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## **Front of the Card:**

- **Property Name/Number:** The Prime Location on University Street (Property #17)
- . Address: 119 University Street, West Lafayette, IN
- . **Type:** Small Apartment Building
- . **Value:** \$625,000
- **Description:** "A 5-unit apartment building located near the university. Each unit offers 2 bedrooms and 1 bathroom, making it popular with students."
- Question: "With its proximity to the university, is this property a strong investment for student housing? How can you structure a deal to acquire this property with minimal cash upfront?"

## **Back of the Card:**

- Answer/Explanation: "The location near the university makes this property an excellent choice for student housing, which tends to have high demand. To minimize cash upfront, consider a master lease with an option to purchase, allowing you to control the property and generate income while deferring the purchase."
- Citation and Resources: "To understand the rental market, visit Rentometer or Zillow to compare local rental rates. Consulting with a local real estate agent who specializes in student housing can also provide valuable insights."
- . **Further Reading or Tools:** "For more on student housing investments, 'Investing in Student Rentals' by Michael Zuber offers strategies specifically tailored to this market."