

Fundraiser

Bismillah Ar Rahman Ar Raheem was-salaatu was-salaam 'alaa Rasoolillaah

As salaamu alaikum wa rahmatullah

The administration of Masjidul Bayaan is sad to report that we have lost our lease without the option of extension. As of January 15th we will be vacating 209 Bond Street. This leaves us in a situation where we are quickly looking at potential rentals while searching for a more permanent solution. Formerly, we had hoped to renovate our property on Sewall Ave that was purchased for this purpose. However, after working extensively with a local architectural firm it was determined that renovations would cost over \$1 million. The decision was made that this is well beyond the means of our small community and it is now on the market for sale.

At this time we are closely looking at rental properties, and hope to move quickly so that there is no significant amount of time where the community of Asbury Park does not have a building, inshaaAllah tala. The estimated cost for our current needs is \$8,000-\$10,000. This amount needed is for rental deposit, rent, and lawyer fees to address any city zoning issues.

We are turning to the online community to ask for help as it is not always easy for our community to raise significant amounts quickly. Donating is very simple and can be done either online or through postal mail.

Use the Recurring Charity donation box on our website add a one time donation or to schedule a recurring donation on a weekly or monthly basis. This option will direct you to Paypal where your donation will be processed securely. We accept Debit cards, Echecks and Paypal account transfers. Masjidul Bayaan does not accept riba based credit cards. You do not need to have a Paypal account set up to send us your donation. Due to the time sensitive nature of our situation an online donation is preferred, or you may contact us for wire transfer information.

Or you may send us your donation via money order, personal or cashiers check payable in USD to:

Islamic Center of Asbury Park

PO Box 544

Asbury Park, NJ 07712

One time donations are great appreciated. We would also like to encourage anyone who is able to consider pledging monthly or yearly donations so we can meet our basic operating expenses. You can also help by bringing attention to this fundraiser by visiting and promoting our facebook and twitter pages.

In closing, we ask Allah to reward you with good. Please keep the masjid in your duas.