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THE HOUSING AUTHORITY OF THE CITY OF TAMPA AND ITS HOUSING PARTNER, HILLSBOROUGH COUNTY AFFORDABLE HOUSING SERVICES DEPARTMENT WILL CELEBRATE AN OPEN HOUSE FOR A NEW 24-UNIT BUILDING AT THE CEDAR POINTE APARTMENTS IN NORTH TAMPA.

Construction was recently completed to add an additional 24-unit building to the already existing 60-unit complex in North Tampa.

TAMPA, Fla. (July 15, 2019) – The Tampa Housing Authority (THA) and the Hillsborough County Affordable Housing Services Department will celebrate an open house for this community to accommodate the growing need for affordable housing in our community.

Originally built in 1986, this former 76-unit multi-family property was foreclosed and in disrepair. Utilizing funds received through the Neighborhood Stabilization Program 1, (NSP1), the Hillsborough County Affordable Housing Department acquired the property and quickly conveyed it to the Tampa Housing Authority for redevelopment.

Demolition of the original buildings were completed in May of 2012 and construction on the first phase of a new 84-unit, multi-family development began in August 2012. The initial phase for the property was for the construction of 60 units that included 8 public housing units with the remaining 52 units being 100% affordable. The property opened in May 2014. This addition brings the total number of units at this site to 84.

The property consists of 1, 2 and 3-bedroom units. Amenities include washers, dryer hook-ups, balconies, storage spaces, playground, splash pad area and a dog-walk park.

WHAT: Cedar Pointe Open House

WHEN: Tomorrow (Tuesday, July 16, 2019), 10-11:30am

WHERE: 6926 Temple Palms Avenue, Tampa Florida

INTERVIEW/PHOTOS Hillsborough County Commissioners: Pat Kemp, Mariella Smith and

Kimberly Overman; Cedar Pointe residents; Deputy County Administrator/CFO Bonnie Wise, Assistant County Administrator Charles Barton; THA Commissioners: Chairwoman Susan Johnson-Velez and Vice-Chairman James Cloar; THA President/CEO Jerome D. Ryans, THA SVP/COO Leroy Moore and THA SVP/CFO Susi Begazo-

McGourty.

We hope that you will make plans to join us as we continue to provide needed affordable housing for our community.

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"Cultivating Affordable Housing While Empowering People and Communities"