



**Madison GrandFamily at Union Corners** 

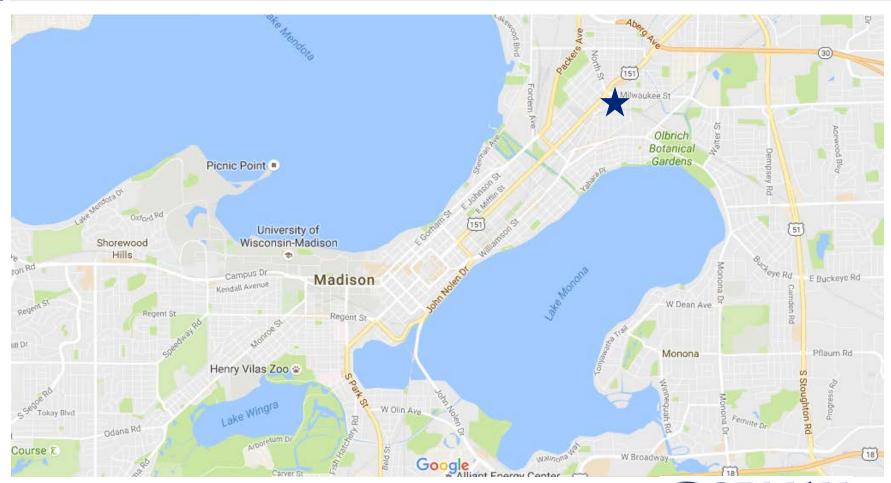
### Introduction

- ☐ Gorman & Company, Inc.
  - Role: Owner, Developer, Architect, General Contractor,
    Property Management
  - Nicole Solheim

- Lutheran Social Services
  - □ Role: Owner, Service Provider

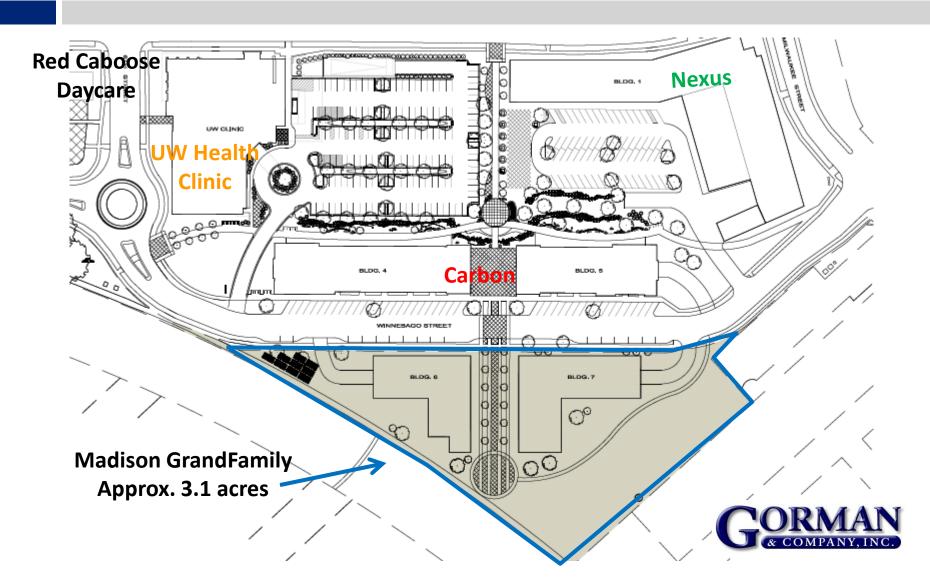


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# **Madison GrandFamily Housing**

 Grandfamily: families with grandparents serving as primary caregiver of their grandchildren

Kinship family: children reside with other extended family members



# Why GrandFamily?

- Demand
  - WI foster care: 34% of children are being raised by kinship or grandparent.
  - Madison: Over 550 grandparents living with and responsible for grandchildren - does not include kinship families
- □ Supply: Only 10-15 grandfamily specific projects in U.S.
- Housing barriers for grandfamilies
- Integrated housing and supportive services for seniors and children



# Why GrandFamily at Union Corners?

- No developments in Madison targeted to grandfamilies and kinship families
- Recommendations from 2014 City of Madison Housing Report:
  - Expand the types of housing available to fill in gaps that the housing market doesn't serve
  - Pursue demonstration projects to test the viability of alternative housing forms



# **Development Proposal**

- □ 59 units: 50 affordable, 9 market rate
- All 30% AMI units (12) will have access to services, along with all other affordable and market rate units

# Bedrooms	Set Aside	# Units
2	30%	2
2	50%	24
2	60%	7
3	30%	10
3	60%	7
2	Market	6
3	Market	3

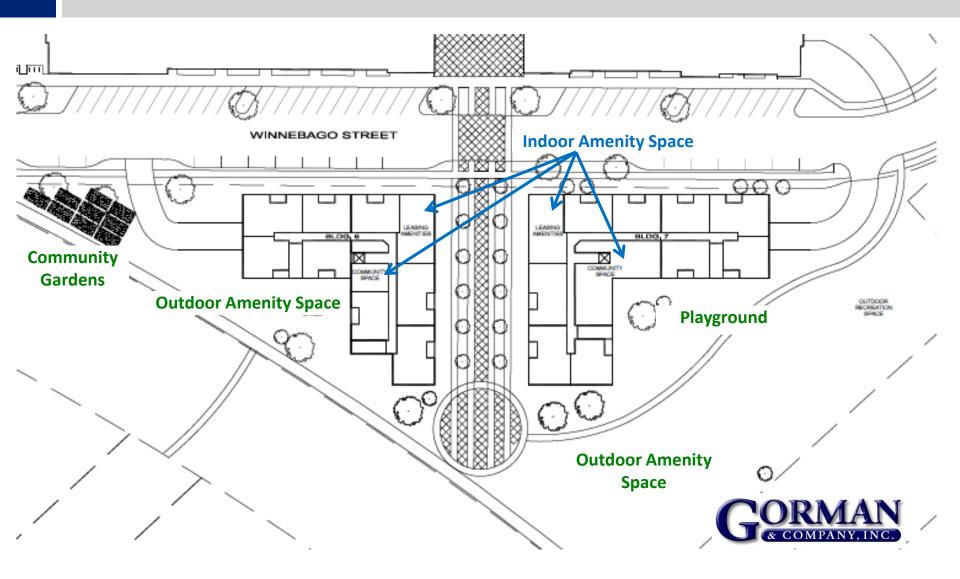


# **Development Proposal**

SOURCES		USES	
LIHTC Equity	\$7,190,968	Acquisition	\$1
First Mortgage	\$3,265,000	Hard Costs	\$9,269,357
Madison AHF Loan	\$950,000	Soft Costs	\$2,873,315
AHP Loan	\$750,000	Reserves	\$325,071
Deferred Dev Fee	\$311,776		
Total	\$12,467,744	Total	\$12,467,744



## **Site Plan**



### Services for GrandFamilies

- □ Lutheran Social Services ownership interest in project
- Services will target the needs of children, families, and older adults, including:
  - Budgeting and financial planning
  - Employment opportunities, other vocational resources
  - Benefit eligibility
  - Parenting support
  - Physical and mental health services
  - Legal resources
  - After school activities homework help



<sup>\*</sup>LSS also provides services to Carbon, located across the street

### **Services for GrandFamilies**

- Grandfamily moves into apartment
- Completion of intake assessment to identify strengths and areas of need
- Identify and build a team of natural supports
- Identify applicable on-site services and activities
- Refer to pre-existing LSS services in the Madison area
- Refer to other community agencies, programs, and support groups
- Implementation of service plan
- Schedule follow-up meeting with family to review service plan



#### **Additional Resources**

- ☐ The Rainbow Project, Inc.
  - Grandparents & Other Relatives as Parents program
- Dane Co Dept. of Health and Human Resources
  - Kinship Care Coordinators and support group
- Wisconsin Senior Employment Program
- UW Extension Dane County
  - Financial
  - Nutritional education
  - Strengthening Families Program



# Fair Housing - Grandfamily Preference

- GrandFamily preference:
  - Wait list #1: Grandfamilies and kinship families

■ Wait list #2: All other applicants

The development will also target Veterans



### **GrandFamily Experience**

### **Application**

- During lease-up, grandfamilies will be given priority over other applicants
  - If we are unable to fill all units with grandfamilies, we will utilize applicants from wait list #2
- After lease-up, when a unit becomes available, grandfamilies will be given preference.



## **GrandFamily Experience**

#### Features and Amenities

- Indoor Community rooms
  - Activity space programmed for seniors and children
- Outdoor space and playground
- Access to public transportation
- □ Proximity to schools Lowell, O'Keefe, East High
- □ Retail Carbon and Nexus
- Healthcare UW Health clinic
- □ Grocery TBD, at Nexus



#### Conclusion

 Addresses housing and service need of an underserved demographic

 Consistent with GDP and serves as a bridge between high density (Nexus, Carbon) and residential neighborhood

Complements other uses on the Union Corners site

