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Florida Real Estate (Commercial Sales)

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Gainesville Apartment Building Sells for \$7,900,000

Covered Bridge Apartments located in Gainesville, Florida has sold for \$7,900,000 or \$44,886 per unit. Covered Bridge was built in 1972 with a mix of one, two and three bedroom units. The 974 average unit size reflects a sales price of \$46 per square foot. The average rent at Covered Bridge is \$662 per month.

Gerald Smith and Darrell Johnson both of Smith Equities Corporation in Orlando, Florida brokered the deal. The Seller was NLP Covered Bridge National Associates and the Buyer was Covered Bridge Apartments, LLC.

Paul Guyet, mortgage broker with Smith Equities, arranged financing with a Fannie Mae loan of \$6,400,000 at a fixed interest rate of 6.9% with a 30 year amortization schedule.

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Note: To view all of the apartment sales in Metro Orlando since January 1998, please go to Smith Equities Corporation's Home Page at:

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Covered Bridge Apartments

1810 23rd Blvd NW
Gainesville, Florida 32605

Alachua County

176 Units/1972 Construction

SALE PRICE (8/01):	\$7,900,000
Per Unit:	\$44,886
Average Per SF	\$46.08
Average Unit Size:	974 SF
Ave. Base Rents: (2000)	\$662

Comments: Sold By Smith Equities Corporation. See this and other apartment sales on our Home Page at <http://www.amecs.com>

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