

## Affordable housing project receives funding

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HARWICH — A \$3.6 million housing project to create 12 affordable rental units received its last needed funding yesterday.

Gov. Deval Patrick awarded \$1.5 million to the Community Development Partnership for its project at 35 Main St. Extension in North Harwich.

With all its financing and permits now in place, ground-breaking for the project could happen in June, according to Elizabeth Bridgewater, the nonprofit partnership's executive director.

Plans for the project call for four, two-story buildings on 2.9 acres of land donated by the town. The town also contributed \$300,000 in Community Preservation Act money and \$368,515 from its housing trust fund.

Eligible renters can make 60 percent or less of the \$77,000 median annual income for Barnstable County. For a family of four, the eligible income would be \$46,560 a year or less.

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