CITY OF CAMDEN REDEVELOPMENT AGENCY RESOLUTION SUMMARY

Economic Development-Brownfields

Resolution No.: 02-12-25C

Resolution Title:

Resolution Authorizing a Contract with The Ambient Group, LLC for the Environmental Remediation of the Triangle Area at Elijah Perry Park Designated as Block 544, Lot 1 of the City of Camden Tax Map for an Amount Not to Exceed \$109,488.00

Project Summary:

- The Triangle Area at Elijah Perry Park is located at the North East corner of Ferry and Phillip Streets and designated as Block 544, Lot 1 of the City of Camden Tax Map.
- Elijah Perry Park is a city-owned park where the presence of contaminated historic fill material has been determined, and environmental remediation is required. The park is closed until the contamination can be remediated.
- CRA issued an invitation for bid on December 12, 2024, for the required remediation work, and three (3) bid proposals were received in response.
- The Ambient Group, LLC submitted the lowest responsible bid to perform the environmental remediation actions required for removal of the historic fill material and its off-site disposal to an appropriate facility, and subsequent capping with clean fill. Ambient's submitted base bid totaled \$109,488.00.
- CRA has available brownfield grant funds to cover the cost of the Ambient contract.

Purpose of Resolution:

To authorize a non-professional contract for environmental remediation services

Award Process:

The Invitation for Bid was advertised, and a "Fair and Open" was conducted accordance with procedures established under N.J.S.A. 19:44A-20.4 et seq.

Cost Not To Exceed: \$109,488.00 (Total Bid)

Total Project Cost: \$1,091,266.00

Source of Funds: US EPA and NJDEP HDSRF

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WHEREAS, as part of the CRA's redevelopment duties, the CRA manages the City of Camden Brownfield Program and has grant funds available for such work; and

WHEREAS, Elijah Perry Park (the "Site") is a city-owned park that requires the remediation of historic fill material and its removal to an appropriate off-site facility as well as capping of the site with clean fill and as such, the Park is closed until the contamination can be addressed; and

WHEREAS, CRA advertised an Invitation for Bid entitled, "Elijah Perry Park Remediation of Triangle Area, NE Ferry and Phillip Street (Block 544, Lot 1), Camden, New Jersey" dated December 12, 2024, in accordance with the "fair and open" process and procedures established under the regulations and amendments to N.J.S.A. 19:44A-20.4 et seq, and

WHEREAS, CRA received three (3) bids, and determined that The Ambient Group, LLC submitted the lowest responsible bid; and

WHEREAS, the cost of the work is eligible under the funding awarded to CRA from U.S. Environmental Protection Agency's Brownfield Revolving Loan Fund Grant Program and the NJ Department of Environmental Protection's Hazardous Discharge Site Remediation Fund.

NOW THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED, by the governing body of the City of Camden Redevelopment Agency, that the Executive Director, a duly authorized representative of the Agency, is hereby authorized and directed to negotiate and enter into a contract with The Ambient Group, LLC for the environmental remediation of the Triangle Area at NE Ferry and Phillips Street of the Elijah Perry Park designated as Block 544, Lot 1 of the City of Camden Tax Map for an amount not to exceed \$109,488.00; and

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that the Executive Director, or her designee, is hereby authorized and directed to take all actions and execute all documents necessary to carry out the purposes of this resolution.

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ON MOTION OF: Maria Sharma

SECONDED BY: Derek Davis

COMMISSIONER	AYES	NAYS	ABSTENTIONS
Christopher Collins			
Derek Davis	x		
Gilbert Harden, Sr.	x		
Tasha Gainey-Humphrey	X		
Ian K. Leonard	2		
Jose Javier Ramos	X		r
Maria Sharma	X		

Jan K. Leonard

Ian K. Leonard Chairperson

ATTEST:

Olivette Simpson Executive Director

The above has been reviewed and approved as to form.

Mark P. Asselta

Mark P. Asselta, Esq. Board Counsel

Exhibit A





Source: Camden County Tax Map



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Exhibit A



Block 544, Lot 1



S. 9TH STREET (50' MDE ROW)

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Source: Camden County Tax Map