

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

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City of Olympia
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Olympia, WA 98501
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These notices shall satisfy two separate but related procedural requirements for activities to be undertaken by the City of Olympia.

REQUEST FOR RELEASE OF FUNDS

On or about April 30, 2019 (at least one day after the end of the comment period) the City of Olympia will authorize the Salvation Army to submit a request to the HUD Seattle Regional Office for the release of Community Development Block Grant funds under Title 1 of the Housing and Community Development Act of 1974, as amended, to undertake a project known as the Salvation Army Day Center Rehabilitation Project for the purpose of rehabilitating existing structures at the Salvation Army Day Center Site located at 824 5th Avenue SE, Olympia, Washington. This project will utilize \$300,000 of federal CDBG funds.

FINDING OF NO SIGNIFICANT IMPACT

The City of Olympia has determined that the proposed 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)** as follows:

Online: <http://olympiawa.gov/city-services/housing-social-service.aspx>
Paper Copy: Olympia City Hall, 601 4th Avenue E, Olympia, WA 98501
(May be examined or copied weekdays 8 A.M to 5 P.M)

PUBLIC COMMENTS

Any individual, group, or agency may submit written comments on this ERR by contacting City of Olympia as follows:

City of Olympia Community Planning and Development (CDBG)
601 4th Avenue E, Olympia, WA 98501.
cdbg@ci.olympia.wa.us 360-753-8183

All comments received by April 30, 2019 (if notice is published: publication date plus fifteen days; if notice is mailed and posted: mailing and posting date plus eighteen days) will be

considered by the City of Olympia prior to authorizing submission of a request for release of funds. Comments should specify which Notice they are addressing.

ENVIRONMENTAL CERTIFICATION

The City of Olympia certifies to HUD that Keith Stahley in his capacity as City of Olympia Community Planning and Development Director 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 Salvation Army to use Program funds.

OBJECTIONS TO RELEASE OF FUNDS

HUD will accept objections to its release of fund and the City of Olympia'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 City of Olympia; (b) the City of Olympia 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 Seattle Regional Office at 909 First Avenue Suite 200, Seattle, WA 98104. Potential objectors should contact HUD to verify the actual last day of the objection period.

Keith Stahley
City of Olympia
Community Planning & Development Director