforms to the aging requirements in [Part I, Chapter 3: Borrower, Guarantor, Key Principals, and Principals](#).

910.06 Net Worth and Liquid Assets

Requirements

You must ensure that:

- the combined net worth of the [Borrower](#) and all [Key Principals](#) equals or exceeds the original principal amount of the [Small Mortgage Loan](#); and
- the combined post-closing liquid assets (excluding any [Small Mortgage Loan](#) cash-out proceeds) of the [Borrower](#) and all [Key Principals](#) equal at least 9 monthly payments of P&I on the [Small Mortgage Loan](#).

Guidance

You should:

- for net worth, consider the impact of current, long-term, and contingent liabilities compared to the [Small Mortgage Loan](#) amount;



- for liquidity, exclude the following unless you have reasonable justification:
 - retirement funds (such as IRAs and 401Ks); and
 - promissory notes payable to the Borrower or a Key Principal, whether secured or unsecured; and
- verify liquid assets for the 2-month period immediately preceding the Borrower's loan application by obtaining copies of all applicable:
 - bank statements; and
 - investment portfolio statements.

Section 911 Credit Reports

911.01 Credit Report

Requirements

Within 90 days before the **Commitment Date**, you must obtain credit reports for all individual

- Borrowers,
- Key Principals,
- Guarantors, and
- Principals

from at least 2 of the following credit information services:

- Equifax;
- Experian; or
- TransUnion.

911.02 FICO Scoring

Requirements

You must ensure that all individual **Borrowers**, **Key Principals**, **Guarantors**, and **Principals** meet the Minimum FICO Requirement in Form 4660.



→ Guidance

To determine that the Minimum FICO Requirement is met, follow these guidelines:

If...	Then...
You obtain credit reports from 2 of the 3 credit information services for a Borrower, Key Principal, Guarantor, or Principal	Use the lower of the 2 scores.
You obtain credit reports from all 3 credit information services, for a Borrower, Key Principal, Guarantor, or Principal	Use the middle score.
<u>A Small Mortgage Loan has multiple individual Borrowers, Key Principals, Guarantors, or Principals</u>	<u>Use the average of their respective FICO scores.</u>

If..	Then..
A Borrower, Key Principal, or Principal is married to another Borrower, Key Principal, Guarantor, or Principal	Use the lower FICO score of the 2 married individuals.
A Small Mortgage Loan has multiple individual Borrowers, Key Principals, Guarantors, or Principals	Use the average of their respective FICO scores.

911.03 Reviewing the Credit Report

Requirements

You must analyze the credit report for each individual Borrower, Key Principal, Guarantor, and Principal.

If the answer to any of the following Guidance questions is “yes”, then the Borrower, Key Principal, Guarantor, or Principal must give you satisfactory explanations, even if they meet the Minimum FICO Requirement.

→ Guidance



As you analyze the credit report, consider the following questions:

- Have any mortgage late payments occurred in the previous 36 months?
- Have any revolving or installment late payments occurred within the previous 12 months?
- Do you consider any of the credit card or other unsecured debt balances excessive?
- Have any tax liens been filed or reported within the previous 5 years?
- Have any discharged bankruptcies or mortgage foreclosures occurred within the previous 10 years?
- Are there any outstanding judgments or collections higher than \$5,000?



GLOSSARY

■ **Affiliate**

When referring to an affiliate of a Lender, any other Person or entity that Controls, is Controlled by, or is under common Control with, the Lender.

When referring to an affiliate of a Borrower or Key Principal:

- any Person that owns any direct ownership interest in Borrower or Key Principal;
- any Person that indirectly owns, with the power to vote, 20% or more of the ownership interests in Borrower or Key Principal;
- any Person Controlled by, under common Control with, or which Controls, Borrower or Key Principal;
- any entity in which Borrower or Key Principal directly or indirectly owns, with the power to vote, 20% or more of the ownership interests in such entity; or
- any other individual that is related (to the third degree of consanguinity) by blood or marriage to Borrower or Key Principal.

Synonyms

Affiliates

Affiliate's

■ **Cost Certification**

Independent third-party audit report itemizing the Property's construction and development costs, including a statement of eligible and qualified basis, submitted to the state housing finance agency to obtain IRS Form 8609(s).

■ **Material Commercial Lease**

Lease, sublease, license, concession, grant, or other possessory interest for commercial purposes that comprises 5% or more of the Property's's annual EGI, or relates to:

- solar power, thermal power generation, or co-power generation, or



for the installation of solar panels or any other electrical power generation equipment, and any related power purchase agreement; or

- any Property dwelling units leased to an Affiliate of the Borrower, any Key Principal, or any Principal.
 - Key Principal.
 - Principal, or
 - Affiliate.

Synonyms

Material Commercial Leases

■ **New Construction**

Property recently developed/constructed with any certificates of occupancy received within 12 months before the Commitment Date.

■ **Project**

Multifamily buildings

- on multiple Properties,
- owned by the same Borrower, and
- that comply with Part II, Chapter 1: Attributes and Characteristics, Section 102.01: Single Borrower Ownership.

Synonyms

Projects