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## ARA Brokers 116-Unit, Class-A Boulder Asset for a Record Price per Unit

Buyer Looking to Capitalize on Boulder's Historically Strong Multifamily Fundamentals

**Boulder, CO** (August 11, 2014) - Atlanta-headquartered ARA, the largest privately held, full-service investment advisory brokerage firm in the nation focusing exclusively on the multihousing industry, recently brokered the sale of the 116-unit Uptown Broadway apartment community in Boulder, CO. ARA Colorado's Terrance Hunt, Shane Ozment and Andy Hellman represented the seller, Mountain View Capital, a private Denver-based real estate firm, in the transaction.

A Dallas, Texas-based real estate investment firm, purchased the property for an undisclosed price. The property was 100% occupied at the time of closing.

Terrance Hunt said, "It's not often an asset like this comes on the market in the Boulder area. It is very difficult to build new multifamily properties and the lack of supply pushed this property's price per unit to a new record for apartments in Boulder."

Shane Ozment explained, "The buyer saw this asset as a great opportunity to capitalize on a turn-key property in an infill location that would be very difficult to duplicate."

Constructed in 2005, Uptown Broadway is located just north of downtown Boulder, adjacent to public open space lands, with great access to surrounding employers, recreational activities, and the many shopping and dining options in Boulder proper. Being one of the most recent apartment communities built in the Boulder area, due to the high barriers of entry, the property offers today's astute residents everything they have come to expect. The property's amenity package includes: direct access to a secured, heated underground parking garage with bicycle storage, state-of-the-art fitness center, high-speed fiber optic networking, washers and dryers in each home, and gas fireplace in select homes. The property also offers easy access to employers located along the Diagonal Highway and US Highway 36.

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