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## December is Record Breaking Month for ARA's Houston Office With Four JV Equity Raises for New Developments in Houston, TX

Projects Span Infill and Suburban Houston Markets

**Houston, TX** (January 14, 2013) — ARA Capital Markets, led by Houston-based Senior Vice President Adam Allen, announced the origination of joint venture equity for four new multifamily development projects located in various submarkets across the Houston MSA for the month of December.

Completed with four different capital sources, the development projects include:

- Broadstone 3800: a 203-unit podium-style project located at 3800 Main Street adjacent to the Light Rail in Houston's Midtown submarket. Developer: Alliance Residential
- <u>Broadstone Greenhouse</u>: a 370-unit garden-style project located on Greenhouse Road north of Interstate 10 in Katy, Texas. Developer: Alliance Residential
- Alexan Creekside Pines: a 380-unit garden-style project located on Kuykendahl Road in The Woodlands submarket of Houston, Texas. Developer: Trammell Crow Residential (TCR)

 Alexan Enclave: a 354-unit, four story wrap project located at Briar Forest and Eldridge in the Energy Corridor of Houston, Texas. Developer: Trammell Crow Residential
 ARA represented Alliance Residential and Trammell Crow Residential in each of the capital raises.

According to ARA's Adam Allen, , "The incredibly strong fundamentals of the Houston economy have driven us to the forefront of both institutional and private capital's target market list. Development capital is certainly back for well-located projects with nationally renowned sponsors such as Alliance and TCR."

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