



#### **Overview**



#### **PURPOSE:**

Gut renovate **Tenant Interim Lease** (TIL) program buildings and enable existing residents to become homeowners

#### STRUCTURE:



- Rehab coordinated by non-profit or for-profit sponsor partnering with HPD.
   Sponsor manages building during construction/conversion process.
- Nonprofit Restoring Communities HDFC owns building during construction to prevent any potential conflicts of interest with sponsor
- Building owned and managed by residents upon coop conversion

#### **REQUIREMENTS:**



To convert to cooperative, **80% of existing residents must**:

- (1) Attend at least 8 provided cooperative & homeownership readiness trainings;
- (2) Remain current on rent payments;
- (3) Choose to purchase rehabilitated units

Buildings that do not convert to coops become rent-stabilized rental buildings.



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## **Overview**

#### How does a co-op conversion project benefit tenants?



A total (gut) rehab of your building, including renovated units



Return to your newly renovated building with the **option to purchase** the shares to your unit <u>or</u> to remain in your unit as a rent-stabilized tenant



Opportunity to become a **cooperative shareholder** (homeowner), which empowers you to:

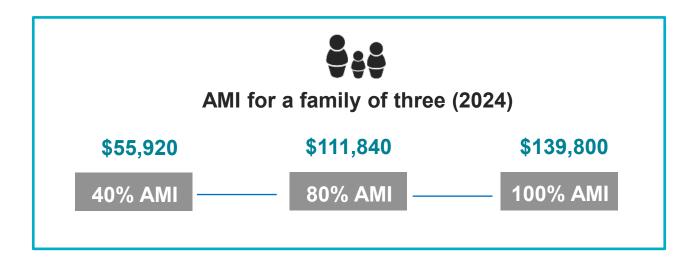
- Make decisions on how to run your co-op building with your neighbors
- Build wealth over time in your home instead of paying rent
- Pass along your unit to an heir





# **Affordability: Sales Prices**

Existing Residents	New Purchasers
\$250 out of pocket for households earning up to 80% AMI	Prices affordable to low- and moderate-income households
\$2,500 for households earning more than 80% AMI	<ul> <li>Example: A 2-bedroom home affordable to an 80% AMI household of three in 2024 would cost roughly \$243,720</li> </ul>





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# **Affordability: Monthly Costs**

It costs approximately \$1,000 - \$1,500 each month to properly operate one apartment in an NYC building. TIL rents are much lower than this and have not increased annually.

These monthly operating costs typically include the below estimates:

Example Operating Expenses	Cost per Unit, per Month	
Supplies, Cleaning, Exterminating	\$100	
Heat, Gas, Electricity	\$160	
Insurance	\$130	
Repairs & Replacements	\$200	
Legal & Accounting	\$100	
Maintenance Staff Salaries	\$250	
Property Management Fee	\$85	
Water & Sewer	\$140	
Co-op Monitor Fee	\$20	
Energy Benchmarking	\$5	
Building Reserves	\$10	
Total Monthly Expenses Estimate	\$1,200	



# **Affordability: Monthly Costs**

Depending on their household income, some households will receive **Section 8 "Housing Choice" vouchers** after converting to cooperative. This ensures that residents **do not pay more than 30% of their total income** on housing costs, and the building can stay up-to-date on maintenance with a sufficient cushion for reserves.

#### For example:



Family of three making \$70,000 per year (50% AMI) Household pays: \$1,200 per month



Family of three making \$20,000 per year (15% AMI) Household pays: \$500 per month

Section 8 pays: \$700 per month



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# **Typical Project Costs**

#### What is a total (gut) building rehab?

It typically includes (but is not limited to):



New building systems (mechanical, electrical, plumbing)



Repair or replacement of roof and windows



Modernized security, doorbell, fire safety, mail, and other systems



Bringing your building and apartments up to code



Accessibility improvements

Residents will have an opportunity to provide feedback on building and unit rehab plans.



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# **Typical Project Costs**

#### Why a total (gut) building rehab?



The money HPD spends now on major upgrades to your building will reducing your future maintenance, repair, and operating costs



Rehabbing the building now means it will be newly renovated and in **good condition before ownership is transferred** to the tenants



The project budget covers temporary tenant relocation during construction, at no additional cost to the tenants. The budget covers the difference between the TIL rent the tenant continues to pay and the rent of the relocation unit, as well as moving expenses.



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## **Typical Financing for Coop Projects**

- HPD "City Capital" makes up the majority of co-op project sources: typically more than \$550,000 per unit
  - Comes with no debt payments and no interest payments (\$0) for 40 years, matching the term of the tax exemption
- Article XI Tax Exemption: No property taxes for 40 years while affordability is maintained, which is the maximum tax exemption that the City offers. The exemption can be extended beyond 40 years.
- Subsidized Acquisition Cost: Acquisition price set at \$1 for the building and land
- Reso A: "Discretionary funds" which may be awarded by City Council members and Borough Presidents
- New York State Affordable Housing Corporation (AHC): Grant provided by the State that is not repaid
- Sales proceeds from both occupied and vacant units



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# **Benefits for Co-op Shareholders**

## How do TIL residents build equity in their new homes?

This chart represents the **estimated equity** or wealth that a resident (<u>or their heir</u>) would enjoy from selling a 2-bedroom unit in their building, at different points in time after the co-op conversion.

Years After Conversion	Estimated Permitted Resale Price*	% of Profit Paid Back to Co-op as "Collective/Shared Equity"	Estimated Resident Profit
1	\$301,113	95%	\$32,202
5	\$338,906	70%	\$80,265
10	\$392,885	20%	\$152,038
15	\$455,461	10%	\$239,916
30	\$709,594	10%	\$648,709

<sup>\*</sup>Assuming **3%** annual increase in sales price and **80% AMI** income restriction for **2 BR** apartment. *This is an illustrative example*. As the project moves forward, you will have the opportunity to review this information for your specific building before choosing whether to purchase shares in the cooperative.

The goal of this "shared equity" system is to balance wealth-building for shareholders and their heirs with permanent affordability for the community.



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## **Sponsor Assignment**

HPD Identifies at least 2
Qualified Sponsors

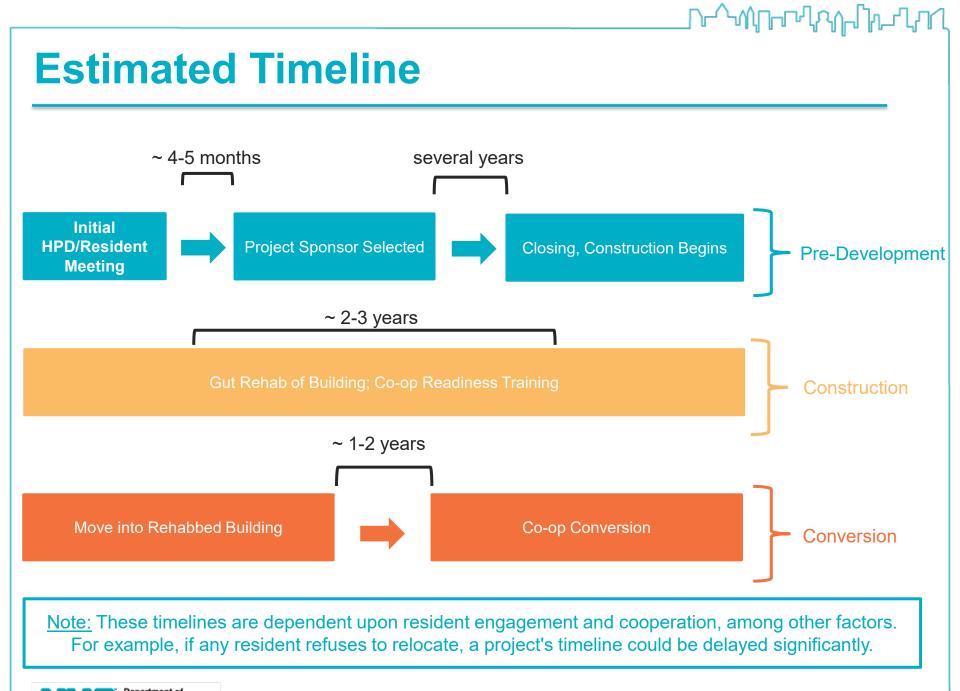
Residents Review Presentations and Vote

Approximately
4 - 5 months



**Sponsor Designation** 





Housing Preservation