Construction of upgrades and improvements to the City of Camden’s combined sewer system, the Cramer Hill Nature Preserve and the construction of green infrastructure, all of which are located within the City of Camden, with a capital cost of $6,650,000 were financed by the New Jersey Environmental Infrastructure Financing Program (NJEIFP). The NJEIFP is a State Revolving Fund program jointly administered by the New Jersey Department of Environmental Protection (DEP) and the New Jersey Environmental Infrastructure Trust (Trust) and uses a combination of funds provided by the United States Environmental Protection Agency, the DEP, and the Trust to provide very low interest loans to borrowers for environmental infrastructure projects.

This project will provide water quality benefits by helping to eliminate surcharging and overflows, reducing the inflow of stormwater into the sewer system and removing contaminants and debris from the Cramer Hill Nature Preserve for residents and businesses in the City of Camden.

State Revolving Fund programs around the nation provide states and communities the resources necessary to maintain and improve the infrastructure protecting our valuable water resources nationwide.