The Honorable M. Allan Vogelson dedicated his life to the enhancement of Camden County, NJ. Raised in the Parkside section of Camden, he graduated from Camden High School and obtained his law degree from Rutgers University-Camden. He served as an Assistant Camden County Prosecutor and then maintained a private law practice in Haddonfield and Camden from 1965 to 1981. Judge Vogelson was elected to Camden County Board of Chosen Freeholders in 1971, and also served as Freeholder Director. In 1991, he was appointed a Judge of the Superior Court of New Jersey, Camden County, serving as Presiding Judge of the Civil Division from 1995 to 2003 and Presiding Judge of the Chancery and Probate Division from 2003 to 2007. Judge Vogelson also served on the boards of Cooper University Hospital, Camden County College, and the Boys and Girls Club of Camden County. The flagship branch of the Camden County Library system in Voorhees is named in his honor. Judge Vogelson passed away on July 30, 2018.

The Honorable M. Allan Vogelson High School Award is presented annually to a Camden High School student who exemplifies outstanding academic excellence. This prestigious recognition honors dedication to scholarship and achievement. Applications are managed through Camden High School; students interested in applying should contact the school administration for eligibility criteria and submission guidelines.