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April 1, 2019

Jonathan Keep, Chairman
Board of Selectmen
Bolton Town Hall
663 Main Street
Bolton, MA 01740

RE: Mallard Lane

Dear Mr. Keep:

The Massachusetts Housing Finance Agency (MassHousing) is currently reviewing an application for Site Approval submitted by James Morin. The proposed development will consist of 11 single family homes on approximately 5 acres of land located on South Bolton Road in Bolton.

The site approval process is offered to project sponsors who intend to apply for a Comprehensive Permit under Chapter 40B. MassHousing's review involves an evaluation of the site, the design concept, the financial feasibility of the proposal, and the appropriateness of the proposal in relation to local housing needs and strategies. As part of our review, we are soliciting comments from the local community and we would appreciate your input. You also may wish to include in your response, issues or concerns raised by other Local Boards, officials or other interested parties. Pursuant to the new Massachusetts General Laws Chapter 40B regulations (760 CMR 56.00) your comments may include information regarding municipal actions previously taken to meet affordable housing needs such as inclusionary zoning, multifamily districts adopted under G.L. c.40A and overlay districts adopted under G.L. c.40R. Your comments will be considered as part of our review.

We have been informed by the Applicant that the town has received a copy of the application and site plans. Please inform us of any issues that have been raised or are anticipated in the town's review of this application. We request that you submit your comments to this office within 30 days, so we may process this application in a timely manner.

During the course of its review, MassHousing will conduct a site visit, which Local Boards, as defined in 760 CMR 56.02, may attend. The site visit for this development has been tentatively scheduled for April 11, 2019. Please notify Michael Busby, MassHousing Relationship Manager, at (617) 854-1219 promptly if any representatives of your office or of other Local Boards plan to attend the scheduled site visit.

Please note that if and when an application is submitted for a Comprehensive Permit, assistance is available to the Zoning Board of Appeals (ZBA) to review the permit application. The Massachusetts Housing Partnership's (MHP) *Ch. 40B Technical Assistance Program* administers grants to municipalities for up to \$15,000 to engage qualified third-party consultants to work with the local ZBA in reviewing the Chapter 40B proposal. For more information about MHP's technical assistance grant visit MHP's web site, www.mhp.net/40B or e-mail MHP at pcrean@mhp.net.

If you have any questions, please do not hesitate to telephone me at (617) 854-1219 or email me at mbusby@masshousing.com.

Thank you for your assistance.

Sincerely,



Michael Busby
Relationship Manager



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Pamela H. Powell
Town Clerk

Comprehensive Permit Site Approval Application/**Homeownership**

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Comprehensive Permit Site Approval Application/Homeownership

Attached is the Massachusetts Housing Finance Agency ("MassHousing") application form for Project Eligibility/Site Approval ("Site Approval") under the state's comprehensive permit statute (M.G.L. c. 40B, Sections 20-23 enacted as Chapter 774 of the Acts of 1969) known as "Chapter 40B". Developers seeking a comprehensive permit to construct affordable housing under Chapter 40B and intending to use a MassHousing financing program or financing through the New England Fund ("NEF") program must receive Site Approval from MassHousing. This approval (also referred to as "project eligibility approval") is a required component of any comprehensive permit application to be submitted to the local Zoning Board of Appeals of the municipality in which the development is to be located.

As part of its review of your application, MassHousing will conduct an inspection of the site and will solicit comments from the relevant municipality. MassHousing will consider any relevant concerns that the municipality might have about the proposed project or the developer. The applicant is encouraged, therefore, to make contact with the municipality prior to submitting the Site Approval application in order to ensure that the applicant understands any concerns that the municipality may be likely to raise regarding the proposed development.

In order for a project to receive Site Approval, MassHousing must determine that (i) the applicant has sufficient legal control of the site, (ii) the applicant is a public agency, non-profit organization or limited dividend organization, and (iii) the applicant and the project are generally eligible under the requirements of the MassHousing program selected by the applicant, subject to final eligibility review and approval. Furthermore, MassHousing must determine that the site of the proposed project is generally appropriate for residential development (taking into consideration municipal actions previously taken to meet affordable housing needs) and that the conceptual project design is generally appropriate for the site. In order for MassHousing to be able to make these findings (required by 760 CMR 56.04 (4)), it is important that you answer all questions in the application and include all required attachments.

Please note that MassHousing requires that all applicants meet with a member of our 40B Department staff before submitting their application. Applications for any projects that have not been the subject of a required pre-application meeting will not be accepted or processed.

Upon completion of its analysis, MassHousing will either issue a Site Approval Letter that approves, conditionally approves or denies the application. If the application is approved, the applicant should apply to the Zoning Board of Appeals within two years from the date of the Site Approval Letter (unless MassHousing extends such term in writing).

Please note that Site Approval from MassHousing does not constitute a loan commitment by MassHousing or any other financing program. All potential MassHousing financing is subject to further review and underwriting by MassHousing's Rental Lending Department.

Please be sure you have familiarized yourself with all of the applicable requirements set forth in the Chapter 40B regulations and guidelines, which can be found at

<http://www.mass.gov/hed/economic/cohed/dhcd/legal/regs/760-cmr-56.html> and
www.mass.gov/hed/docs/dhcd/legal/comprehensivepermitguidelines.pdf.

Instructions for completing the Site Approval Application are included in the application form which is attached. The completed application form and all additional documentation should be sent, after your pre-application meeting has been held, to:

**Gregory Watson, Manager of Comprehensive Permit Programs
MassHousing, One Beacon Street, Boston, MA 02108**

We look forward to working with you on your proposed development. Please contact Gregory Watson at 617-854-1880 or gwatson@masshousing.com to discuss scheduling your pre-application meeting or if there is any assistance that we can provide in the meantime to make your application process a smooth and efficient one.

Our Commitment to You

MassHousing recognizes that applicants seek some measure of predictability regarding the timeframe for our processing of their applications. Our staff will endeavor to adhere to the following schedule for reviewing applications for site approval:

Within two (2) business days of receipt of your application (provided that you have attended a required pre-application meeting) a member of our staff will notify you of any of the items listed on the checklist at the end of the application form that were missing from your application package. Please note that our acknowledgement of receipt of an item does not indicate that any substantive review has yet taken place.

If your application package is missing any of the items indicated on the checklist by an asterisk, we will not be able to continue processing your application until such items are received.

If we have received the information which is crucial to the commencement of our review process, we will proceed to (i) give the municipality a period of thirty (30) days in which to submit comments relating to your proposal, (ii) schedule and conduct a site visit, and (iii) solicit bids for and commission and review an "as is" appraisal of your site.

If during our review of your application package we determine that additional information or clarification is needed, we will notify you as soon as possible. Depending on when we receive such additional information, this may affect the amount of time required for MassHousing to complete the site approval process.

Assuming that your application package was complete and that you respond in a timely manner to requests for additional information or clarification, we would expect to issue or deny your site approval within 60 days of our receipt of your application package.



**Application for Chapter 40B Project Eligibility/Site Approval
for MassHousing-Financed and New England Fund ("NEF") Homeownership Projects**

Please be sure to answer ALL questions. Indicate "N/A", "None" or "Same" when necessary.

Section 1: GENERAL INFORMATION (also see Required Attachments listed at end of Section 1)

Name of Proposed Project: Mallard Lane

Municipality: Bolton

Address of Site: South Bolton Road

Cross Street (if applicable): Between Wheeler Road and Spectacle Hill Road

Zip Code: 01740

Tax Parcel I.D. Number(s) (Map/Block/Lot): Map 2.C Lot 15.1

Name of Proposed Development Entity (typically a single purpose entity): _____

Northeast Classic Builders

Entity Type: Limited Dividend Organization ☒ Non-Profit* _____ Government Agency _____

** If the Proposed Development Entity is a Non-Profit, please contact MassHousing regarding additional documentation that must be submitted.*

Has this entity already been formed? Yes ☒ No _____

Name of Applicant (typically the Proposed Development Entity or its controlling entity or individual): _____

Northeast Classic Builders

Applicant's Web Address, if any: _____

Does the Applicant have an identity of interest with any other member of the development team or other party to the Proposed Project? Yes _____ No ☒ If yes, please explain: _____

Primary Contact Information (required)

Name of Individual: James Morin

Relationship to Applicant: Applicant

Name of Company (if any): Northeast Classic Builders

Street Address: P.O. Box 155

City/Town/Zip: Bolton, MA 01740

Telephone (office and cell) and Email: 774 696-2246 jim@neclassicengineering.com

Secondary Contact Information (required)

Name of Individual: Kathryn Lumb

Relationship to Applicant: Applicant

Name of Company (if any): Northeast Classic Builders

Street Address: P.O. Box 155

City/Town/Zip: Bolton, MA 01740

Telephone (office and cell) and Email: _____

Additional Contact Information *(optional)*

Name of Individual: _____

Relationship to Applicant: _____

Name of Company *(if any)*: _____

Street Address: _____

City/Town/Zip: _____

Telephone *(office and cell)* and Email: _____

Anticipated Financing:

MassHousing _____ NEF Bank ☒

Name of NEF Bank: _____

Total Number of Units 11.00 # Affordable Units 3.00 # Market Rate Units 8.00

Age Restricted? Yes ☐ No ☒ If Yes, 55+ ☐ or 62+ ☒

Brief Project Description (150 words or less):

Construction a 600 foot private way (Mallard Lane) and cul-de-sac for eleven age in place single story two bedroom homes. Three of the homes will be priced affordable and 8 will be priced at market rate. The homes will be approximately 2,000 SF, have 2 1/2 baths, a 2 car garage, truss roofs, forced hot air heat (propane / natural gas), central air conditioning, resilient flooring, high efficiency appliances, energy efficient double hung windows, Hardie siding and paved driveways. The will be a shared private well and shared three shared septic systems.

Required Attachments Relating to Section 1

1.1 Location Map

Provide a USGS or other form of map clearly marked to show the site's location, and an approximate property boundary.

1.2 Tax Map

Provide a copy of municipal tax map (assessor's plan) with subject parcels and parcel ID #'s clearly identified.

1.3 Directions

Provide detailed written directions to the site, noting the entrance to the site, relevant boundaries and any prominent landmarks that can be used for identification purposes.

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Section 2: EXISTING CONDITIONS / SITE INFORMATION (also see Required Attachments listed at end of Section 2)

In order to issue Site Approval, MassHousing must find (as required by 760 CMR 56.04 (4)) that the site is generally appropriate for residential development.

Name of Proposed Project: Mallard Lane

Buildable Area Calculations

Sq. Feet/Acres (enter "0" if applicable—do not leave blank)

Total Site Area	217,000.00
Wetland Area	0.00
Flood/Hazard Area	0.00
Endangered Species Habitat (animal and/or plant)	0.00
Conservation/Article 97 Land	0.00
Protected Agricultural Land	0.00
Other Non-Buildable (Describe)	0.00
Total Non-Buildable Area	0.00
Total Buildable Site Area	217,000.00

Current use of the site and prior use if known:

Undeveloped

Is the site located entirely within one municipality? Yes ☒ No ☐

If not, in what other municipality is the site located? _____

How much land is in each municipality? (the Existing Conditions Plan must show the municipal boundary lines) _____

Current zoning classification and principal permitted uses:

Zone R1 - residential

Previous Development Efforts

Please list (on the following page) any previous applications pertaining to construction on or development of the site, including (i) type of application (comprehensive permit, subdivision, special permit, etc.); (ii) application filing date; (iii) date of denial, approval or withdrawal. Also indicate the current Applicant's role, if any, in the previous applications. Note that, pursuant to 760 CMR 56.03 (1), a decision of a Zoning Board of Appeals to deny a Comprehensive Permit, or (if the Statutory Minima defined at 760 CMR 56.03 (3) (b or c) have been satisfied) grant a Comprehensive Permit with conditions, shall be upheld if a related application has previously been received, as set forth in 760 CMR 56.03 (7).

A review of the Town's records and the Worcester County Registry of Deeds found no previous development efforts.

To the best of your knowledge, has this site ever been rejected for project eligibility/site approval by another subsidizing agency or authority? _____

Existing Utilities and Infrastructure	Yes/No	Description
Wastewater- private wastewater treatment	No	
Wastewater - public sewer	No	
Storm Sewer	Yes	Along South Bolton Road
Water-public water	No	
Water-private well	No	
Natural Gas	No	
Electricity	Yes	Along South Bolton Road
Roadway Access to Site	Yes	From South Bolton Road
Sidewalk Access to Site	No	
Other		

Describe surrounding land use(s):

Surrounding lots are single family homes.

Surrounding Land Use/Amenities	Distance from Site	Available by Public Transportation?
Shopping Facilities	7 miles	No
Schools	3 miles	No
Government Offices	3 miles	No
Multi-Family Housing		No
Public Safety Facilities	3 miles	No
Office/Industrial Uses		No
Conservation Land	> 1 mile	No
Recreational Facilities	8 miles	No
Houses of Worship	3 miles	No
Other		No

List any public transportation near the Site, including type of transportation and distance from the site:
Worcester Airport - 21 miles from proposed site.

Site Characteristics and Development Constraints

Please answer "Yes", "No" or "Unknown" to the following questions. If the answer is "Yes" please identify on Existing Conditions Plan as required for Attachment 2.1 and provide additional information and documentation as an attachment as instructed for Attachment 2.4, "Documentation Regarding Site Characteristics/Constraints."

- Are there any easements, rights of way or other restrictions of record affecting the development of the site? No
- Is there any evidence of hazardous, flammable, or explosive material on the site? No
- Is the site, or any portion thereof, located within a designated flood hazard area? No
- Does the site include areas designated by Natural Heritage as endangered species habitat? No
- Are there documented state-designated wetlands on the site? No
- Are there documented vernal pools on the site? No
- Is the site within a local or state Historic District or listed on the National Register or Historic Places? No
- Has the site or any building(s) on the site been designated as a local, state or national landmark? No
- Are there existing buildings and structures on site? No
- Does the site include documented archeological resources? No
- Does the site include any known significant areas of ledge or steep slopes? No

Required Attachments Relating to Section 2

2.1 Existing Conditions Plan

Please provide a detailed Existing Conditions Plan showing the entire site, prepared, signed and stamped by a Registered Engineer or Land Surveyor. Plans should be prepared at a scale of 1"=100' or 1"=200' and should include the following information:

- a. Reduced scale locus map
- b. Surveyed property boundaries
- c. Topography
- d. Wetland boundaries (if applicable)
- e. Existing utilities (subsurface and above ground).
- f. Natural features including bodies of water, rock outcroppings
- g. Existing easements and/or rights of way on the property
- h. Existing buildings and structures, including walls, fences, wells
- i. Existing vegetated areas
- j. Existing Site entries and egresses

Please provide one (1) set of full size (30"x40") plans along with one (1) set of 11"x17" reproductions and one electronic set of plans. Please note that MassHousing cannot accept USB flash drives.

2.2 Aerial Photographs

Please provide one or more aerial photograph(s) of the Site (such as those available on-line) showing the immediate surrounding area if available. Site boundaries and existing site entrance and access points must be clearly marked.

2.3 Site/Context Photographs

Please provide photographs of the Site and surrounding physical and neighborhood context, including nearby buildings, significant natural features and land uses. Please identify the subject and location of all photographs.

2.4 Documentation Regarding Site Characteristics/Constraints

Please provide documentation of site characteristics and constraints as directed including narratives, summaries and relevant documentation including:

- Flood Insurance Rate Map (FIRM) showing site boundaries
- Wetlands delineation
- Historic District Nomination(s)

2.5 By-Right Site Plan (if available)

MassHousing will commission, at your expense, an "as-is" appraisal of the site in accordance with the Guidelines, Section B (1). Therefore, if there is a conceptual development plan which would be permitted under current zoning and which you would like the appraiser to take into consideration, or if permits have been issued for alternative development proposals for the site, please provide two (2) copies of a "by-right" site plan showing the highest and best use of the site under current zoning, and copies of any existing permits. These will assist the appraiser in determining the "as is" value of the Site without any consideration being given to its potential for development under Chapter 40B.

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Section 3: PROJECT INFORMATION (also see Required Attachments listed at end of Section 3)

In order to issue Site Approval, MassHousing must find (as required by 760 CMR 56.04 (4)) that the proposed project appears generally eligible under the requirements of the housing subsidy program and that the conceptual project design is generally appropriate for the site.

Name of Proposed Project: Mallard Lane

Project Type (mark both if applicable): New Construction ☒ Rehabilitation ☐ Both ☐

Total Number of Dwelling Units: 11.00

Total Number of Affordable Units: 3.00

Number of 50% AMI Affordable Units:

Number of 80% AMI Affordable Units:

Unit Mix: Affordable Units

Unit Type	Studio	1 Bedroom	2 Bedroom	3 Bedroom	4 Bedroom
Number of Units			3.00		
Number of Bathrooms			2.50		
Square Feet/Unit			2,000.00		

Unit Mix: Market Rate

Unit Type	Studio	1 Bedroom	2 Bedroom	3 Bedroom	4 Bedroom
Number of Units			8.00		
Number of Bathrooms			2.50		
Square Feet/Unit			2,000.00		

Percentage of Units with 3 or More Bedrooms*: 0.00

* Note that the January 17, 2014 Interagency Agreement Regarding Housing Opportunities for Families with Children requires that at least 10% of the units in the project must have three (3) or more bedrooms. Evidence of compliance with this requirement must be provided at Final Approval.

Number of Handicapped Accessible Units: 11.00 Market Rate: 8.00 Affordable: 3.00

Gross Density (units per acre): 2.60

Net Density (units per buildable acre): 2.60

Residential Building Information

Building Type and Style <i>(single family detached, townhouse, multi-family)</i>	Construction or Rehabilitation	Number of Stories	Height	GFA	Number Bldgs. of this type
Single Family homes	construction	1.00	20	2000	11.00

Non-Residential Building Information

Building Type and Style	Construction or Rehabilitation	Number of Stories	Height	GFA	Number Bldgs. of this type

Will all features and amenities available to market unit residents also be available to affordable unit residents?

If not, explain the differences.

All features and amenities will be available to both affordable and market rate units.

Parking

Total Parking Spaces Provided: 2.00

Ratio of Parking Spaces to Housing Units: 2

Lot Coverage *(Estimate the percentage of the site used for the following)*

Buildings: 12 %

Parking and Paved Areas: 10 %

Usable Open Space: 78 %

Unusable Open Space: 0

Lot Coverage: 22 %

Does project fit definition of "Large Project" (as defined in 760 CMR 56.03 (6))? Yes/No No

Required Attachments Relating to Section 3

3.1 Preliminary Site Layout Plan(s)

Please provide preliminary site layout plans of the entire Site prepared, signed and stamped by a registered architect or engineer. Plans should be prepared at a scale of 1"=100' or 1" =200', and should show:

- Proposed site grading
- Existing lot lines
- Easements (existing and proposed)
- Access to a public way must be identified
- Required setbacks
- Proposed site circulation (entrances/egresses, roadways, driveways, parking areas, walk ways, paths, trails)
- Building and structure footprints (label)
- Utilities (existing and proposed)
- Open space areas
- Schematic landscaping and screening
- Wetland and other restricted area boundaries and buffer zones

Please provide one (1) set of full size (30"x40") plans along with one (1) set of 11"x17" reproductions and one (1) electronic set of plans. Please note that MassHousing cannot accept USB flash drives.

3.2 Graphic Representations of Project/Preliminary Architectural Plans

- Typical floor plans
- Unit plans showing dimensions, bedrooms, bathrooms and overall unit layout
- Exterior elevations, sections, perspectives and illustrative rendering.

3.3 Narrative Description of Design Approach

Provide a narrative description of the approach to building massing, style, and exterior materials; site layout, and the relationship of the project to adjacent properties, rights of way and existing development patterns. The handbook called Approach to Chapter 40B Design Reviews prepared by the Cecil Group in January 2011 may be helpful in demonstrating the nature of the discussion that MassHousing seeks in this narrative.

3.4 Tabular Zoning Analysis

Zoning analysis in tabular form comparing existing zoning requirements to the waivers that you will request from the Zoning Board of Appeals for the proposed project, showing required and proposed dimensional requirements including lot area, frontage, front, side and rear setbacks, maximum building coverage, maximum lot coverage, height, number of stories, maximum gross floor area ratio, units per acre, units per buildable acre; number of parking spaces per unit/square foot and total number of parking spaces (proposed and required).

3.5 Completed Sustainable Development Principles Evaluation Assessment Form *(see attached form)*

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Section 4: SITE CONTROL (also see Required Attachments listed at end of Section 4)

In order to issue Site Approval, MassHousing must find (as required by 760 CRM 56.04 (4)) that the Applicant controls the site.

Name of Proposed Project: Mallard Lane

Describe current ownership status of the entire site as shown on the site layout plans (attach additional sheets as necessary if the site is comprised of multiple parcels governed by multiple deeds or agreements):

Owned (or ground leased) by Development Entity or Applicant _____

Under Purchase and Sale Agreement _____

Under Option Agreement _____

Note: The Grantee/Buyer on each document must be either the Applicant or the Proposed Development Entity, or you must attach an explanation showing direct control of the Grantee/Buyer by the Applicant or the Proposed Development Entity.

Grantor/Seller: P A Bonazzoli & E G Dixon Jr Trust

Grantee/Buyer: Northeast Classic Builders

Grantee/Buyer is (check one):

Applicant ☒ Development Entity _____ Managing General Partner of Development Entity _____

General Partner of Development Entity _____ Other (explain) _____

Are the Parties Related? _____

For Deeds or Ground Leases

Date(s) of Deed(s) or Ground Lease(s): _____

Purchase Price: _____

For Purchase and Sale Agreements or Option Agreements

Date of Agreement: _____

Expiration Date: _____

If an extension has been granted, date of extension: _____

If an extension has been granted, new expiration date: _____

Purchase Price: _____

Will any easements or rights of way over other properties be required in order to develop the site as proposed?

Yes _____ No ☒

If Yes, please describe current status of easement:

Owned (or ground leased) by Development Entity or Applicant _____

Under Purchase and Sale Agreement _____

Under Option Agreement _____

Note: The Grantee/Buyer on each document must be either the Applicant or the Proposed Development Entity, or you must attach an explanation showing direct control of the Grantee/Buyer by the Applicant or the Proposed Development Entity.

Grantor/Seller: P A Bonazzoli & E G Dixon Jr Trust

Grantee/Buyer: Northeast Classic Builders

Are the Parties Related? No

For Easements

Date(s) of Easement(s): _____

Purchase Price: _____

For Easement Purchase and Sale Agreements or Easement Option Agreements

Date of Agreement: _____

Expiration Date: _____

If an extension has been granted, date of extension: _____

If an extension has been granted, new expiration date: _____

Purchase Price: _____

Required Attachments Relating to Section 4

4.1 Evidence of Site Control (required)

Copies of all applicable, fully executed documents (deed, ground lease, purchase and sale agreement, option agreement, land disposition agreement) showing evidence of site control, including any required easements, along with copies of all amendments and extensions. Copies of all plans referenced in documents must be included.

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Section 5: FINANCIAL INFORMATION – Site Approval Application Homeownership 40B

In order to issue Site Approval, MassHousing must find (as required by 760 CMR 56.04 (4)) that an initial pro forma has been reviewed and that the Proposed Project appears financially feasible and consistent with the Chapter 40B Guidelines, and that the Proposed Project is fundable under the applicable program.

Name of Proposed Project: Mallard Lane

Initial Capital Budget (please enter "0" when no such sales/revenue or cost is anticipated)

Sales / Revenue

Market	<u>4,400,000.00</u>
Affordable	<u>540,000.00</u>
Related Party	<u>0.00</u>
Other Income	<u>0.00</u>
Total Sales/Revenue	<u>4,940,000.00</u>

Pre-Permit Land Value, Reasonable Carrying Costs

Item	Budgeted
Site Acquisition: pre-permit land value (to be determined by MassHousing commissioned appraisal) plus reasonable carrying costs.	

Costs

Item	Budgeted
Acquisition Cost	
Site Acquisition: pre-permit land value (to be determined by MassHousing Commissioned Appraisal) plus reasonable carrying costs	<u>195,000.00</u>
Subtotal Acquisition Costs	<u>195,000.00</u>
Construction Costs-Residential Construction (Hard Costs)	
Building Structure Costs	<u>2,650,000.00</u>
Hard Cost Contingency	<u>265,000.00</u>
Subtotal – Residential Construction (Hard Costs)	<u>2,915,000.00</u>

Costs

Item

Budgeted

Construction Costs-Site Work (Hard Costs)

Earth Work	100,000.00
Utilities: On Site	40,000.00
Utilities: Off-Site	10,000.00
Roads and Walks	100,000.00
Site Improvement	50,000.00
Lawns and Planting	25,000.00
Geotechnical Condition	10,000.00
Environmental Remediation	7,500.00
Demolition	7,500.00
Unusual Site Conditions/Other Site Work	0.00
Subtotal -Site Work (Hard Costs)	350,000.00

Construction Costs-General Conditions, Builders Overhead and Profit (Hard Costs)

General Conditions	25,000.00
Builder's Overhead	25,000.00
Builder's Profit	70,000.00
Subtotal - General Conditions Builder's Overhead and Profit (Hard Costs)	120,000.00

General Development Costs (Soft Costs)

Appraisal and Marketing Study (not 40B "as is" appraisal)	20,000.00
Lottery	0.00
Commissions/Advertising-Affordable	27,000.00
Commissions/Advertising-Market	220,000.00
Model Unit	0.00
Closing Costs (unit sales)	33,000.00
Real Estate Taxes (during construction)	5,000.00
Utility Usage (during construction)	3,000.00
Insurance (during construction)	7,700.00
Security (during construction)	3,000.00
Inspecting Engineer	0.00
Fees to Others	0.00
Construction Loan Interest	180,000.00
Fees to Construction Lender	0.00
Architectural	5,000.00
Engineering	25,000.00
Survey, Permits, Etc.	27,500.00
Clerk of the Works	0.00
Construction Manager	40,000.00

Item	Budgeted
General Development Costs (Soft Costs) - Continued	
Bond Premiums (Payment/Performance/Lien Bond)	25,000.00
Legal	7,000.00
Title (including title insurance) and Recording	30,000.00
Accounting and Cost Certification (incl. 40B)	22,000.00
Relocation	0.00
40B Site Approval Processing Fee	2,500.00
40B Technical Assistance/Mediation Fund Fee	2,500.00
40B Land Appraisal Cost (as-is value)	2,500.00
40B Final Approval Processing Fee	2,500.00
40B Subsidizing Agency Cost Certification Examination Fee	2,500.00
40B Monitoring Agent Fees	2,500.00
40B Surety Fees	0.00
Other Financing Fees	0.00
Development Consultant	0.00
Other Consultants (describe)	0.00
Other Consultants (describe)	3,000.00
Soft Cost Contingency	0.00
Other General Development (Soft) Costs	700,700.00
Subtotal - General Development Costs (Soft Costs)	
Developer Overhead	
Developer Overhead	25,000.00
Subtotal - Developer Overhead	25,000.00
Summary of Subtotals	
Sales/Revenue	4,940,000.00
Site Acquisition	195,000.00
Residential Construction	2,915,000.00
Site Work	350,000.00
Builder's Overhead, Profit and General Conditions	120,000.00
General Development Costs	700,700.00
Developer Overhead	25,000.00
Summary	4,940,000.00
Total Sales/Revenue	4,305,700.00
Total Development Costs (TDC)	634,300.00
Profit (Loss) from Sales/Revenue	
Percentage of Profit (Loss) Over the Total Development Costs	14.73%

Initial Unit/Sales Price

	Studio	1 Bedroom	2 Bedroom	3 Bedroom	4 Bedroom
Affordable Units			3.00		
Number of Units			11.00		
Number of Sq. Ft			2,100.00		
Sales Price			510,000.00		
Condo / HOA Fee			400.00		

	Studio	1 Bedroom	2 Bedroom	3 Bedroom	4 Bedroom
Affordable Units					
Number of Units					
Number of Sq. Ft					
Sales Price					
Condo / HOA Fee					

Describe your approach to calculating any additional fees relating to Condominium Association or a Homeowners Association.

Condo / HOA fee was based on current fees for similar developments in the area.

Required Attachments Relating to Section 5

5.1 New England Fund Lender Letter of Interest

Please attach a Letter of Interest from a current Federal Home Loan Bank of Boston (FHLBB) member bank regarding financing for the proposed development. The letter of interest must include, at a minimum, the following:

- Identification of proposed borrower, and brief description of the bank's familiarity with the borrower;
- Brief description of the Proposed Project
- Confirmation that the bank is a current FHLBB member bank and that the bank will specifically use NEF funds for the proposed development.

NOTE: Binding Financing Commitments (or evidence of closed loans) will be required at the time you apply for Final Approval from MassHousing.

5.2 Market Sale Comparables (required)

Please provide a listing of market sales being achieved in properties comparable to the proposed project.

5.3 Market Study (if requested)

MassHousing may require a market study for projects located in areas where the need or demand for the type of housing being proposed cannot be clearly demonstrated.

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Section 6: APPLICANT QUALIFICATIONS, ENTITY INFORMATION, AND CERTIFICATION

In order to issue Site Approval MassHousing must find (as required by 760 CRM 56.04 (4)) that the applicant is either a non-profit public agency or would be eligible to apply as a Limited Dividend Organization and meets the general eligibility standards of the program.

Name of Proposed Project: Mallard Lane

Development Team

Developer/Applicant: Northeast Classic Builders

Development Consultant (if any): _____

Attorney: _____

Architect: _____

Contractor: Northeast Classic Builders

Lottery Agent: _____

Management Agent: _____

Other (specify): Massachusetts Register Engineer - James Herrick, PE

Other (specify): Consulting Engineering - Ducharme & Dillis

Role of Applicant in Current Proposal

Development Task	Developer/Applicant	Development Consultant (identify)
Architecture and Engineering	Developer/Applicant	Ducharme & Dills
Local Permitting	Developer/Applicant	Ducharme & James Herrick
Financing Package	Developer/Applicant	
Construction Management	Developer/Applicant	James Herrick
Other	Developer/Applicant	

Applicant's Ownership Entity Information

Please identify for each of (i) the Applicant and, if different (ii), the Proposed Development Entity, the following (collectively with the Applicant and the Proposed Development Entity, the "Applicant Entities"): the Managing Entities, Principals, Controlling Entities and Affiliates of each.

Note: For the purposes hereof, "Managing Entities" shall include all persons and entities (e.g. natural persons, corporations, partnerships, limited liability companies, etc., including beneficiaries of nominee trusts) who are managers of limited liability companies, general partners of limited partnerships, managing general partners of limited liability partnerships, directors and officers of corporations, trustees of trusts, and other similar persons and entities which have the power to manage and control the activities of the Applicant and/or Proposed Development Entity.

"Principal or Controlling Entities" shall include all persons and entities (e.g. natural persons, corporations, partnerships, limited liability companies, etc., including beneficiaries of nominee trusts) that shall have the right to:

- (i) approve the terms and conditions of any proposed purchase, sale or mortgage;*
- (ii) approve the appointment of a property manager; and/or*
- (iii) approve managerial decisions other than a decision to liquidate, file for bankruptcy, or incur additional indebtedness.*

Such rights may be exercisable either (i) directly as a result of such person's or entity's role within the Applicant or the Proposed Development Entity or the Managing Entities of either or (ii) indirectly through other entities that are included within the organizational structure of the Applicant and/or Proposed Development Entity and the Managing Entities of either.

In considering an application, MassHousing will presume that there is at least one Principal or Controlling Entity of the Applicant and of the Proposed Development Entity. Any person or persons who have purchased an interest for fair market value in the Applicant and/or Proposed Development Entity solely for investment purposes shall not be deemed a Principal or Controlling Entity.

"Affiliates" shall include all entities that are related to the subject organization by reason of common control, financial interdependence or other means.

1. Applicant

Name of Applicant: Northeast Classic Builders

Entity Type (limited liability company, limited partnership, limited liability partnership, corporation, trust, etc.):
LLC

State in which registered/formed: Massachusetts

List all Managing Entities of Applicant (you must list at least one):

Northeast Classic Builders

List all Principals and Controlling Entities of Applicant and (unless the Managing Entity is an individual) its Managing Entities (use additional pages as necessary):

List all Affiliates of Applicant and its Managing Entities (use additional pages as necessary):

Proposed Development Entity

Name of Proposed Development Entity: Northeast Classic Builders

Entity Type (*limited liability company, limited partnership, limited liability partnership, corporation, trust, etc.*):
LLC

State in which registered/formed: MA

List all Managing Entities of Proposed Development Entity (*you must list at least one*):
Northeast Classic Builders

List all Principals and Controlling Entities of Proposed Development Entity and (*unless the Managing Entity is an individual*)
its Managing Entities (*use additional pages as necessary*):

List all Affiliates of Proposed Development Entity and its Managing Entities (*use additional pages as necessary*):

Certification and Acknowledgment

I hereby certify on behalf of the Applicant, *under pains and penalties of perjury*, that the information provided above for each of the Applicant Entities is, to the best of my knowledge, true and complete; and that each of the following questions has been answered correctly to the best of my knowledge and belief:

(Please attach a written explanation for all of the following questions that are answered with a "Yes". Explanations should be attached to this Section 6.)

Is there pending litigation with respect to any of the Applicant Entities? Yes ___ No ☒

Are there any outstanding liens or judgments against any properties owned by any of the Applicant Entities? Yes ___ No ☒

Have any of the Applicant Entities failed to comply with provisions of Massachusetts law related to taxes, reporting of employees and contractors, or withholding of child support? Yes ___ No ___

Have any of the Applicant Entities ever been the subject of a felony indictment or conviction? Yes ___ No ☒

During the last 10 years, have any of the Applicant Entities ever been a defendant in a lawsuit involving fraud, gross negligence, misrepresentation, dishonesty, breach of fiduciary responsibility or bankruptcy? Yes ___ No ☒

Have any of the Applicant Entities failed to carry out obligations in connection with a Comprehensive Permit issued pursuant to M.G.L. c. 40B and any regulations or guidelines promulgated thereunder (whether or not MassHousing is or was the Subsidizing Agency/Project Administrator) including, but not limited to, completion of a cost examination and return of any excess profits or distributions? Yes ___ No ☒

Have any of the Applicant Entities ever been charged with a violation of state or federal fair housing requirements? Yes ___ No ☒

Are any of the Applicant Entities not current on all existing obligations to the Commonwealth of Massachusetts, and any agency, authority or instrument thereof? Yes ___ No ☒

I further certify that the information set forth in this application (including attachments) is true, accurate and complete as of the date hereof to the best of my/our knowledge, information and belief. I further understand that MassHousing is relying on this information in processing the request for Site Approval in connection with the above-referenced project.

I further certify that we have met with a representative of the 40B Department at MassHousing and understand the requirements for a) completing this application and b) the procedures if and when Site Approval is granted, including the requirement for (i) the use of the standard MassHousing Regulatory Agreement, and (ii) submission to MassHousing, within one hundred eighty (180) days after substantial completion or, if later, within ninety (90) days of the date on which all units are sold, of a cost certification examined in accordance with AICPA attestation standards by an approved certified public accountant.

I hereby acknowledge our commitment and obligation to comply with requirements for cost examination and limitations on profits and distributions, all as found at 760 CMR 56.04(8) and will be more particularly set forth in the MassHousing Regulatory Agreement.

I hereby acknowledge that it will be required to provide financial surety, by means of bond, cash escrow and a surety escrow agreement or letter of credit with the agreement that it may be called upon or used in the event that the Developer fails either to (i) complete and submit the Cost Examination as required by 760 CMR 56.04(8) and the MassHousing Regulatory Agreement, or (ii) pay over to the Municipality any funds in excess of the limitations on profits and distributions as required by 760 CMR 56.04(8) and as set forth in the MassHousing Regulatory Agreement.

Signature: 

Name: JAMES J Monn

Title: Owner

Date: 3/07/2019

Required Attachments Relating to Section 6

6.1 Development Team Qualifications

Please attach resumes for principal team members (Applicant, consultant, attorney, architect, general contractor, management agent, lottery agent, etc.) and list of all relevant project experience for 1) the team as a whole and 2) individual team members. Particular attention should be given to demonstrating experience with (i) projects of a similar scale and complexity of site conditions, (ii) permitting an affordable housing development, (iii) design, and (iv) financing. The development team should demonstrate the ability to perform as proposed and to complete the Project in a competent and timely manner, including the ability to pursue and carry out permitting, financing, marketing, design and construction.

(If the Applicant (or, if the Applicant is a single purpose entity, its parent developer entity) has received financing from MassHousing within the past five (5) years for a development of comparable size and complexity to the Proposed Project, no resume or list of project experience need be submitted for the Applicant or, as applicable, its parent developer entity. Information regarding the other team members still will be required.)

6.2 Applicant Entity 40B Experience

Please identify every Chapter 40B project in which the Applicant or any Applicant Entity has or had an interest. For each such project, state whether the construction has been completed and whether cost examination has been submitted.

6.3 Applicant's Certification

Please attach any additional sheets and any written explanations for questions answered with "yes" as required for Certification.

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Section 7: NOTIFICATIONS AND FEES

Name of Proposed Project: Mallard Lane

Notice

Date(s) of meetings, if any, with municipal officials prior to submission of application to MassHousing: _____

Date copy of complete application sent to chief elected office of municipality: _____

Date notice of application sent to DHCD: _____

Fees *(all fees should be submitted to MassHousing)*

MassHousing Application Processing Fee (\$2500) Payable to MassHousing: _____

Chapter 40B Technical Assistance/Mediation Fee Payable to Massachusetts Housing Partnership: _____

a. Base Fee:

(Limited Dividend Sponsor \$2500, Non-Profit or Public Agency Sponsor \$1,000) _____

b. Unit Fee:

(Limited Dividend Sponsor \$50 per unit, Non-Profit or Public Agency Sponsor \$30 per unit) _____

Land Appraisal Cost

You will be required to pay for an "as-is" market value appraisal of the Site to be commissioned by MassHousing. MassHousing will contact you once a quote has been received for the cost of the appraisal.

Required Attachments Relating to Section 7

- 7.1** Narrative describing any prior correspondence and/or meetings with municipal officials
- 7.2** Evidence (such as a certified mail receipt) that a copy of the complete application package was sent to the Chief Elected Official of Municipality (may be submitted after the application is submitted to MassHousing)
- 7.3** Copy of notice of application sent to DHCD
- 7.4** Check made out to MassHousing for Processing Fee (\$2500)
- 7.5** Check made payable to Massachusetts Housing Partnership for Technical Assistance/Mediation Fee
- 7.6** W-9 (Taxpayer Identification Number)

Application Checklist

The documentation listed below must, where applicable, accompany each application. For detailed descriptions of these required documents, please see the relevant sections of the application form.

* Applications missing any of the documents indicated by an asterisk will not be processed by MassHousing until MassHousing receives the missing item(s).

- ☐ * Completed application form, and certification under pains and penalties of perjury (one (1) signed original) accompanied by one (1) electronic copy of the completed application package
- ☒ * Location Map
- ☒ Tax Map
- ☒ * Directions to the proposed Site
- ☒ * Existing Conditions Plan
- ☒ Aerial Photographs
- ☐ Site/Context Photographs
- ☐ * Documentation Regarding Site Characteristics/Constraints
- ☐ * By Right Site Plan, if applicable
- ☒ * Preliminary Site Layout Plan(s)
- ☐ * Graphic Representations of Project/Preliminary Architectural Plans
- ☐ * Narrative Description of Design Approach
- ☒ * Tabular Zoning Analysis
- ☐ Sustainable Development Principles Evaluation Assessment Form
- ☐ * Evidence of site control *(documents and any plans referenced therein)*
- ☐ Land Disposition Agreement, if applicable
- ☐ * NEF Lender Letter of Interest
- ☐ Market Sales Comparables
- ☐ Market Study, if required by MassHousing
- ☐ * Development Team Qualifications
- ☐ Applicant's Certification *(any required additional sheets)*
- ☐ Narrative describing prior contact *(if any)* with municipal officials
- ☐ * Evidence that a copy of the application package has been received by the Chief Elected Official in the municipality *(may follow after initial submission of application package, but site visit will not be scheduled nor request for municipal comments made until such evidence is received by MassHousing)*
- ☐ Copy of notification letter to DHCD
- ☐ *\$2,500 Fee payable to MassHousing *(once an appraiser has been selected by MassHousing and an appraisal fee quoted, an additional non-refundable appraisal fee will be required)*
- ☐ *Technical Assistance/Mediation Fee payable to Massachusetts Housing Partnership.