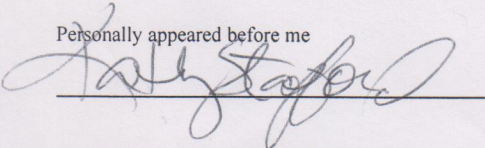


STATE OF SOUTH CAROLINA
COUNTY OF SUMTER

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632 ROSEWOOD DRIVE
COLUMBIA, SC 29201

Personally appeared before me



Kathy Stafford, Legal Clerk

Who being duly sworn, says she is a
Bookkeeping clerk of the OSTEEN
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A Newspaper published in said state and
county and the advertisement

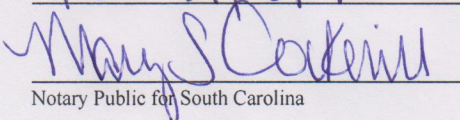
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Ad Order ID: 262000

was published in said newspaper on
11/23/2016

and a copy of the advertisement is attached.

Sworn to before me on said date:

Dec 2, 2016

Notary Public for South Carolina

MARY S. COCKERILL
Notary Public, State of South Carolina
My Commission Expires 6/10/2026

**NOTICE OF FINDING OF
NO SIGNIFICANT IMPACT
AND NOTICE OF INTENT
TO REQUEST
RELEASE OF FUNDS**

November 23, 2016

South Carolina Disaster Recovery
Office (SCDRO) of the South
Carolina Department of Commerce,
632 Rosewood Drive, Columbia, SC
29201,(803),896-4171

These notices shall satisfy two
separate but related procedural
requirements for activities to be
undertaken by the South Carolina
Disaster Recovery Office (SCDRO) of
the South Carolina Department of
Commerce.

**REQUEST FOR RELEASE
OF FUNDS**

On or about December 09, 2016, the
South Carolina Department of
Commerce will "authorize the South
Carolina Disaster Recovery Office to"
submit a request to HUD for the
release of Community Development
Block Grant-Disaster Recovery
(CDBG-DR) funds under The
Disaster Relief Appropriations Act
of 2016 (Pub. L. 114113, approved
December 18, 2015) to undertake a
project known as Single Family
Rehabilitation and Reconstruction
Program, Sumter County, South
Carolina for the purpose of
rehabilitating and/or reconstructing
single-family homes, and/or
replacement of single-family
Manufactured Housing Units (MHUs)
that were damaged by the October
2015 Flood Event. This is a
multi-year project 12/2016-12/2021
where SCDRO will be carrying out
various individual action on single
family homes. Rehabilitation
activities may include: repair or
replacement of structure elements
such as roof, windows, door,
sheetrock, plumbing and electrical
fixtures, mechanicals, and lead
based paint and mold remediation.
Reconstruction activities will
include demolition of the original
storm-damaged unit, site
preparation, elevation as required,
and reconstruction of a single-family
dwelling. MHU replacement will
include demolishing original MHU
on site, hauling debris away and
placing new MHU in previous MHU
footprint.

Under 24 CFR 58.15 (Tiering) and 24
CFR 58.32 (Project aggregation),
SCDRO will utilize a tiered
approach for combining similar work
into geographic as well as functional
aggregation packages when
conducting the environmental
review. The "Broad Review" or "Tier
1 review" has been completed and it
has been determined that the project
will not result in a significant impact
on the quality of the human
environment. Applying the tiering
rule provides SCDRO the ability to
separate individual project site work
into aggregate categories of work
having similar geographic and/or
functional environmental attributes.
A "site specific" or "Tier II" review
will be done on each subject
property before using any CDBG-DR
funds for construction activities. The
estimated CDBG-DR funding amount
for Sumter County is \$12,600,000.00.

**FINDING OF NO
SIGNIFICANT IMPACT**

SCDRO has determined that the
project will have no significant
impact on the human environment.
Therefore, an Environmental Impact
Statement under the National
Environmental Policy Act of 1969
(NEPA) is not required. Additional
project information is contained in
the Environmental Review Record
(ERR) on file with Eric Fosmire at
the South Carolina Disaster
Recovery Office, 632 Rosewood
Drive, Columbia, SC 29201 and may
be examined or copied weekdays 9
A.M to 5 P.M.

for release of funds. Comments
should specify which Notice they are
addressing.

**ENVIRONMENTAL
CERTIFICATION**

SCDRO certifies to HUD that Eric
Fosmire in his capacity as the
SCDRO Attorney 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 approval of the
certification satisfies its
responsibilities under NEPA and
related laws and authorities and
allows the SCDRO to use Program
funds.

**OBJECTIONS TO
RELEASE OF FUNDS**

HUD will accept objections to its
release of fund and the SCDRO's
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 SCDRO; (b) SCDRO
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
Bradley S. Evatt, Director CPD, 1835
Assembly Street, 13th Floor,
Columbia, SC 29201-2460,
(803)765-5344. Potential objectors
should contact HUD to verify the
actual last day of the objection
period.