

**TOWN OF TIVERTON**  
**343 HIGHLAND ROAD**  
**TIVERTON, RI 02878**

**NOTICE OF INTENT TO REQUEST**  
**THE RELEASE OF FUNDS**

October 15, 2013

On or about October 26th, 2013, the Town of Tiverton will submit a request to the R.I. Office of Housing and Community Development (OHCD) to release Federal funds under Title I of the Housing and Community Development Act of 1974 (P.L. 93-383) for the following projects:

Public Facilities: North Tiverton Streets and Sewers

The program will provide funding for installation of sewers on Hooper Street, Canonic Street, and Shove Street in Tiverton, RI. The project is located in Census Tract 416.01.

Amount: \$83,652

The activities proposed are categorically excluded under HUD regulations at 24 CFR Part 58 from the National Environmental Policy Act requirements. An Environmental Review Record (ERR) that documents the environmental determinations for this project is on file at Tiverton Town Hall, 343 Highland Road, Tiverton, RI 02878 where the ERR can be examined weekdays 8:30 A.M. to 4:00 P.M.

**PUBLIC COMMENTS**

Any individual, group, or agency may submit written comments on the ERR to the office of the undersigned at Tiverton Town Hall, 343 Highland Road, Tiverton, RI 02878. All comments received on or before October 26, 2013 will be considered by the Town of Tiverton prior to authorizing submission of a request for release of funds.

**RELEASE OF FUNDS**

The Town of Tiverton certifies to the R.I. Office of Housing and Community Development (OHCD) that James Goncalo in his official capacity as Town Administrator 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 OHCD's approval of the certification satisfies its responsibilities under NEPA and related laws and authorities, and allows the Town of Tiverton to use Community Development Block Grant (CDBG) funds.

**OBJECTIONS TO RELEASE FUNDS**

The R.I. Office of Housing and Community Development will accept objections to its release of

funds and the Town of Tiverton's certification for a period of 15 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 bases: (a) the certification was not executed by the James Goncalo of the Town of Tiverton; (b) the Town of Tiverton 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 R.I. Office of Housing and Community 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) and shall be addressed to R.I. Office of Housing and Community Development, Department of Administration, One Capitol Hill, 3<sup>rd</sup> Floor, Providence, RI 02908. Potential objectors should contact OHCD to verify the actual last day of the objection period.

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