

**COMBINED NOTICE
NOTICE TO PUBLIC OF NO SIGNIFICANT IMPACT ON THE ENVIRONMENT
AND NOTICE OF INTENT TO REQUEST RELEASE OF FUNDS**

TO ALL INTERESTED AGENCIES, GROUPS AND PERSONS:

September 11, 2019

Notice of Intent to Request a Release of Funds

Sumpter Township
Community Development
23480 Sumpter Road
Belleville, MI 48111

On or about **September 30, 2019** the above-named City will request the U.S. Department of Housing and Urban Development to release federal funds under Title I of the Housing and Community Development Act of 1974 (PL 93.383) for the following project:

Senior Center Masonry Repair and Replacement, Sumpter Twp., Wayne County, Michigan
2018 CDBG Funds - \$80,000.00

Total CDBG Funds - \$80,000.00

These funds will be used to repair and replace any necessary masonry blocks along the perimeter of the existing Senior Center that are in a current state of disrepair.

Notice of FONSI

Sumpter Township also gives notice that it has been determined that such request for release of funds will not constitute an action significantly affecting the quality of the human environment and, accordingly, Sumpter Township has decided not to prepare an Environmental Impact Statement under the National Environmental Policy Act of 1969 (NEPA, 42 USC 4321). The reasons for such decision not to prepare such a Statement is as follows: *No significant impact was found as a result of Environmental Review.*

An Environmental Review Record respecting the above project has been made by Sumpter Township, which documents the environmental review of the project, and more fully sets forth the reasons why such Statement is not required. This Environmental Review Record is on file at Sumpter Township Community Development Department, 23480 Sumpter Road, Belleville, Michigan 48111. The records are available for public examination and copying, upon request, between the hours of 9:00 a.m. and 4:30 p.m., Monday through Friday. No further environmental review of this project is proposed prior to the request for release of Federal funds.

Public Comments on Finding

All interested agencies, groups and persons disagreeing with this decision are invited to submit written comments for consideration. Such written comments should be received at the Townships' address listed above on or before **September 30, 2019**. All such comments so received will be considered by the Township prior to authorizing submission of a request for release of Federal funds.

Release of Funds

Sumpter Township will undertake the project described above with Block Grant funds from the U.S. Department of Housing & Urban Development (HUD) under Title I of the Housing & Urban Development Act of 1974. Sumpter Township is certifying to HUD that Sumpter Township and John W. Morgan, in his capacity as Township Supervisor, consent to accept the jurisdiction of the federal courts if an action is brought to enforce responsibilities in relation to environmental reviews, decision making, and action and that these responsibilities have been satisfied. The legal effect of the certification is that upon its approval, Sumpter Township may use the Block Grant funds, and HUD will have satisfied its responsibilities under the National Environmental Policy Act of 1969.

Objections to County and HUD Release of Funds

HUD, Detroit Area Office will accept objections to its release of funds and Sumpter Township's certification received by **October 15, 2019** or for a period of fifteen days from its 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 Taylor (b) the responsible entity (RE) has omitted a step or failed to make a decision or finding required by HUD regulations at 24 CFR 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 HUD; 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) and shall be addressed to Carmen E. Reveron, HUD Detroit Area Office, Patrick V. McNamara Building, 477 Michigan Avenue, Detroit, MI 48226. Potential objectors should contact HUD, Detroit Area Office to verify the actual last day of the objection period.

John W. Morgan
Township Supervisor
Sumpter Township

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