# National New Markets Fund, LLC: Argonaut Redevelopment 

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## Argonaut Redevelopment



- \$150MM Historic Redevelopment: GM Argonaut Research Laboratory
- Detroit's New Center Neighborhood
- Commercial District
- Business hub developed in 1920s
- Sponsor Equity, NMC Equity NMTC Debt, HTC Equity, Brownfield Tax Credit Investor Equity, Commercial Debt


## Challenges

- QALICB Structure
$\checkmark$ Partnerships
$\checkmark$ Eligibility
$\checkmark$ Impact of HTC Equity
- Size of Transaction
$\checkmark$ Availability of Financing
- Debt Limitations
$\checkmark$ Availability of Debt
$\checkmark$ QALICB Limitations
- Historic Tax Credits


## Sample Impacts - CIIS

## Areas of Higher Distress

| Median Income less than 60\% AMI | Yes |
| :--- | :---: |
| Unemployment rate at least 1.25 times National Average | Yes |
| SBA designated HUB Zone | Yes |
| CDFI Hot Zones | Yes |
| Project Level Impacts | $\mathbf{3 0}$ |
| Projected Jobs to be Created - Construction | $\mathbf{1 2}$ |
| Projected Jobs to be Created at Tenant Businesses | $\mathbf{2 0 , 0 0 0}$ |
| Square Feet of Real Estate - Total | $\mathbf{1 2 , 9 1 2}$ |
| Square Feet of Real Estate - Office | $\$ 1.85 /$ sq.ft. Office, <br> $\$ 3.00 / s q . f t . ~ r e t a i l ~$ |
| Asking Rent per Square Foot |  |

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## Sample One-Page Impact Scorecard



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## PROJECT SUMMARY CHART

## INVESTMENT OVERVIEW

## PROJECT AND AREA PROFILE

## Start Date: 3/2008; End Date: Fall 2009

## March 19, 2008

Mixed-Use: Office, Cultural/Learning Center Historic Rehabilitation; New Construction 80,000 (4-story facility)
534.1M
$\$ 1.9 \mathrm{M}$ (net benefit of $\$ 7.5 \mathrm{M}$ )
$\$ 10.9 \mathrm{M}$ Owner Equity (Cap. Campaign)
S 6.7M Senior Loan
$\$ 4.4 \mathrm{M}$ Other NMTC allocates (net benefit)
5 4.3M PDCGrants
\$ 3.3M Historic Tax Credit Equity
$\$ 2.7 \mathrm{M} \quad$ Forgivable Loan (Lemelson Fdn)

## Location:

Area:
Site Status:
Previous Use:
Degree of Blight:
Unemployment Rate:
Area Median Income:
Poverty Rate:
Special Economic Zones:

Barriers to Development:

## Portland, Oregon

Downtown (Old Town/Chinatown) Underutilized; 75\% vacant
Retail/Shopping Center; Parking Lot Moderate to Significant Blight 18\%
68\%
46\%
Downtown Waterfront Urban Renewal Area; SBA HUB Zone, Enterprise Community
High Crime Area; Historic Building

## $2^{\text {rd }}$ Bottom Line: Social and Economic Impacts

Economic Output for Construction:
Economic Output for Operations:
Employee Compensation for Construction:
\$23.2M
\$10.9M Annually
56.1 M
$\$ 6.6 \mathrm{M}$ Annually
Construction Tax Revenue:
53.5 M
\$ 2.3 M Annually
Operation Tax Revenue:
\$11M
Taxpayer Break Even:
Taxpayer 20 Year ROI: $311 \%$
Taxpayer Internal Rate of Return: Operating Savings from Consolidation: Annual Energy and Water Cost Savings:
15.5\%
\$5,000/Month; \$60,000/Year \$43,394

Jobs: 420 Total ( 220 Construction; 200 Permanent- 150 Existing/50 New) Rehabilitates a Historic Property/Blight Eradication Transit-Oriented Development: Located on Light-Rail Path Outreaching to Women- and Minority-Owned Subcontractors Working with Local WIB to Hire Low Income Workers Increases Region's Nonprofit Infrastructure
Finances Real Estate With Flexible Leases/Rent Creates New Tourist Attraction
Bolsters Foot Traffic to Support Area Businesses Retirement Benefits:
Health Benefits:
Energy: 37\% Reduction in Overall Energy Usage
Rooftop Solar Panels Generate $7.5 \%$ of Energy Needs
Green Roof Installation
Mechanical System 50\% More Efficient than Code
Energy Efficient Glass
Energy Saving Light Fixtures
Potable Water Usage Reduction: 44\% Reduction in Overall Usage Low-Flow Fixtures
Storm Water Filtration and Management
Water Resistant Landscaping

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## Sample Tax Revenue Break Even Analysis

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## Sample Project/ $\mathrm{CO}_{2}$ Impacts

## Tax Generation Chart

|  | Year 1 | Year 20 |
| :--- | :--- | :--- |
| State Taxes | $\$ 572 \mathrm{~K}$ | $\$ 12.46 \mathrm{M}$ |
| Federal Taxes | $\$ 1.15 \mathrm{M}$ | $\$ 32.52 \mathrm{M}$ |
| Total Taxes | $\$ 1.73 \mathrm{M}$ | $\$ 44.98 \mathrm{M}$ |
| 20 Year Taxpayer Revenue: |  | $\$ 45 \mathrm{M}$ |
| 20 Year ROI: |  | $310 \%$ |
| Taxpayer IRR: | $15.5 \%$ |  |

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