CALIFORNIA HEALTH FACILITIES FINANCING AUTHORITY THE HELP II PROGRAM EXECUTIVE SUMMARY

Applicant: Victor Treatment Centers, Inc. ("VTC") **Amount Requested:** \$237,500

2561 California Park Drive **Requested Loan Term:** 15 years

Chico, California 95928 **Date Requested:** December 3, 2009

Butte County Resolution Number: HII-245

Project Site: 955 S. Lilac Avenue, Rialto, California

Facility Type: Group Home **Prior HELP II Borrower:** No

Background: VTC is a 24 hour treatment facility for severely emotionally disturbed and mentally ill minors. Licensed in 1968, VTC has programs established in Shasta, San Joaquin, Sonoma, San Bernardino, and Riverside Counties. VTC receives most of its funding from County and State agencies, with certain portions of its funding originating from the Federal government.

Uses of Loan Proceeds: Loan proceeds will be used to purchase an existing single family property to be used as a group home for six minors.

Financing Structure

- 15-year fixed rate loan.
- 180 equal monthly payments of approximately \$1,640 (yearly payments of approximately \$19,680).
- Corporate gross revenue pledge.
- First (1st) lien position on property located at 955 S. Lilac Avenue, Rialto, California 92376
- Loan to value ratio not to exceed 95% (estimated loan to value ratio of 95%).

Financial Overview: VTC's income statement appears to exhibit steady positive operating results during our review period. VTC appears to have good liquidity and minimal long-term debt. The proforma debt service coverage ratio is a solid 46.36x, indicating VTC should comfortably be able to repay this proposed HELP II loan.

Parties of Interest:

Fidelity National Title Company

(Included for the purpose of discerning Conflicts of Interest)

Sources of Funds		Uses of Funds	
HELP II Loan	\$237,500	Purchase real estate	\$250,000
Borrower Funds	<u>17,500</u>	Financing costs	<u>5,000</u>
Total Sources	<u>\$255,000</u>	Total Uses	\$255,000

Legal Review: No information was disclosed to question the financial viability or legal integrity of the Applicant.

Staff Recommendation: Staff recommends approval of a HELP II loan for Victor Treatment Centers, Inc. in an amount not to exceed \$237,500 for a term not to exceed 15 years, and contingent upon financing terms acceptable to the Authority.

STAFF SUMMARY AND RECOMMENDATION THE HELP II PROGRAM

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I. PURPOSE OF FINANCING:

Purchase Existing Property	\$250,000
VTC seeks to purchase an existing residential care home located at 955 S. Lilac Avenue in Rialto, California. The existing home will house six minors. The home is approximately 1,900 square feet with 5 bedrooms, 2.5 bathrooms and a centrally located kitchen.	
The proposed HELP II loan will occupy the first lien position on the real property located at 955 S. Lilac Avenue, Rialto, California 92376. VTC estimates the current market value of the property to be approximately \$250,000 (purchase price), leading to a loan to value ratio of 95%. CHFFA will require a full appraisal of the property prior to closing.	
Financing Costs	5,000
Authority Fees \$2,970 Title and Escrow 2,030	
Total Uses of Funds	<u>\$ 255,000</u>

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II. FINANCIAL STATEMENTS AND ANALYSIS

Victor Treatment Center, Inc. Statement of Activities

	For the Year Ended June 30,		
	2009	2008	2007
Revenue and Support:			
Fees from government agencies	\$25,916,881	\$26,044,102	\$24,642,914
Management fees revenue	-	-	899,173
Transportation revenue	573,555	542,391	440,955
Interest income	358,270	718,791	576,618
Other income	161,413	88,824	10,733
Gain (loss) on investments	-	-	430,214
Gain on sale of property and equipment	15,317	10,362	24,365
Contributions	104	12,270	9,962
Total revenue and support	27,025,540	27,416,740	27,034,934
Expenses:			
Staff compensation	15,908,697	15,420,580	15,123,789
Taxes and benefits	5,063,494	5,138,212	5,274,490
Occupancy	1,762,123	2,014,701	2,045,428
Transportation	884,573	960,658	842,956
Supplies	867,301	910,603	840,500
Professional Fees	795,268	918,873	806,614
Specific assistance	450,972	467,040	434,938
Other operating expenses	350,789	361,827	295,092
Telephone and postage	259,122	305,787	308,022
Equipment rental and maintenance	246,534	495,667	403,859
Conferences and meetings	197,474	284,818	333,285
Subscriptions	6,199	9,762	6,336
* Management and accounting revenue	(1,449,069)	(1,468,274)	(2,011,710)
Total expenses	25,343,477	25,820,254	24,703,599
Change in net assets before loss on investment	1,682,063	1,596,486	2,331,335
Loss on investments	(928,647)	(677,290)	-
Change in net assets	753,416	919,196	2,331,335
Net assets, beginning of year	24,473,916	23,554,720	21,223,385
Net assets, end of year	\$25,227,332	\$24,473,916	\$23,554,720

 $[*]Represents\ costs\ of\ management\ and\ accounting\ services\ that\ VTC\ shares\ with\ 2\ other\ entities$

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Victor Treatment Center, Inc. **Financial Position**

		As of June 30,		
	_	2009	2008	2007
ASSETS:	_			
Cash and cash equivalents		\$6,938,767	\$4,862,851	\$3,709,827
Accounts receivable		3,104,336	3,297,110	3,306,125
Note receivables		700,000	700,000	700,000
Prepaid expenses		923,175	647,377	569,207
Other assets		-	-	135,740
Investments		8,034,861	8,718,314	8,851,257
Property and equipment		8,235,155	8,231,193	7,294,608
Due from related company	_	1,159,123	2,337,361	2,523,759
Total assets	=	\$29,095,417	\$28,794,206	\$27,090,523
LIABILITIES AND NET ASSETS: Liabilities:				
Accounts payable		\$794,596	\$1,136,101	\$1,056,774
Accrued liabilities		2,322,807	2,310,444	1,710,396
Accrued unemployment benefits		409,700	528,109	326,421
Note payable		315,778	322,204	418,780
Unearned revenue		25,204	23,432	23,432
Total liabilities	_	3,868,085	4,320,290	3,535,803
Net assets:				
Unrestricted		23,427,332	22,673,916	21,754,720
Unrestricted-board designated		1,800,000	1,800,000	1,800,000
Total net assets	_	25,227,332	24,473,916	23,554,720
TOTAL LIABILITIES AND NET ASSETS		\$29,095,417	\$28,794,206	\$27,090,523
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Financial Ratios:	Proforma (a)			
	FYE June 30, 20	<u>09</u>		
Debt service coverage (x)	46.36	77.53	73.86	150.27
Debt/Unrestricted Net Assets (x)	0.02	0.01	0.01	0.01
Margin (%)		6.22	5.82	8.62
Current Ratio (x)		3.05	2.23	2.49

⁽a) Recalculates FY 2009 audited results to include the impact of this proposed financing.

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Financial Discussion – Statement of Activities (Income Statement)

VTC's income statement appears to exhibit steady positive operating results.

During our review period, VTC posted positive operating results ranging from \$2.3 million to \$1.5 million, representing very healthy operating margins. VTC appears to be one of the stronger HELP II borrowers who have applied for a loan.

Revenues include major components such as fees from government agencies, which are all of VTC's contract income. VTC received an overall 5% increase in revenue effective January 1, 2008. VTC's occupancy level has been consistent, which has lead to steady revenue from fees throughout the review period.

Expenses have been rather stable with increases in areas such as insurance, transportation, and food, accounting for most of the increases. These increases are due to the rising cost of operations.

The loss on investments was a result of unrealized gains/losses in investments, due to normal market fluctuations in the financial markets. VTC's management and Board have been working closely with financial advisors to manage its investment portfolio to weather the current economic state with the most effective approach possible.

Financial Discussion – Statements of Financial Position (Balance Sheet)

VTC's balance sheet appears to indicate that total assets and liquidity have increased each FY during our review period.

VTC's cash position has increased to \$6.9 million in FY 09, a healthy 100 days cash on hand (see comment below on cash reserves). This liquidity provides a solid cash reserve for VTC moving forward. In addition, VTC has minimal leverage with the only long-term debt from one loan with an outstanding balance of approximately \$316,000 as of FY 09. The proforma debt to unrestricted net assets ratio is a very modest .02x. The proforma debt service coverage ratio is a solid 46.36x, indicating VTC should likely comfortably be able to repay the HELP II loan.

VTC's management specifically discussed their business plan for maintaining healthy cash reserves to take advantage of the declining real estate market and possibly purchase several additional groups homes to further expand its services in the future (thus explaining VTC's current motivation behind applying for a HELP II loan.) In addition, VTC leases approximately 10 group homes that it may wish to purchase in the future. Finally, VTC management indicates that Continuing Care Licensing recommends a minimum reserve of 3 to 4 months cash on hand.

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III. UTILIZATION STATISTICS

Clients Served Fiscal Year Ended June 30,

	2009	2008	2007
Totals	362	327	327

IV. ORGANIZATION

Background and Licensing

VTC was licensed in 1968, established itself as a non-profit corporation in 1974, and then settled on its current corporate name in 1992. At the core of VTC's treatment philosophy is the belief that mental health clients should be treated in the least restrictive community-based setting possible. VTC clients are children and adolescents who have experienced multiple placement failures and are the most resistive to treatment. As a result of the success with these youngsters, VTC is considered to be an alternative to state hospitalization and locked settings.

Services include residential and Medi-Cal reimbursable services. It is VTC's belief that a program's success is contingent upon being a full partner in a continuum of care.

Licensing:

VTC will be licensed by the California Department of Social Services to operate and maintain the proposed group home located at 955 S. Lilac Avenue, Rialto, CA 92376.

V. OUTSTANDING DEBT

Date Issued	Original Amount	Amount Outstanding* As of June 30, 2009	Estimated Amount Outstanding after Proposed Financing
Existing Long-Term Debt:			
Tri Counties Bank, 2006	329,000	\$315,778	\$315,778
Proposed:			
CHFFA, HELP II 2009			\$237,500
TOTAL DEBT		\$315,778	\$553,278

^{*} Includes current portion of long-term debt.

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VI. DUE DILIGENCE

Due diligence has been completed with regard to the following items:

- Savings Pass Through: VTC has provided a description of its savings pass as part of its application.
- Section 15459.1 of the Act (Community Service Requirement): VTC has executed this certification indicating that Medi-Cal and Medicare patients are accepted.
- Religious Due Diligence
- Legal Review

VII. STAFF RECOMMENDATION

Staff recommends approval of a HELP II loan for Victor Treatment Centers, Inc. in an amount not to exceed \$237,500 for a term not to exceed 15 years, and contingent upon financing terms acceptable to the Authority.

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