# CITY OF CAMDEN REDEVELOPMENT AGENCY RESOLUTION SUMMARY

**Economic Development/ Brownfields** 

Resolution No.: 06-08-22E

#### **Resolution Title:**

Resolution Authorizing a Shared Services Agreement with the Camden County Improvement Authority for the Demolition of Certain Properties in Block 185 and Block 1395 of the City of Camden Tax Map

#### **Project Summary:**

- Camden County Improvement Authority (CCIA) is undertaking a Phase III Demolition project pursuant to an allocation of \$15,000,000.00 in State funds for the demolition of abandoned, vacant, and blighted properties throughout the City of Camden.
- Camden Redevelopment Agency (CRA) seeks the authority to execute a Shared Services Agreement with CCIA to demolish as part of the Phase III Demolition project certain CRA-owned properties that are blighted and vacant in Block 185 and Block 1395 of the City of Camden Tax Map.
- CCIA, by Resolution 74-22 dated May 12, 2022, approved the execution of a Shared Services Agreement with CRA as part of CCIA's Phase III Demolition project to include certain designated properties identified by CRA for demolition purposes.
- CRA has identified property designated as Block 185, Lots 2,3, 7-9, and 14-21, a site which is improved by 13 vacant townhouse structures and Block 1395, Lot 39 which is improved with a vacant, three-story 40,000 SF office building for demolition by CCIA.
- CRA will not incur any costs associated with CCIA's demolition of these structures.
- The term of the Shared Services Agreement will be for a period of one year from the date of execution of the Agreement.

## **Purpose of Resolution:**

To Authorize a Shared Services Agreement

Award Process:		
N/A		
Cost Not to Exceed: N/A		
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**Total Project Cost:** 

N/A

# Resolution Authorizing a Shared Services Agreement with the Camden County Improvement Authority for the Demolition of Certain Properties in Block 185 and Block 1395 of the City of Camden Tax Map

- WHEREAS, the City of Camden Redevelopment Agency ("CRA") is charged with the duty of redevelopment throughout the City of Camden; and
- WHEREAS, the Camden County Improvement Authority (CCIA) is undertaking a Phase III Demolition project pursuant to an allocation of \$15,000,000.00 in State of New Jersey funds for the demolition of vacant and blighted properties throughout the City of Camden; and
- WHEREAS, N.J.S.A. 40A:65-1 authorizes local units of government to enter into agreements for shared services; and
- WHEREAS, CRA and CCIA desire to enter into a Shared Services Agreement for the demolition of certain CRA-owned properties that are vacant and blighted and located within Block 185 and Block 1395 of the City of Camden Tax Map as identified on Exhibit A; and
- WHEREAS, the cost of demolishing these structures has negatively impacted the feasible redevelopment of these sites; and
- WHEREAS, CCIA, by Resolution 74-22 dated May 12, 2022, approved the execution of a Shared Services Agreement with CRA which provides for certain CRA-designated properties as identified by CRA to be included and demolished as part of CCIA's Phase III Demolition project; and
- WHEREAS, CRA has identified property designated as Block 185, Lots 2,3, 7-9, and 14-21, a site which is improved by 13 vacant residential structures and Block 1395, Lot 39 which is improved with a vacant three-story 40,000 SF office building for demolition by CCIA; and
- WHEREAS, CRA will not incur any costs associated with CCIA's demolition of these structures, and
- WHEREAS, the term of the Shared Services Agreement will be for a period of one year from the date of execution of the Agreement.
- **NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED** by the governing body of the City of Camden Redevelopment Agency that the Interim Executive Director, a duly authorized representative of the Agency, is hereby authorized to negotiate and execute a Shared Services Agreement with the Camden County Improvement Authority (CCIA) for the demolition of certain CRA owned properties identified and designated as Block 185, Lots 2, 3, 7-9, and 14-21 and Block 1395, Lot 39 as part of CCIA's Phase III Demolition project; and
- **BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED** that the Interim Executive Director, a duly authorized representative of the Agency, is hereby authorized and directed to take all actions and execute all other documents necessary to carry out the purposes of this resolution.

06-08-22E (cont'd)

ON MOTION OF:

Maria Sharma

**SECONDED BY:** 

**Marilyn Torres** 

COMMISSIONER	AYES	NAYS	ABSTENTIONS
Derek Davis	X		
Gilbert Harden, Sr.			
Tasha Gainey-Humphrey			
Ian K. Leonard	X		
Jose Javier Ramos	X		
Maria Sharma	X		
Marilyn Torres	X		

# Jan K. Leonard

Ian K. Leonard Chairperson

ATTEST:

Olivette Simpson Interim Executive Director

The above has been reviewed and approved as to form.

Mark F. Asselta

Mark P. Asselta, Esq. Board Counsel

### **EXHIBIT A**

# Phase III Demolition Project by CCIA Vacant, Blighted Structures Identified for Demolition

### **Structures within Block 185**

Block	Lot	Location	Owner
185	2	418 WASHINGTON ST	Camden Redevelopment Agency
185	3	420 WASHINGTON ST	Camden Redevelopment Agency
185	7	428 WASHINGTON ST	Camden Redevelopment Agency
185	8	430 WASHINGTON ST	Camden Redevelopment Agency
185	9	432 WASHINGTON ST	Camden Redevelopment Agency
185	14	441 WEST ST	Camden Redevelopment Agency
185	15	443 WEST ST	Camden Redevelopment Agency
185	16	445 WEST ST	Camden Redevelopment Agency
185	17	447 WEST ST	Camden Redevelopment Agency
185	18	449 WEST ST	Camden Redevelopment Agency
185	19	451 WEST ST	Camden Redevelopment Agency
185	20	453 WEST ST	Camden Redevelopment Agency
185	21	455 WEST ST	Camden Redevelopment Agency

## **Structure within Block 1395**

Block	Lot	Location	Owner
1395	39	1800 DAVIS ST	Camden Redevelopment Agency