

## NOTICE OF INTENT TO REQUEST RELEASE OF FUNDS(NOI-RROF)

DATE OF NOTICE February 12, 2026

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This notice shall satisfy requirements for (rehabilitation) to be undertaken by the City of Camden.

### REQUEST FOR RELEASE OF FUNDS

On or about February 21, 2026, the City of Camden will submit a request to the U.S. Department of Housing and Urban Development (HUD) Newark Office of Community Planning and Development for the release of funds under the **Section 108 Loan Guarantee Program**, as authorized by Title I of the Housing and Community Development Act of 1974, as amended, to undertake the following project:

#### Project Title:

Fire Station Rehabilitation and Equipment Improvements

Project Location: Citywide – Multiple Fire Station Locations, Camden, NJ

Project Description: The proposed project involves the rehabilitation and capital improvements to the following fire stations:

- Engine 11 – 901 N. 27th Street – \$762,990
- Engine 10 – 2500 Morgan Blvd – \$549,700
- Engine 9 – 1 North 27th Street – \$271,700
- Engine 8 – 1300 Broadway – \$165,260
- Engine 1 – 4 North 3rd Street – \$320,600
- Squad 7 – 1115 Kaighn Avenue – \$863,200

Additionally, funds will support acquisition of essential public safety equipment:

- Squad Pumper – \$1,100,000
- Heavy Rescue Vehicle – \$1,400,000

Engineering, Change Orders & Miscellaneous – \$1,028,490

Total Project Cost: \$6,461,940

The project will improve essential public safety infrastructure serving low- and moderate-income residential areas and meets the Low/Moderate Income Area Benefit National Objective.

#### Environmental Review

The activities proposed are **Categorically Excluded Subject to 24 CFR 58.5** and comply with all applicable environmental requirements. An Environmental Review Record (ERR) documenting the environmental determinations for this project is on file at:

City of Camden  
Department of Finance – Bureau of Grants Management  
520 Market Street, 3rd Floor  
Camden, NJ 08101

The ERR may be examined or copied weekdays between 8:30 a.m. and 4:30 p.m.

## PUBLIC COMMENTS

Any individual, group, or agency disagreeing with this determination or wishing to comment on the projects may submit written comments to the Bureau of Grants Management – Department of Finance at the above listed address or by emailing [grantsmanagement@camdennj.gov](mailto:grantsmanagement@camdennj.gov) before February 20, 2026. The City of Camden prior to authorizing submission of a request for release of funds will consider all comments received before February 20, 2026. Comments should specify this notice.

## ENVIRONMENTAL CERTIFICATION

The Department of Finance – Bureau of Grants Management certifies to the U.S. Department of Housing & Urban Development that the Honorable Victor G. Carstarphen, in his capacity as Mayor consents to accept the jurisdiction of the Federal Courts if an action is brought to enforce responsibilities in relation to the environmental review process and that these responsibilities have been satisfied. The U.S. Department of Housing & Urban Development's approval of the certification satisfies its responsibilities under NEPA and related laws and authorities, and allows the City of Camden to use Program funds.

## OBJECTION TO RELEASE OF FUNDS

The U.S. Department of Housing & Urban Development will accept objections to its release of funds and the RE's certification for a period of fifteen days following the anticipated submission date or its actual receipt of the request (whichever is later) only if they are on one of the following basis: (a) the certification was not executed by the Certifying Officer of the City of Camden; (b) the Division of Planning and Zoning has omitted a step or failed to make a decision or finding required by HUD regulations at 24CFR Part 58; (c) the grant recipient has committed funds or incurred costs not authorized by 24 CFR Part 58 before approval of a release of funds by the U. S. Department of Housing & Urban Development; or (d) another Federal Agency acting pursuant to 40 CFR Part 1504 has submitted a written finding that the project is unsatisfactory from the standpoint of environmental quality. Objections must be prepared and submitted in accordance with the required procedures (24 CFR Part 58, Sec. 58.76) and shall be addressed to the U. S. Department of Housing & Urban Development at the Office of Community Planning & Development, [CPDRROFNJN@hud.gov](mailto:CPDRROFNJN@hud.gov) Potential objectors should contact HUD to verify the actual last day of the objection period.

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