

**FEDERAL ECONOMIC STIMULUS
THE CITY OF CAMDEN'S RESPONSE TO THE
AMERICAN RECOVERY AND REINVESTMENT ACT OF 2009**

This page serves as a source of information for the public about the City of Camden's Projects being supported through the American Recovery and Reinvestment Act of 2009 (ARRA, also popularly referred to as the Federal Economic Stimulus) signed into law by President Obama on February 17th. The page will be updated regularly to include the latest information available on proposed projects. Additional information about the ARRA can be found at www.recovery.gov.

The City of Camden has developed two (2) Public Service Projects for our Department of Health and Human Services - Division of Youth Services and eight (8) Public Facility Projects at various sites throughout the City which have been identified as potential projects that may qualify for funding under the Community Development Block Grant Program Funding under the American Recovery and Reinvestment Act of 2009 (CDBG-R).

CDBG-R \$751,301.00

THE CITY OF CAMDEN'S PROJECT LIST

PUBLIC SERVICE

Summer Youth Employment

Division of Youth Services will be hiring an additional 50 youth between the ages of 14 – 17 for the Summer Youth Program.

Estimated Cost: \$48,000.00

Health & Human Services Transportation

The Department intends to purchase two vans which will be utilized to transport clients to special event projects, daily departmental operations and transportation for visitors.

Estimated Cost: \$64,650.00

PUBLIC FACILITIES

27th & Federal Fire House

Improvements will include a new concrete pad.

Estimated Cost: \$50,000.00

Ferry Avenue Library

Improvements include security cameras, roofing, gutters and new windows.

Estimated Cost: \$20,000.00

Kaighn Avenue Fire House

Improvements include overhead door and roofing.

Estimated Cost: \$27,651.00

Broadway Community Center

Improvements include new heating/air conditioner unit, restroom renovations, security cameras, security doors and renovations to the 2nd floor to include walls and flooring.

Estimated Cost: \$250,000.00

Martin Luther King Center

Improvements include restroom renovations, security cameras and doors.

Estimated Cost: \$80,000.00

Morgan Village Fire House

Improvements include electrical work throughout the building and new overhead doors.

Estimated Cost: \$100,000.00

Police Athletic League

Improvements include a new heating/air conditioning unit.

Estimated Cost: \$9,000.00

Isabel Miller Community Center

Improvements include restroom renovations, security cameras, security doors, flooring and renovations to the baby pool.

Estimated Cost: \$102,000.00

The City of Camden has identified various activities for funding under the Homelessness Prevention and Rapid Re-Housing Program that address homeless prevention for the residents of the City of Camden.

**HOMELESSNESS PREVENTION AND RAPID RE-HOUSING PROGRAM -
\$1,149,122.00**

This project involves helping residents to avoid becoming homeless and facilitating access to homeless prevention services. Services will include providing financial assistance to residents for utility bills, back rental payments, security deposits, credit repair, property tax assistance, referral services, employment/financial counseling and temporary housing relocation assistance. These funds will help to provide housing stability to Camden residents who have been impacted by the slowing economy. (see amended 2008-2009 Amended Action Plan for listing of activities and amounts).