

Town Led Development Projects: Better, Cheaper, Faster

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St. Albans House

Original taxable value	\$75,000
City grant	\$50,000
City loan	\$100,000
Developer borrowed	\$866,000
State and federal tax credits	\$434,000

5 Market rate apartments;

5,000 sf office

Current taxable value \$1,300,000







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Planting Plan

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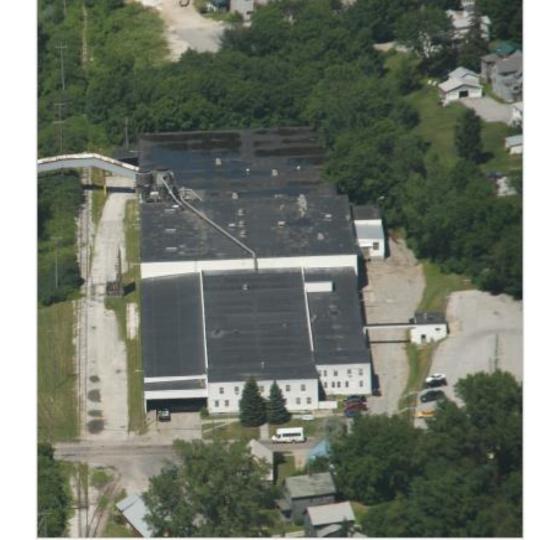
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Original Taxable Value	\$1,404,800
Tax Increment Finance	\$2,500,000
City, State, Federal Sources	\$4,500,000

35 units of LMI housing 35 units of workforce housing 20,000 sf office / restaurant space

Current Taxable Value: \$10,644,900











Fonda Redevelopment

Original Taxable Value \$350,000

Tax Increment Finance \$1,000,000

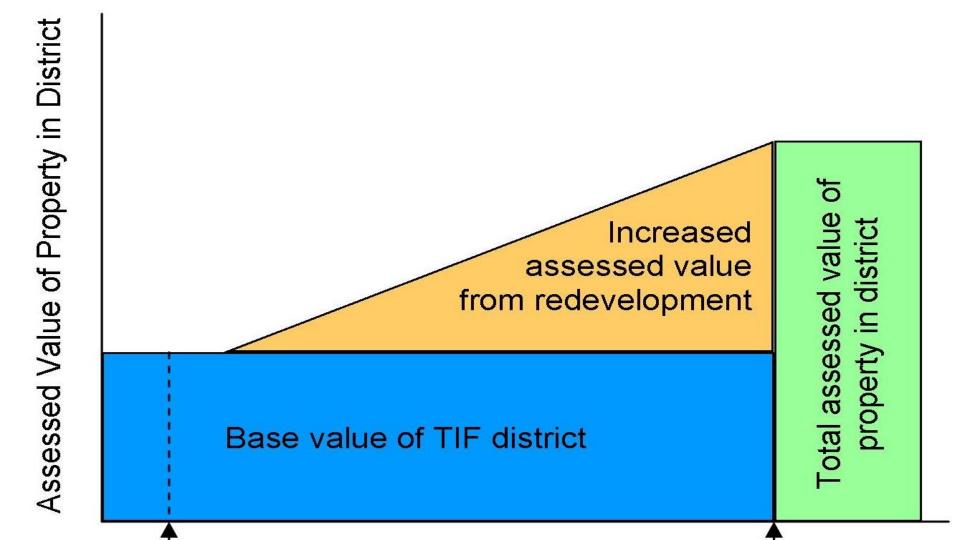
Other State and Federal Funds \$5,000,000

Senior Housing Developer \$19,000,000

Market Rate Developer \$21,700,000

120 units of Senior, Mixed, and Market Housing

Projected Taxable Value: \$25,000,000











Principles of Town Led Development Projects

- 1. Follow Housing for All Strategy
- 2. Create the vision and champion the project
- 3. Use your governmental powers around capital, risk, and return to achieve something greater because the Town was involved.
- 4. The ballot box is a strength and an opportunity not a weakness.
- 5. Never waste a crisis.

Frequently Asked Questions

- 1. When do you involve the voters?
- 2. How do you borrow without asking the voters?
- 3. How do you sell and promote the projects?
- 4. How do you staff your team?
- 5. Why is it better, cheaper, faster?

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