

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

February 25, 2026

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These notices shall satisfy two separate but related procedural requirements for activities to be undertaken by the St. Clair County Intergovernmental Grants Department.

REQUEST FOR RELEASE OF FUNDS

On or about March 13, 2026 the St. Clair County Intergovernmental Grants Department will submit a request to the U.S. Department of Housing and Urban Development (HUD) for the release of CDBG-DR funds under The Further Additional Supplemental Appropriations for Disaster Relief Requirements Act, 2018 (Public Law 115–123); Additional Supplemental Appropriations for Disaster Relief Act, 2019 (Pub. L. 116–20) as amended, to undertake the following project:

<b>Project / Location</b>
<p><b>Project Name:</b> Piat Place Flood Reduction Project</p> <p><b>Project Location:</b> Within the Piat Place neighborhood of Cahokia Heights, IL. The project boundaries consist of Piat Place to the north, Lake Drive to the south, N.58th Street to the west, and Pittsburgh Drive to the east, Centreville, IL Saint Clair County</p> <p><b>Project Description:</b> The purpose of project is to alleviate flooding within the Piat Place Neighborhood by upgrading the stormwater trunk sewer and piped network. A total of 166 households will directly benefit from the new systems. The new storm sewer culvert would outlet from the neighborhood into the Illinois Department of Natural Resources (IDNR) Frank Holten State Park. The outlet will meander through the park within a constructed two stage stormwater channel before outlet into Whispering Willow Lake.</p>

*Approx. Federal Funding: CDBG-DR - \$ 9,220,000.00*

*Estimated Total Project Cost: \$ 12,150,000.00*

FINDING OF NO SIGNIFICANT IMPACT

The St. Clair County Intergovernmental Grants Department in partner with Horner and Shifrin Inc. have determined that the projects will have no significant impact affecting the quality of 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) and is on file at the above address and may be examined or copied weekdays between the hours of 9:00A.M to 4:30P.M.

PUBLIC COMMENTS

Any individual, group, or agency may submit written comments on the ERR to the St. Clair County Intergovernmental Grants Department. All comments received by March 12, 2026 will be considered by the St. Clair County Intergovernmental Grants Department prior to authorizing submission of a request for release of funds. Comments should specify which Notice they are addressing.

#### ENVIRONMENTAL CERTIFICATION

The St. Clair County Intergovernmental Grants Department certifies to HUD that Mark A. Kern in his official capacity as Chairman, St. Clair County Board 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 St. Clair County to use Program funds.

#### OBJECTIONS TO RELEASE OF FUNDS

HUD will accept objections to its release of fund and the St. Clair County Intergovernmental Grants Department 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 St. Clair County Intergovernmental Grants Department; (b) the St. Clair County Intergovernmental Grants Department 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 77 West Jackson Blvd, Chicago, IL 60604-3507. Potential objectors should contact HUD at 1-312-913-8713 to verify the actual last day of the objection period.

Mark A. Kern  
Chairman, St. Clair County Board  
Certifying Officer