Camden City Entitlement Public Notice and Descriptions

On Wednesday, April 28th the City of Camden, Department of Finance, Bureau of Grants Management and the Department of Planning and Development, Division of Planning and Zoning will hold a Virtual Public Hearing from **4pm to 6pm** for the review of its FY 2021 – 2022 "Draft Consolidated Action Plan." The link to the meeting will be found on the City website on or before April 27, 2021. The "Draft Plan" will consists of the proposed activities listed below. As an Entitlement Community there is a projected **total of \$4,781,257.00 that will be made available from US Department of Housing and Urban Development for the following grant programs: Community Development Block Grant (CDBG \$2,557,667) the HOME Investment Partnership Program (HOME \$869,261), Emergency Solutions Grant (ESG \$216,515) and the Housing For Persons with Aids (HOPWA \$1,137,814)**

The Final C-Plan Virtual Public Meeting (presentation of the 2021-2022 Consolidated Plan/Action Plan List) will be held on Thursday, May 28, 2021 from 4pm to 6pm. The link to the meeting will be found on the City website on or before May 28, 2021. Citizens have 30 days to review the "Draft" of the Action Plan and submit written comments no later than Friday, May 21, 2021 to the Division of Planning and Zoning, City Hall Room 220, Camden NJ 08101 or via email to EdWillia@ci.camden.nj.us

Due to COVID-19 the **30-day public review posting of the "Draft Plan" will be displayed on the City of Camden website at:** https://ci.camden.nj.us.

Agency	Category	Amount	Description
Department of Human Services (DHS) - Summer Youth Employment	CDBG / PS	\$ 168,000.00	Funds will provide a 4 to 6 week summer youth work program for 100 youth and a year-round work program for 20 youth.
DHS - Summer Pool Program	CDBG / PS	\$ 80,000.00	Funds will provide for the provision of swimming and other leisurely pool activities for residents of the City of Camden, particularly youth.
DHS - Senior Wellness/ Health Workshops	CDBG / PS	\$ 15,000.00	Program will provide 100 seniors with a 30-week program of reflexology, yoga, fitness, and endurance.
DHS - Senior Book Club	CDBG / PS	\$ 9,000.00	Program will provide seniors with a 10 month book club.
DHS - Senior Cooling Program	CDBG / PS	\$ 15,000.00	Funds will provide 100-150 seniors with cooling during the summer months.
Tenant Based Rental Assistance (TBRA)	CDBG / PS	\$ 10,000.00	Program will provide families and individuals with assistance for the Tenant Base Rental Assistance by providing wrap around services, such as Financial Counseling, Credit Repair, and more.
Tenant Based Rental Assistance (TBRA)	CDBG / PS	\$ 61,000.00	Funds will provide two staff salary for Tenant Base Rental Assistance Program.
Utility Assistance Program	CDBG/PS	\$ 25,000.00	Program will provide families and individuals with limited Utility Assistance to avoid having services shut off.
Camden County Historical Society	CDBG / PF	\$ 100,000.00	Funds will be used to develop the American Revolution Museum of Southern New Jersey.
Fire Department	CDBG / PF	\$ 60,000.00	Funds will provide two firehouses with self contained breathing apparatus (SCBA) fill stations with compressors.
Fire Department	CDBG / PF	\$ 35,000.00	Funding will provide new SCBA air cylinders for self-contained breathing apparatus.
Fire Department	CDBG / PF	\$ 368,133.60	Fire Department proposes to rehab the 2500 Morgan Blvd. Firehouse.
Department of Public Works-Parks and Open Spaces	CDBG / PF	\$ 450,000.00	Funds will provide upgraded play amenities as well as to re-establish various athletic baseball fields within Liney Ditch Park.

Department of Public Works-Parks and Open Spaces	CDBG / PF	\$ 450,000.00	These funds will be allocated to the CHOICE Program.
Housing Services Division- Property Improvement Program (PIP)	CDBG / Housing and Rehab	\$ 200,000.00	Continuation of PIP to serve 25 eligible households with financial assistance necessary to address emergency condition (s). Budget includes program delivery and consultant cost.
CDBG Administration	CDBG / Admin.	\$ 511,533.40	Costs related to the planning and execution of CDBG activities, including goods and services.
TOTAL CDBG PROGRAM	CDBG	\$ 2,557,667.00	Projected Funding Amount
St. Joseph's Carpenters Society	HOME	\$ 250,000.00	Funds will be used to complete the full rehabilitation of two (2) affordable for-sale housing units in the Marlton and Lanning Square East/Cooper Plaza sections.
Tenant Based Rental Assistance (TBRA)	HOME	\$ 532,334.90	Funds will provide families and individuals with assistance for Tenant Base Rental Assistance Programs including temporary rental assistance, security deposit assistance, utility assistance.
HOME Administration	HOME	\$ 86,926.10	Costs related to the planning and execution of HOME activities.
TOTAL HOME PROGRAM	НОМЕ	\$ 869,261.00	Projected Funding Amount
DHS - Rapid Re-Housing Reloc. & Stabilization Services	ESG	\$ 5,000.00	Relocation and Stabilization Services provide homeless persons living on the streets, or in an emergency shelter with case management, security & utility deposits.
DHS - Rapid Re-Housing Rental Assist.	ESG	\$ 8,000.00	Provides homeless living on the streets, or in an emergency shelter w/rental assistance.
DHS - Homeless Prevention Rental Assistance	ESG	\$ 103,600.00	Provides extremely low income individuals and families at risk of becoming homeless and moving into an emergency shelter or place not meant for human habitation w/rental assist.
DHS - Homeless Prevention Relocation and Stabilization Services	ESG	\$ 45,000.00	Provide extremely low income individuals and families at risk of becoming homeless and moving into an emergency shelter/place not meant for human habitation w/case management, security and utility.
Emergency Shelter Services - Hotel Vouchers	ESG	\$ 25,276.37	Emergency Shelter Services will provide hotel vouchers to (23) extremely low income families/individuals access to emergency shelter during an unforeseen emergency, when no other shelters are available. These families/individuals will be provided shelter pending permanent housing not to exceed 14 days.
HMIS	ESG	\$ 13,400.00	Funding utilized to cover the operational expense of one part time employee to input information into the Homeless Management Information System.
ESG Administration	ESG	\$ 16,238.63	Costs related to the planning and execution of ESG activities, including goods and services.
TOTAL ESG PROGRAM	ESG	\$ 216,515.00	Projected Funding Amount
Camden MSA Housing Voucher Program	HOPWA	\$ 1,103,679.58	Housing vouchers for qualifying individuals and families throughout the tri-county area of Burlington, Gloucester and Camden County.
HOPWA Administration	HOPWA	\$ 34,134.42	Costs related to the implementation of HOPWA activities, including goods and services.
TOTAL HOPWA PROGRAM	HOPWA	\$ 1,137,814.00	Projected Funding Amount
GRAND TOTAL		\$ 4,781,257.00	Projected Funding Amount for All Entitlement Grant Programs