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ARA Newmark Sells \$54 Million, Core-Plus Multihousing Community in Delray Beach, FL

Delray Beach, FL (August 2017) — <u>ARA, A Newmark Company</u> (ARA Newmark) announces the \$54.3 million sale of The Atlantic at East Delray, a 228-unit, core-plus, luxury garden-style community located in the seaside town of Delray Beach in Southeast Florida. The property sold for \$238,268 per unit and \$221 per square foot to New York-based global investment management company TH Real Estate.

Executive Managing Directors Avery Klann and Hampton Beebe, Director Jonathan Senn, Transaction Manager Matthew Scarola and Vice Chairmen Dick Donnellan and Marc deBaptiste represented the sellers, a joint venture comprised of Pollack Shores and an affiliate of Heitman LLC, in the transaction.

Klann explained, "The seller implemented a significant repositioning of the property, including a first-class interior renovation, new paint, enhanced landscaping and upgraded clubhouse, gym, pool and amenities. Our team brought the property to market to take advantage of the strong desire for well-located, core-plus assets and ultimately identified an aggressive and well-capitalized buyer."

Built in 1996 and situated in the heart of the city -- off Linton Boulevard and SW 10th Avenue just two minutes from the intersection of Linton Boulevard and Federal Highway, where three large retail plazas offer nearly 500,000 square feet of retail space – The Atlantic at East Delray is proximate to many major retailers, restaurants and entertainment hubs. The property is walking distance to Target and major restaurants including Chipotle, Steak'n Shake, Outback Steakhouse and Five Guys. Recently, Whole Foods signed a lease to open a Whole Foods Market 365® Store and occupy the space immediately north of the property along Linton Boulevard.

Units at The Atlantic at East Delray Beach average 1,079 square feet and approximately 50 percent of them have been renovated with stainless steel appliances, quartz countertops, microwaves, glass tile backsplashes, new fixtures, lighting package, vinyl plank flooring, doors and cabinets. The property's many first-class amenities include a serene lake with fountain features, picturesque walking bridge, sand volleyball court, enclosed paw

park, pool with oversized lounge deck and stainless gas grills, business center with complimentary printing, fitness center, children's playground, car wash station and picnic areas with charcoal grills.

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With the industry's deepest bench of multihousing advisors, ARA Newmark provides the insight and experience to ensure world-class execution. Our advisors average 20 years' experience and are the most skillful negotiators in the industry. They are experts in 300+ markets and provide asset-specific customization that yields highly effective transaction strategies. By leveraging our proprietary database that identifies 200 percent more investor interest, each advisor has ready access to unique market intelligence to drive demand.

Backed by the global resources of Newmark Knight Frank, ARA Newmark matches each client's assets to a robust group of investors – from private and institutional owners to global entities – and accesses nearly every commercial real estate class for options to diversify and profit.

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