## NOTICE OF INTENT TO REQUEST RELEASE OF FUNDS

October 15, 2025

County of Summit, Ohio

175 S. Main Street Room 207

Akron, Ohio 44308

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On or about October 27, 2025 the County of Summit, Ohio will submit a request to the HUD administering agency for the release of name of grant program funds under Title II of the Cranston-Gonzalez National Affordable Housing Act and Title I, Housing and Community Development Act of 1974 for Minor Home Repair for owner occupied homes for income eligible residents within the Summit County Jurisdiction.

The activities proposed: Comprise a project for which a Finding of No Significant Impact on the environment on October 15<sup>th</sup>, 2025. An Environmental Review Record (ERR) that documents the environmental determinations for this project is on file at the County of Summit 175 S. Main Street Room 207 Akron, Ohio 44308 and may be examined or copied weekdays 8 A.M to 3P.M.

## **PUBLIC COMMENTS**

Any individual, group, or agency may submit written comments on the ERR to the Summit County Department of Development <u>Hmiller@summitoh.net</u> All comments received by October 27<sup>th</sup>, 2025 will be considered by the County of Summit, Ohio prior to authorizing submission of a request for release of funds.

## **ENVIRONMENTAL CERTIFICATION**

The County of Summit, Ohio certifies to HUD that Executive Shapiro in her capacity as County Executive 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. HUD's State's approval of the certification satisfies its responsibilities under NEPA and related laws and authorities and allows the HOME Program and CDBG Program use Program funds.

## **OBJECTIONS TO RELEASE OF FUNDS**

HUD will accept objections to its release of fund and the County of Summit, Ohio 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 bases: (a) the certification was not executed by the Certifying Officer of the County of Summit, Ohio; (b) the County of Summit, Ohio 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 or other participants in the development process have committed funds, incurred costs or undertaken activities 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, Sec. 58.76) and shall be addressed to HUD at CPDcolumbusrrof@hud.gov. Potential objectors should contact HUD to verify the actual last day of the objection period.

Executive, Ilene Shapiro County of Summit, Ohio