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## IPA Capital Markets Arranges \$17 Million Acquisition Financing for University of Michigan Student Housing Property

**ANN ARBOR, Mich.,** Sept. 25, 2024 – <u>IPA Capital Markets</u>, a division of <u>Marcus & Millichap (NYSE: MMI)</u>, specializing in capital markets services for major private and institutional clients, announced today the \$16,975,000 financing for the acquisition of a student housing property consisting of 62 units located adjacent to the University of Michigan's main campus at 1700 Geddes Ave. in Ann Arbor, Michigan.



The Manhattan-based IPA Capital Markets team of Max Hulsh, Max Herzog, Marko Kazanjian, and Andrew Cohen secured the financing with A10 Capital on behalf of Havenly Ventures, a NYC-based real estate investment firm that specializes in value-add acquisitions primarily in the student housing sector.

"IPA Capital Markets successfully secured competitive bridge financing with a lender that provided maximum flexibility, allowing the borrower to execute their business

plan," said Hulsh. "The plan involves densifying the property's oversized two-bedroom units into four-bedroom units by converting per-unit metering to bed-by-bed charging. While the individual pricing per bed will decrease, the overall unit price will increase with the addition of beds, optimizing the net-operating-income during this transitional phase."

"The existing property comprises 123 beds across 62 units, and the sponsor's value-add strategy includes adding beds to the Geddes Hill apartments, as the two-bedroom units, which average approximately 1,050 square feet, are oversized," Hulsh added. "Additionally, the property has maintained 100% occupancy for over 25 years, serving as a strong indicator of both current and future demand."

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