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STANDARD AGREEMENT STD 213 (Rev. 04/2020)		AGREEMENT NUMBER 17-MITPPS-21028	PURCHASING AUTHORITY NUMBER (If Applicable)			
1. This Agreemen	it is entered into between the Contracting Age	ncy and the Contractor named below:				
CONTRACTING AGE	ENCY NAME					
DEPARTMENT C	OF HOUSING AND COMMUNITY DEVELOPM	MENT				
CONTRACTOR NAM	1E					
County of Sono	ma					
2. The term of this	Agreement is:					
START DATE						
Upon HCD App	roval					
THROUGH END DA	TE					
6/25/2025						
3. The maximum \$500,000	amount of this Agreement is:					
4. The parties agr	ee to comply with the terms and conditions of	the following exhibits, which are by thi	s reference made a part of the Agr	eemen	it.	
Exhibits	Title				Pages	
Exhibit A	Authority, Purpose, and Scope of Work			5		
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Exhibit C *	State of California General Terms and Conditions				TC 4/17	
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Exhibit F	Program Application and Additional Provisions			28	3	
Exhibit G				1		
	an asterisk (*), are hereby incorporated by reference an be viewed at <u>https://www.dgs.ca.gov/OLS/Res</u> e		ached hereto.			
IN WITNESS WHE	REOF, THIS AGREEMENT HAS BEEN EXECUTED	D BY THE PARTIES HERETO.				
		CONTRACTOR				
	IE (if other than an individual, state whether a corpor	ation, partnership, etc.)				
County of Sono	ma					
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2300 County Ce	enter Drive, 220 B	Santa	Rosa	Α	95403	
PRINTED NAME OF		TITLE				
Christopher Go	dley	Direct	Director of Emergency Management			
CONTRACTOR AUTHORIZED SIGNATURE			DATE SIGNED			

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**Christopher Godley** 

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STATE OF CALIFORNIA - DEPARTMENT OF GENERAL SERVICES AGREEMENT NUMBER PURCHASING AUTHORITY NUMBER (If Applicable) STANDARD AGREEMENT 17-MITPPS-21028 STD 213 (Rev. 04/2020) STATE OF CALIFORNIA CONTRACTING AGENCY NAME Department of Housing and Community Development CONTRACTING AGENCY ADDRESS CITY ZIP STATE 2020 El Camino Ave Sacramento CA 95833 PRINTED NAME OF PERSON SIGNING TITLE Michael White Manager, Contract Services CONTRACTING AGENCY AUTHORIZED SIGNATURE DATE SIGNED Digitally signed by Michael.White Michael.White 11/07/2022 Date: 2022.11.07 14:08:55 -08'00' CALIFORNIA DEPARTMENT OF GENERAL SERVICES APPROVAL EXEMPTION (If Applicable)

# **AUTHORITY, PURPOSE AND SCOPE OF WORK**

### 1. Authority & Purpose

The California Department of Housing and Community Development (hereinafter "Department") is the lead and responsible entity for administering the Community Development Block Grant – Mitigation (hereinafter "CDBG-MIT") funds appropriated under Public Law 115-123 and allocated to the State of California by the U.S. Department of Housing and Urban Development (hereinafter "HUD"). CDBG-MIT supports the State of California to carry out strategic and high-impact activities to mitigate disaster risks and reduce future losses in areas impacted by the Federal Emergency Management Agency's Major Disaster Declaration DR-4344 in October 2017 and DR-4353 in December 2017/January 2018. CDBG-MIT Planning and Public Services Program (hereinafter "MIT-PPS") projects are funded by CDBG-MIT funds to address risks to, or across, community lifelines that support human health and safety and provide mitigation for individual and community-based systems.

### 2. Scope of Agreement

### A. Grant Funds

Subject to the terms and conditions of this Standard Agreement (hereinafter "Agreement"), the Department has allocated and agrees to provide grant funds in the maximum amount identified below to the subrecipient identified as "Contractor" on page 1, Section 1 of the STD 213 form (hereinafter "Subrecipient") for all Work (defined below) identified in this Agreement (hereinafter "Subrecipient Award"). All payments made to the Subrecipient will adhere to the provisions described in Exhibit B, Section 4 (Method of Payment) herein. In no instance shall the Department be liable for any costs in excess of this amount, nor for any unauthorized or ineligible costs or expenses. The Subrecipient Award is and shall not exceed \$500,000 per project and \$2,500,000 per subrecipient.

This Agreement governs the Subrecipient Award and each individual Project thereafter proposed by the Subrecipient and approved by the Department (each an "Approved Project", and collectively the "Approved Projects"), the budget for each of which is to constitute some portion of the Subrecipient Award. The cumulative total amount of all Approved Projects shall not exceed the total amount of the Subrecipient Award.

### B. Implementation of Agreement

By entering into this Agreement and thereby accepting the Award of grant funds, the Subrecipient agrees to comply with and implement this Agreement in a manner satisfactory to the Department and HUD and consistent with all

applicable laws, regulations, policies and procedures that may be required from time to time as a condition of the Department providing the grant funds, including but not limited to, all applicable CDBG-MIT Program Administration and Compliance requirements set forth by this Agreement, and in accordance with the Application documentation previously provided by the Subrecipient and made a part hereof. The Department's providing of grant funds under this Agreement is specifically conditioned on Subrecipient's compliance with this provision and all terms and conditions of this Agreement, the most recently published version of the Department's CDBG- MIT Action Plan for 2017 disasters (https://www.hcd.ca.gov/community-development/disaster-recovery-programs/cdbg-dr/cdbg-mit-2017/index.shtml) and any amendments thereto, related Federal Register notices, and the requirements of the authorities cited above, as the same may be amended from time to time.

This Agreement is subject to written modification and termination as necessary by the Department in accordance with requirements contained in any future state or federal legislation and/or state or federal regulations. All other modifications must be in written form and approved by both parties.

# 3. Subrecipient Scope of Work

The Subrecipient scope of work (hereinafter "Work") for this Agreement shall consist of the following:

The Subrecipient shall perform the funded activities described in the Work, as detailed in Exhibit F. All written materials or alterations submitted as addenda to the original Application and which are approved in writing by the Department are hereby incorporated as part of the Application. The Department reserves the right to require the Subrecipient to modify any or all parts of the Application in order to comply with CDBG-MIT program requirements. The Department reserves the right to monitor all Work to be performed by the Subrecipient, its contractors, and subgrantees in relation to this Agreement. Any proposed revision to the Work must be submitted in writing for review and approval by the Department and may require an amendment to this Agreement. Approval shall not be presumed unless such approval is made by the Department in writing.

- A. For the purposes of performing the Work, the Department agrees to provide the amount(s) identified in Exhibit B Budget as detailed in Exhibit F, Additional Provisions. Unless amended, the Department shall not be liable for any costs in excess of the total approved budget. The Department shall not, under any conditions, be liable for any unauthorized or ineligible costs.
- B. Planning activity(ies), as defined in the MIT-PPS Policies and

Procedures, do not have to meet a CDBG-Mitigation National Objective. Public Service activity(ies), as defined in the MIT-PPS Policies and Procedures, shall meet one of the two CDBG-Mitigation National Objectives:

- 1. Benefit to Low/Moderate Income Persons; or
- 2. Urgent Need Mitigation
- C. Subrecipient shall collect data and submit reports to the Department in accordance with the reporting requirements detailed in Section 24 of Exhibit D herein.
- D. The Subrecipient shall monitor all Approved Projects in accordance with the requirements of Section 1.9 of the MIT-PPS Policies and Procedures.

### 4. Effective Date and Commencement of Work

- A. This Agreement is effective upon approval by the Department representative's signature on page one of the fully executed Standard Agreement, STD 213 (the "Effective Date").
- B. Subrecipient agrees that no Work toward the implementation of the project activity or program activity, as identified in Exhibit F, shall commence without prior written authorization from the Department prior to the execution of this Agreement by the Department.

# 5. <u>Term of Agreement and Performance Milestones</u>

A. Term of Agreement: With the exception of the grant closeout procedures set forth in Exhibit B, Section 7, the Subrecipient shall complete the Approved Project(s) activities on or before the expenditure deadline identified on the STD 213 of this Agreement and identified below. Time is of the essence in order to ensure complete and compliant Projects before grant closeout. All grant funds must be expended by: 06/25/2025, unless expressly extended by the department in writing

This Agreement will expire on: 06/25/2025

B. Performance Milestones: Subrecipient shall adhere to the performance milestones below. Time is of the essence with respect to all such milestones.

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- 1. Subrecipient must submit monthly report data in accordance with the requirement of Section 1.24 of the MIT-PPS Policy and Procedure to HCD during the term of this Agreement.
- Subrecipient must fully expend all MIT-PPS activity funds within three
  years of execution of this Agreement. If Subrecipient fails to fully
  expend MIT-PPS activity funds within three years of execution of this
  Agreement, the Department reserves the right to disencumber the
  Subrecipient's Award amount in this Agreement by the amount then
  unspent.

Failure to meet performance milestones:

If any performance milestones listed above are not met, the Department reserves the right to withhold further payments to Subrecipient until such time as satisfactory progress is made toward meeting the performance measures. Subrecipient shall diligently work with MIT-PPS staff to submit: (a) a written mitigation plan specifying the reason for the delay; (b) the actions to be taken to complete the task that is the subject of the missed measure deadline; and, (c) the date by which the completion of said task will occur.

The Department reserves the right to reallocate unobligated grant funds within the MIT-PPS program, in its sole and absolute discretion if the Department determines the Subrecipient is unable to meet the performance milestones in a timely manner following the failure to meet said milestones. The Department reserves all rights and remedies available to it in case of a default by Subrecipient of its responsibilities and obligations under the terms of this Agreement. All remedies available to the Department are cumulative and not exclusive.

C. The Subrecipient and its Contractors, as applicable, shall adhere to all performance and Project milestones as established above.

### 8. MIT-PPS Program Contract Management

A. Department Contract Manager: The Department Contract Manager for this Agreement is the MIT-PPS Program Manager or the Program Manager's designee. Written communication regarding this Agreement shall be directed to the Department Contract Manager at the following address:

CA Department of Housing and Community Development Division of Financial Assistance – MIT-PPS P.O. Box 952054

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Sacramento, CA 94252-2054

- B. Contract Management: Day-to-day administration of this Agreement shall take place via Grants Network, including but not limited to:
  - 1. Financial Reports (Funds Requests)
  - 2. Activity Reports
  - 3. Other Reports, as required
  - 4. Submittal of any and all requested supporting documentation
  - 5. Standard Agreement Issuance and Amendments
- C. Subrecipient Contract Administrator: The Subrecipient Contract Administrator (must be a Subrecipient employee) is identified in Exhibit G, Profile. Unless otherwise directed by the Department, any notice, report, or other communication required by this Agreement shall be directed via Grants Network or written to the Subrecipient's Contract Administrator at the contact information identified in Exhibit G, Profile.

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# **BUDGET DETAILS AND PAYMENT PROVISIONS**

#### 1. **Budget**

All Budget amounts are specified in Exhibit F, section 3, Budget Worksheet.

#### 2. Availability of Funds

- Α. The Department's provision of funding to Subrecipient pursuant to this Agreement is contingent on the availability of CDBG-MIT funds, and subject to the requirements to spend 50% of program funds to benefit the MID, and 70% of grant-wide funds for LMI benefit, and continued federal and state authorization for CDBG- MIT activities and is subject to amendment or termination due to lack of funds or authorization
- B. The Department shall be relieved of any obligation for making payments to the Subrecipient if funds allocated to the State by HUD cease to be available for any reason or there is any limitation on, or withdrawal of, the Department's authority to administer the CDBG-MIT program or any portion thereof.

#### 3. **Expenditure of Funds**

#### A. **Project and Activity Costs**

No Project or Activity costs may be incurred or funds reimbursed until and unless Subrecipient provides documented compliance with the National Environmental Protection Act (NEPA) requirements established in 24 CFR 50, 24 CFR 58, and 42 USC 4321, et seg. and California Environmental Quality Act (CEQA); California Code of Regulations, Title 14, Division 6, Chapter 3, Sections 15000 -15387 as referenced in Exhibit D, section 14

Activity Delivery Costs may be incurred prior to documented NEPA and CEQA compliance. See Section 4(A)(3) below for reimbursement requirements of Activity Delivery costs.

#### В. **Priority of Funds**

The Grantee agrees to utilize funds available under this Agreement to supplement rather than supplant funds otherwise available.

#### C. Withholding Funds

The Department reserves the right to withhold payments pending timely delivery of program and project reports or documents as may be required under this Agreement, and for defaults by the Subrecipient, as noted in Exhibit D.

# D. Disencumbering Funds

Disencumbering Funds: The Grantee agrees that funds determined by the Department to be surplus upon completion of the activity, or that have not been spent prior to the Expenditure Deadline, will be subject to disencumbrance by the Department.

### E. Indirect Costs

The Department will only consider reimbursement of indirect cost expenditures from Subrecipients that have an approved Indirect Cost Rate Proposal from the Department, HUD or other cognizant federal agency. If Subrecipient does not have an approved Indirect Cost Rate Proposal, Subrecipient shall develop a proposal for determining the appropriate CDBG-MIT share of indirect costs and shall submit it to the Department for approval prior to submission of Financial Reports for reimbursement of indirect cost expenditures.

# F. Compliance with the OMB Uniform Guidance Audit Requirements

Grant funds will not be disbursed to any Subrecipients identified by the State Controller's Office (SCO) as non-compliant with the Federal Single Audit Act, as described in the OMB Uniform Guidance and 2 CFR Part 200 Sub-Part F. No funds may be disbursed until compliance with the Uniform Guidance is demonstrated to the satisfaction of the Department.

### G. Grant Administration

The Subrecipient agrees to administer this Agreement in accordance with the provisions of Section 7097 through and including Section 7126 of Title 25 of the California Code of Regulations.

### 4. <u>Method of Payment</u>

Payments will be made directly to Subrecipients as reimbursements based on the documented and satisfactory completion of agreed upon performance milestones detailed in Subrecipient Work as indicated in Exhibit A, and confirmation of Subrecipient's compliance with the terms of this Agreement.

Financial Reports shall be submitted electronically through Grants Network. The Department shall not authorize payments or reimbursements unless it has determined the activities indicated in the Financial Report have been performed in compliance with the terms of this Agreement and any other agreements executed by the parties in connection herewith. Financial Reports shall be submitted by the Subrecipient to the Department at least once per month.

#### Α. Reimbursements for Costs Incurred

- 1. The Subrecipient may use grant funds for reimbursement by the Department for Eligible Expenses as defined herein, applied to Activities approved by the Department through the application processes described in Exhibit A. Eligible Expenses include but are not limited to, costs associated with Subrecipient program implementation, including staff time and development of policies and procedures for Approved Activities, as determined by the MIT-PPS Program Policies and Procedures.
- 2. Activity Delivery Costs expenditures shall be paid only after such costs are expended for Work satisfactorily completed, provided the Department determines that the Program Performance Milestones in this Agreement and/or Approved Project Performance Milestones are on track. Subrecipient may expend up to the indicated Activity Delivery amount identified in Exhibit A.
- 3. To receive reimbursement for Projects and Activities, the Subrecipient shall timely submit all required Department forms via Grants Network. Financial Reports must include the level of documentation specified by the Department in the Department's Grant Administration Manual located on the Department's website, in order to be reviewed and processed.

#### B. **Final Financial Reports**

- 1. The final Financial Report for the Subrecipient Award must be submitted to the Department before the expenditure deadline of this Agreement.
- 2. If the final Financial Report for costs expended during the term of this Agreement has not been received by the Department before the expenditure deadline in Exhibit A, the Department may disencumber any funds remaining in which case grant funds will no longer be available to the Subrecipient.

#### 5. Recapture of Funds

A Subrecipient may be required to repay all or a portion of the funds received from the Department, including Activity Delivery, pursuant to this Agreement if the Subrecipient, among other things, does not fulfill its obligations under this Agreement or fails to meet applicable federal requirements. The reasons for a recapture of funds by the Department include, but are not limited to, the following:

Α. The Subrecipient does not comply with the terms of this Agreement or any agreement executed by the Subrecipient and the Department in connection here with;

- B. The Subrecipient withdraws from the Program prior to completion of the Project(s) or Activity(ies);
- C. The Subrecipient fails to meet a National Objective.

The potential recapture of funds pursuant to this provision is in addition to, and not in lieu of, any other rights and remedies of the Department under this Agreement.

#### **Project Budget Revisions and Amendments** 6.

Budget line item adjustments may be made in accordance with the following:

- A. Budget Revisions: Adjustments to the Budget that do not require an increase or reduction of total activity budget, a change in National Objective, or a change in the type or a reduction in number of beneficiaries assisted may be completed as a Budget Revision. Budget Revisions shall include but not be limited to:
  - Adjustments that reallocate funds between budget line items 1.
  - 2. Adjustments that increase or decrease the detail included in the submitted lined item budgets, including adding and removing budget line items, without increasing or decreasing the scope of work and without changing the overall budget.
    - Budget Revisions must be approved by the Department prior to implementation. Approval shall be provided either through the online grant management system, or in writing, as appropriate. If approved, Budget Revisions shall automatically be deemed a part of, and incorporated into, this Agreement. Project budget revisions must be submitted through Grants Network and subsequently approved by the Department prior to implementation. Approval shall be provided through Grants Network.
- В. Agreement Budget Revisions: Adjustments to the Subrecipient Award that result in an increased or a reduced total award amount shall require an Agreement amendment. Agreement amendments must be fully executed by both the Subrecipient and the Department prior to implementation.

#### 7. **Project and Activity Closeout Procedures**

The Subrecipient must submit the following to the Department at the completion of each Project and Activity.

1. A Final Activity Report (Project Completion Report) that includes all required reporting data for the Activity including but not limited to eligible

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activities, costs, beneficiaries, and National Objective;

- 2. If applicable, a copy of the produced plan
- 3. If applicable, Final Labor Standards Report as described in Exhibit D(14)(A)(2) herein.
- 4. Evidence, satisfactory to the Department, of compliance with any other Special Conditions of this Agreement; and,
- 5. A resolution from the governing body acknowledging the accomplishments of the Approved Project and confirming that the Approved Activity is complete and that all Financial Reports have been processed and reimbursed.

Upon receipt of the above documentation, the Department will close the Activity and finalize the activity in DRGR for final reporting to HUD.

### 8. <u>Document Retention Policy</u>

Subrecipient shall retain all books, records, accounts, documentation, and all other materials relevant to this Agreement for a minimum period of five (5) years after the Department notifies the Subrecipient that the grant agreement between HUD and the State of California has been closed.

### **CDBG-MITIGATION TERMS AND CONDITIONS**

### 1. Definitions

Activity Funds – means any reasonable and necessary costs that are directly related to labor and/or direct construction and/or direct Project implementation costs which will meet a national objective as defined in 42 U.S.C. 5304(b)(3), as amended and 24 CFR 570.483.

Activity Delivery Funds - means any reasonable and necessary costs for the implementation, management or oversight of a Project.

Activity Reports – Reports submitted by the Subrecipient that describe Project and Activity progress and/or beneficiaries served during a given reporting period.

Approved Activity – An Activity that has been submitted to the Department through the Notice of Funding Availability and reviewed and approved to fund with the Subrecipient Award by the Department.

Area Median Income (AMI) - means the median family income for specific geographic areas, adjusted for household size, as calculated by HUD, and published annually by the Department at <a href="https://www.hcd.ca.gov/grants-funding/income-limits/state-andfederal-income-limits.shtml">https://www.hcd.ca.gov/grants-funding/income-limits/state-andfederal-income-limits.shtml</a>.

California Environmental Quality Act (CEQA) - is a state statute that requires state and local agencies to identify the significant environmental impacts of their actions and to avoid or mitigate those impacts, if feasible.

Department – means the California Department of Housing and Community Development.

Disaster Recovery Grant Reporting System (DRGR) – The electronic system primarily used by the Department to access grant funds from HUD and report performance accomplishments for grant-funded activities to HUD. The DRGR system is used by HUD to review grant-funded activities, prepare reports to Congress and other interested parties, and monitor program compliance.

Duplication of Benefits (DOB) - Financial assistance received from another source that is provided for the same purpose as the CDBG Mitigation-MIT funds, in accordance with Federal Register Notices 84 FR 28836 and 84 FR 28848.

Eligible Expenses – Those necessary and reasonable costs under 2 CFR 200.400 through 475, and applicable notices and waivers, and as identified in Section 1.13 of the

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MIT-PPS Policies and Procedures Manual, and as approved by the Department. Eligible Expenses do <u>not</u> include any costs which are disallowed or otherwise deemed ineligible by the State of California and/or HUD.

Financial Reports (Funds Requests) - the forms and processes required for a Subrecipient to request the drawdown of grant funds.

Grant Funds – The CDBG-MIT funds allocated to the Subrecipient for the implementation of the MIT-PPS program and eligible Approved Projects. Grant funds include Activity Funds and Activity Delivery Funds.

Household - One or more persons occupying a housing unit.

HUD - The United States Department of Housing and Urban Development.

Indirect Costs - means those costs incurred for a common or joint purpose benefitting more than one cost objective, and not readily assignable to the cost objectives specifically benefitted, without effort disproportionate to the results achieved. To facilitate equitable distribution of indirect expenses to the cost objectives served, it may be necessary to establish a number of pools of indirect costs. Indirect cost pools must be distributed to benefitted cost objectives on bases that will produce an equitable result in consideration of relative benefits derived.

Indirect Cost Rate Proposal - means the documentation prepared by a governmental unit or subdivision thereof to substantiate its request for the establishment of an indirect cost rate as further defined in 2 CFR 200.56 and 2 CFR 200.57.

Low- to Moderate- Income (LMI) – Low to moderate income people are those having incomes not more than the "moderate-income" level (80% Area Median Family Income) set by the federal government for the HUD-assisted housing programs. This income standard changes from year to year and varies by Household size, county and the metropolitan statistical area.

Standard Agreement ("Agreement") – The contractual arrangement between the Department and the Subrecipient which sets forth the terms and conditions by which CDBG-MIT funds must be utilized with regards to Approved Projects.

National Environmental Policy Act (NEPA) – The federal law and associated regulations which establishes a broad national framework for protecting the environment. NEPA's basic policy is to assure that all branches of government consider the environment prior to undertaking any major federal action that could significantly affect the environment.

Subrecipient – A 'Subrecipient' is a non-State or Federal entity receiving a direct award of grant funds from the Department for the purpose of funding Approved Projects to carry out activities that produce a plan or meet a National Objective.

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Subrecipient Award – The amount of grant funds allocated to the Subrecipient for Approved Activities.

### 2. <u>National Objectives</u>

In accordance with 24 CFR 570.208, Section 104(b)(3) of the Housing and Community Development Act of 1974, and as further outlined within the waivers and alternative requirements at Federal Register Notice 84 FR 45838, all CDBG-MIT funded activities, with the exception of Planning activities, must satisfy either the Low-to Moderate Income (LMI) or the Urgent Need Mitigation (UNM) national objective. HUD created a new National Objective - Urgent Need Mitigation (UNM) – for CDBG-MIT programs. This National Objective provides a better fit for CDBG-MIT activities that aim to address risks that do not tie back to the disaster events of the 2017 CDBG-DR funding or subsequent disasters. Projects using the UNM national objective must provide documentation that demonstrates a measurable and verifiable impact on reducing risks at the completion of the activity.

- Address the current and future risks as identified in the Mitigation Needs Assessment of the most impacted and distressed areas; and
- Result in a measurable and verifiable reduction in the risk of loss of life and property.

Planning activities do not require a national objective be established. HUD's Federal Register Notice (84 FR 45838) governing the MIT allocation describes planning efforts as addressing the national objectives without the limitation of any circumstances. All Public Services activities must meet one national objective criterion, LMI or UNM, related to its specific mitigation impact and defined direct benefits or service area.

Upon completion of the Approved Project(s) funded under this Agreement and prior to the funding expiration date of this Agreement, the Subrecipient must document that the Approved Project(s) met the LMH National Objective. The Department shall review the actual National Objective achievements of the Subrecipient. If the Subrecipient does not or cannot satisfactorily document the National Objective achievement of an Approved Project, the Approved Project may be deemed ineligible and repayment of funds may be required of the Subrecipient.

### 3. Duplication of Benefits

A Duplication of Benefits (DOB) occurs when a program beneficiary receives assistance from multiple sources for a cumulative amount that exceeds the total need for a particular recovery purpose. The amount of the duplication is the amount of assistance provided in excess of the total need for the same purpose. It is the Department's responsibility to ensure that MIT-PPS provides assistance only to the extent that the disaster recovery need has not been fully met by funds that have already been paid, or will be paid, from another source.

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The Subrecipient must report all funds obtained for the activity from any source from the date of the disaster until the Project is completed.

The Subrecipient agrees to repay to the Department immediately upon demand any assistance later received for the same purpose as the CDBG–MIT funds and that exceeds the total need for the particular recovery purpose.

### 4. Remedies and Termination for Noncompliance

- A. Remedies for Noncompliance: In addition to any other rights and remedies the Department may have under this Agreement, at law, or in equity, the Department may initiate remedies for noncompliance as identified in 2 CFR 200.339 at any time it has been determined that the Subrecipient is no longer meeting the terms and conditions of this Agreement. Remedies for noncompliance may be required in addition to, in lieu of, or prior to termination. Such remedies for noncompliance with a federal statute or regulation, a state statute or regulation, an assurance, in a State plan or application, or elsewhere may include, as appropriate:
  - 1. Temporarily withhold cash payments pending correction of the deficiency by the Subrecipient.
  - 2. Disallow all or part of the cost of the action not in compliance.
  - 3. Wholly or partly suspend or terminate the Subrecipient's grant funds.
  - 4. Withhold further and/or future awards for CDBG-MIT funds and/or any other funds administered by the Department.
  - 5. Request that the Federal Awarding Agency initiate suspension or debarment proceedings.
  - 6. Take other remedies that may be legally available, such as:

In the case of costs incurred without meeting a National Objective, require repayment of all funds reimbursed and/or paid to the Subrecipient, including Activity Delivery, as appropriate.

In the case of Duplication of Benefits, require repayment of all CDBG-MIT funds reimbursed and/or paid to the Subrecipient where other financial assistance was received for the same purpose or in excess of the need.

In taking an action to remedy noncompliance, the Department will provide the Subrecipient an opportunity for such hearing, appeal, or other administrative proceeding to which the Subrecipient is entitled under any statute or regulation

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applicable to the action involved as per 2 CFR 200.342. Such appeal shall be governed by, and conducted in accordance with, the appeal processes and procedures set forth in section 5 herein.

Effects of Suspension and Termination. Subrecipient costs resulting from obligations incurred by the Subrecipient or any of the Subrecipient's Contractors during a suspension or after termination of an Agreement are not allowable unless otherwise authorized by the Department in a written notice or as allowable in 2 CFR 200.343. The enforcement remedies identified in this Section do not preclude a Subrecipient or any of the Subrecipient's Contractors from being subject to 2 CFR Part 2424. CDBG-MIT funds may not be provided to excluded or disqualified persons pursuant to 24 CFR 570.489(I) and 2 CFR 200.339.

The remedies available to the Department under this Agreement are cumulative and not exclusive.

- B. <u>Termination for Noncompliance:</u> Grant funds provided by this Agreement may be terminated in whole or in part as per federal regulation at 2 CFR 200.340 by HUD or by HCD if Subrecipient fails to comply with the terms and conditions of the Agreement that include the terms and conditions of the federal award. All terminations shall include written notification setting forth the reason(s) for such termination, the effective date, and the portion to be terminated in the case of partial terminations and will follow termination notification requirements identified in 2 CFR 200.341.
- C. <u>Termination Without Cause:</u> This Agreement may be terminated by the Department in whole or in part at any time without cause only with the consent of the Subrecipient. In the case of a termination of the whole Agreement, the parties shall agree upon termination conditions, including the effective date. In the case of a partial termination, the parties shall agree upon termination conditions, including the portion to be terminated and the effective date.
- D. <u>Termination With Cause:</u> This Agreement may be terminated by the Department in whole or in part at any time for cause by giving at least 14 days' prior written notice to the Subrecipient. Termination with cause includes termination prior to the end of the period of performance for failure to comply with the terms and conditions of this Agreement, and pursuant to 2 CFR 200.340(c), such termination shall be reported to the appropriate federal program integrity and performance system accessible through the System for Award Management. Termination with cause also includes, without limitation, a failure by Subrecipient to comply with the Project Schedule, Project and Activity Performance Milestones, Reporting Requirements, and/or Special Conditions issued for a Project to use CDBG-MIT funds.

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5. Appeals Process for Finding of Noncompliance: If Subrecipient disagrees with a finding of noncompliance and/or any accompanying remedy and/or termination that are associated with such finding, the Subrecipient may appeal the disputed decision to the Department in writing via U.S. Mail no later than thirty (30) calendar days from the date of HCD's issuance of the disputed decision. In the event the 30th day falls on a weekend or a recognized state or federal holiday, the Subrecipient's written request for appeal shall be due by 5:00 pm Pacific Time the following business day.

There are two levels of appeal available to aggrieved subrecipients:

- Level I Request for Reconsideration, and
- Level II Request for Official Review

A Subrecipient must first submit a written Level I Request for Reconsideration to the Program Manager within thirty (30) calendar days from HCD's issuance of the underlying decision as described above. If the written request is timely submitted, the Program Manager then has ten (10) calendar days of receipt of such request within which to issue any stay requested by the Subrecipient, in full or in part, and thirty (30) calendar days within which to issue a written reconsideration decision. Submitting a timely Level I Request for Reconsideration (and receiving a subsequent reconsideration decision from the Program Manager) is a necessary predicate to the Subrecipient having a right to initiate a Level II Request for Official Review.

A Subrecipient who disagrees with a Reconsideration decision may submit a Level II Request for Official Review to the Disaster Recovery Section Chief or Designee within thirty (30) calendar days from the issuance of the underlying reconsideration decision, as described above. The Section Chief or Designee will conduct an independent review and has thirty (30) calendar days within which to issue a written Official Review decision, which shall be final and binding and not subject to further appeal.

Time is of the essence with regards to the Subrecipient's obligation to timely file appeals or requests to the Department within the time periods set forth in this Appeals Process. As such, any appeal by Subrecipient that is not timely made in strict accordance herewith shall be void and not considered, and the initial decision or finding shall automatically remain as originally issued.

### 6. Severability

A. If any provision of this Agreement, or an underlying obligation, is held invalid by a court of competent jurisdiction, such invalidity may not affect any other provisions of this Agreement and the remainder of this Agreement shall remain in full force

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and effect. Therefore, the provisions of this Agreement are, and shall be, deemed severable.

B. The Subrecipient shall notify the Department immediately of any claim or action undertaken by or against it which affects or may affect this Agreement or the Department and shall take such action with respect to the claim or action as is consistent with the terms of this Agreement and the interests of the Department.

### 7. Waivers

No waiver or any breach of this Agreement shall be held to be a waiver of any prior or subsequent breach. The failure of the Department to enforce, at any time, the provisions of this Agreement or to require, at any time, performance by the Subrecipient of these provisions shall in no way be construed to be a waiver of such provisions nor to affect the validity of this Agreement or the right of the Department to enforce these provisions. All waivers by the Department must be in writing in order to be valid.

### 8. <u>Uniform Administrative Requirements</u>

The Subrecipient, its agencies or instrumentalities, shall comply with the policies, guidelines and Administrative Requirements of 2 CFR Part 200, et seq., as applicable, as they relate to the cost principles, audit requirements, acceptance and use of federal funds under this part.

- A. Single Audit Compliance: Funds will not be disbursed to any Subrecipient identified by the State Controller's Office (SCO) as non-compliant with the Federal Single Audit Act, as described in the Uniform Administrative Requirements, Cost Principles, And Audit Requirements for Federal Awards at 2 CFR 200 Sub-Part F. No funds may be disbursed until compliance with the Uniform Guidance is demonstrated to the satisfaction of the Department.
- B. Accounting Standards: The Subrecipient agrees to comply with, and administer the activity in conformance with, 2 CFR Part 200.300, et seq., and agrees to adhere to the accounting principles and procedures required therein, utilize adequate internal controls and maintain necessary source documentation for all costs incurred.
- C. Suspension and Debarment: By executing this Agreement, Subrecipient verifies and affirms that it has not been suspended or debarred from participating in or receiving federal government contracts, subcontracts, loans, grants, or other assistance programs. Subrecipient further agrees to verify that its Developers and Contractors have not been suspended or debarred from participating or receiving federal government contracts, subcontracts, loans, grants, or other assistance programs.

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## 9. Compliance with State and Federal Laws and Regulations

- A. The Subrecipient, its agencies or instrumentalities, Contractors shall comply with all local, state, and federal laws, statutes, and regulations, as well as policies and procedures established by the Department for the administration of MIT-PPS, as the same may be amended from time to time.
- B. The Subrecipient shall comply with the requirements of 24 CFR 570, the HUD regulations concerning Community Development Block Grants, 2 CFR 200, Uniform Administrative Requirements, Cost Principles, and Audit Requirements for Federal Awards, Final Guidance, adopted by HUD at 2 CFR 2400, and all federal regulations, rules, and policies issued pursuant to these regulations. The Subrecipient further agrees to utilize funds available under this Agreement to supplement rather than supplant funds otherwise available.

### 10. <u>Authority to Impose Additional Special Conditions</u>

In accordance with 2 CFR 200.208, Department reserves the right and authority to impose additional specific conditions issued under this Standard Agreement under any of the following circumstances:

- A. When, in HCD's sole discretion, HCD finds that Subrecipient has a history of failure to comply with the general or specific terms and conditions applicable to the CDBG-MIT funds allocated under this agreement or to other awards of federally-funded grant or loan assistance passed through the Department.
- B. When Subrecipient fails to meet expected performance goals under this agreement.
- C. When Subrecipient poses an increased risk for noncompliance based on factors including, but not limited to, financial stability, quality of management systems, history of performance under Federal awards, history of timeliness under Federal awards, history of conformance with terms and conditions of previous federal awards, and reports and findings from audits.
- D. When, in the Department's sole discretion, such conditions are necessary to ensure timely and compliant performance under the federal award.

Such specific conditions, or special conditions, may include, withholding of authority to proceed to the next phase of an Approved Project until receipt of evidence of acceptable performance within a given period of performance, requiring additional detailed financial reports, requiring additional project monitoring, requiring the Subrecipient to obtain technical or management assistance, establishing additional prior

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approvals, or any other condition HCD deems reasonable and necessary to safeguard Federal funds.

## 11. Equal Opportunity Requirements and Responsibilities

The obligations undertaken by Subrecipient include, but are not limited to, the obligation to comply with all federal laws and regulations described in Subpart K of 24 CFR Part 570 and specifically with each of the following, among other things, as the same may be amended from time to time:

- A. <u>Title VI of the Civil Rights Act of 1964</u>: This act provides that no person shall be excluded from participation, denied program benefits, or subject to discrimination based on race, color, and/or national origin under any program or activity receiving federal financial assistance.
- B. <u>Title VII of the Civil Rights Act of 1968 (The Fair Housing Act)</u>: This act prohibits discrimination in housing on the basis of race, color, religion, sex and/or national origin. This law also requires actions which affirmatively promote fair housing.
- C. Restoration Act of 1987: This act restores the broad scope of coverage and clarifies the application of the Civil Rights Act of 1964. It also specifies that an institution which receives federal financial assistance is prohibited from discriminating on the basis of race, color, national origin, religion, sex, disability or age in a program or activity which does not directly benefit from such assistance.
- D. Section 109 of Title 1 of the Housing and Community Development Act of 1974 [42 U.S.C. 5309]: This section of Title 1 provides that no person shall be excluded from participation (including employment), denied program benefits, or subject to discrimination on the basis of race, color, national origin, or sex under any program or activity funded in whole or in part under Title 1 of the Act.
- E. The Fair Housing Amendment Act of 1988: This act amended the original Fair Housing Act to provide for the protection of families with children and people with disabilities, strengthen punishment for acts of housing discrimination, expand the Justice Department jurisdiction to bring suit on behalf of victims in federal district courts, and create an exemption to the provisions barring discrimination on the basis of familial status for those housing developments that qualify as housing for persons age 55 or older.
- F. The Age Discrimination Act of 1975: This act provides that no person shall be excluded from participation, denied program benefits, or subject to

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discrimination on the basis of age under any program or activity receiving federal funding assistance. Effective January 1987, the age cap of 70 was deleted from the laws. Federal law preempts any State law currently in effect on the same topic.

- G. <u>Section 504 of the Rehabilitation Act of 1973</u>: It is unlawful to discriminate based on disability in federally assisted programs. This Section provides that no otherwise qualified individual shall, solely by reason of his or her disability, be excluded from participation (including employment), denied program benefits, or subjected to discrimination under any program or activity receiving federal funding assistance.
- H. The Americans with Disabilities Act of 1990 (ADA): This act modifies and expands the Rehabilitation Act of 1973 to prohibit discrimination against "a qualified individual with a disability" in employment and public accommodations. The ADA requires that an individual with a physical or mental impairment who is otherwise qualified to perform the essential functions of a job, with or without reasonable accommodation, be afforded equal employment opportunity in all phases of employment.
- I. <u>Executive Order 11063</u>: This executive order provides that no person shall be discriminated against on the basis of race, color, religion, sex, or national origin in housing and related facilities provided with federal assistance and lending practices with respect to residential property when such practices are connected with loans insured or guaranteed by the federal government.
- J. <u>Executive Order 12259</u>: This executive order provides that the administration of all federal programs and activities relating to housing and urban development be carried out in a manner to further housing opportunities throughout the United States.
- K. The Equal Employment Opportunity Act: This act empowers the Equal Employment Opportunity Commission (EEOC) to bring civil action in federal court against private sector employers after the EEOC has investigated the charge, found "probable cause" of discrimination, and failed to obtain a conciliation agreement acceptable to the EEOC. It also brings federal, state, and local governments under the Civil Rights Act of 1964.
- L. The Uniform Guidelines on Employee Selection Procedures adopted by the Equal Employment Opportunity Commission in 1978: This manual applies to employee selection procedures in the areas of hiring, retention, promotion, transfer, demotion, dismissal and referral. It is designed to assist employers, labor organizations, employment agencies, licensing and certification boards in complying with the requirements of federal laws prohibiting discriminatory

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employment.

- M. The Vietnam Era Veterans' Readjustment Act of 1974 (revised Jobs for Veterans Act of 2002): This act was passed to ensure equal employment opportunity for qualified disabled veterans and veterans of the Vietnam War. Affirmative action is required in the hiring and promotion of veterans.
- N. <u>Executive Order 11246</u>: This executive order applies to all federally assisted construction contracts and subcontracts. It provides that no person shall be discriminated against on the basis of race.

### 12. Relocation, Displacement, and Acquisition

The Subrecipient shall comply with the provisions of the Uniform Relocation Assistance and Real Property Acquisition Policies Act of 1970, as amended, and regulations adopted to implement the Act in 24 CFR Part 42, 49 CFR Part 24, and Section 104(d)of the Housing and Community Development Act of 1974 as they apply to the performance of this Agreement.

# 13. <u>The Training, Employment, and Contracting Opportunities for Business and Lower Income Persons Assurance of Compliance (Section 3):</u>

- A. The Subrecipient and the Subrecipient's Contractors and Developers shall comply with Section 3 of the Housing and Urban Development Act of 1968 (12 U.S.C. 1701u), and implementing regulation at 24 CFR, Part 75. The responsibilities outlined in 24 CFR Part 75.19 include:
  - Implementing procedures designed to notify Section 3 residents within the neighborhood service area of the project about training and employment opportunities generated by Section 3 covered assistance and Section 3 business concerns about contracting opportunities generated by Section 3 covered assistance.
  - Notifying potential Contractors for Section 3 covered projects of the requirements of Part 75, Subpart C and incorporating the Section 3 clause set forth below\_in all solicitations and contracts in excess of \$100,000\_as required at 24 CFR 75.27.

#### Section 3 Clause

The work to be performed under this contract is subject to the requirements of Section 3 of the Housing and Urban Development Act of 1968, as amended, 12 U.S.C. 1701u (Section 3). The purpose of Section 3 is to ensure that employment and other economic opportunities generated by HUD assistance or HUD-assisted

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projects covered by Section 3, shall, to the greatest extent feasible, be directed to low- and very low-income persons, particularly persons who are recipients of HUD assistance for housing.

The parties to this contract agree to comply with HUD's regulations in 24 CFR. Part 75, which implement Section 3. As evidenced by their execution of this contract, the parties to this contract certify that they are under no contractual or other impediment that would prevent them from complying with the Part 75 regulations.

The contractor agrees to send to each labor organization or representative of workers with which the contractor has a collective bargaining agreement or other understanding, if any, a notice advising the labor organization or workers' representative of the contractor's commitments under this Section 3 clause, and will post copies of the notice in conspicuous places at the work site where both employees and subrecipients for training and employment positions can see the notice. The notice shall describe the Section 3 preference, shall set forth minimum number and job titles subject to hire, availability of apprenticeship and training positions, the qualifications for each; the name and location of the person(s) taking applications for each of the positions; and the anticipated date the work shall begin.

The contractor agrees to include this Section 3 clause in every subcontract subject to compliance with regulations in 24 CFR Part 75 and agrees to take appropriate action, as provided in an applicable provision of the subcontract or in this Section 3 clause, upon a finding that the subcontractor is in violation of the regulations in 24 CFR Part 75. The contractor will not subcontract with any subcontractor where the contractor has notice or knowledge that the subcontractor has been found in violation of the regulations in 24 CFR Part 75.

The contractor acknowledges that subrecipients, contractors, and subcontractors are required to meet the employment, training, and contraction requirements of 24 CFR 75.19, regardless of whether Section 3 language is included in recipient or subrecipient agreements, program regulatory agreements, or contracts.

The contractor will certify that any vacant employment positions, including training positions, that are filled (1) after the contractor is selected but before the contract is executed, and (2) with persons other than those to whom the regulations of 24 CFR Part 75 require employment opportunities to be directed, were not filled to circumvent the contractor's obligations under 24 CFR Part 75.

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Noncompliance with HUD's regulations in 24 CFR Part 75 may result in sanctions, termination of this contract for default, and debarment or suspension from future HUD assisted contracts.

The contractor agrees to submit, and shall require its subcontractors to submit to them, annual reports detailing the total number of labor hours worked on the Section 3 Project, the total number of labor hours worked by Section 3 Workers, and the total number of hours worked by Targeted Section 3 Workers, and any affirmative efforts made during the quarter to direct hiring efforts to low- and very low-income persons, particularly persons who are Section 3 workers and Targeted Section 3 workers.

Facilitating the training and employment of Section 3 workers and the award of contracts to Section 3 business concerns by undertaking activities such as described in Section 75.25(b), as appropriate, to reach the goals set forth in Section 75.23 and in Federal Register Vol. 85, No. 189, page 60909, until superseded by HUD in a subsequent publication. As of September 29, 2020, the minimum Section 3 benchmark is twenty-five (25) percent or more of the total number of labor hours worked by all workers on a Section 3 project are Section 3 workers; and five (5) percent or more of the total number of labor hours worked by all workers on a Section 3 project are Targeted Section 3 workers.

Documenting actions taken to comply with the foregoing requirements, the results of those actions taken and impediments, if any.

# 14. <u>Environmental Compliance</u>

- A. The Subrecipient shall comply with the California Environmental Quality Act (CEQA) requirements as they apply to this Project(s).
- B. The Subrecipient shall comply with the Federal Water Pollution Control Act, as amended, 33 U.S.C. 1251, *et seq.*, as amended, 1318 relating to inspection, monitoring, entry, reports, and information, as well as other requirements specified in said Section 114 of the Clean Air Act and Section 308 of the Clean Water Act, and all regulations and guidelines issued thereunder.
- C. The Subrecipient shall comply with the requirements of the Clean Air Act, 42 U.S.C. 1857, et seq., as amended.
- D. The Subrecipient shall comply with Environmental Protection Agency (EPA) regulations pursuant to 40 CFR Parts 15 and 50, as amended.
- E. The Subrecipient shall comply with the requirements of the Flood Disaster Protection Act of 1973 (42 U.S.C. 4001). The Subrecipient shall assure that for

activities located in an area identified by the Federal Emergency Management Agency (FEMA) as having special flood hazards, that flood insurance under the National Flood Insurance Program is obtained and maintained as a condition of financial assistance for acquisition or construction purposes (including rehabilitation).

- F. The Subrecipient shall comply with the requirements of the Residential Lead-Based Paint Hazard Reduction Act of 1992 and Section 401(b) of the Lead-Based Paint Poisoning Prevention Act of 1971. The Subrecipient agrees that any construction or rehabilitation of residential structures with assistance provided under this Agreement shall be subject to HUD Lead-Based Paint Regulations at 24 CFR 570.608, and 24 CFR Part 35, Subpart B. Such regulations pertain to all CDBG-assisted housing and require that all owners, prospective owners, and tenants of properties constructed prior to 1978 be properly notified that such properties may include lead-based paint. Such notification shall point out the hazards of lead-based paint and explain the symptoms, treatment and precautions that should be taken when dealing with lead-based paint poisoning and the advisability and availability of blood lead level screening for children under seven. The notice should also point out that if lead-based paint is found on the property, abatement measures may be required.
- G. The Subrecipient shall comply with the Historic Preservation requirements set forth in the National Historic Preservation Act of 1966, as amended (16 U.S.C. 470), the Archaeological and Historical Preservation Act of 1974 (Public Law 93-291), and the procedures set forth in 36 CFR Part 800, Advisory Council on Historic Preservation Procedures for Protection of Historic Properties, insofar as they apply to the performance of this agreement. The Subrecipient shall also comply with Executive Order 11593 on the protection and enhancement of the cultural environment. In general, this requires concurrence from the State Historic Preservation Officer for all rehabilitation and demolition of historic properties that are fifty years old or older or that are included on a federal, state, or local historic property list.
- H. Subrecipient shall comply with all National Environmental Policy Act (NEPA) requirements as applicable to the performance of this Agreement as found in 24 CFR Part 50, 24 CFR Part 58, as applicable, and 40 CFR 1500 1508. Subrecipient shall not receive authority to incur activity costs until they have successfully documented compliance with the applicable NEPA requirements, including public noticing and publishing.

The subrecipient understands and agrees that this Agreement does not constitute a commitment of funds or site approval, and the commitment of funds or approval may occur only upon satisfactory completion of environmental review and receipt by the Department of an approval of the request for release of funds and certification from HUD or the Department under 24 CFR Part 58. The

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provision of any funds to the project is expressly conditioned on the Department's determination to proceed with, modify or cancel the project based on the results of the environmental review.

### 15. Procurement

The Subrecipient shall comply with the procurement provisions in 2 CFR Part 200.318 – 200.326, Procurement Standards as well as all other Administrative Requirements for Subrecipient and Cooperative Agreements to State, local and federally recognized Indian tribal governments as set forth in 2 CFR 200, et seq., as applicable. All procurements must be conducted in a fair, open, and competitive manner in compliance with both the spirit and the letter of applicable federal and state procurement laws.

### 16. Procurement of Recovered Materials

In accordance with Section 6002 of the Solid Waste Disposal Act, as amended by the Resource Conservation and Recovery Act, the Contractor shall procure items designated in guidelines of the Environmental Protection Agency (EPA) at 40 CFR Part 247 that contain the highest percentage of recovered materials practicable, consistent with maintaining a satisfactory level of competition. The Contractor shall procure items designated in the EPA guidelines that contain the highest percentage of recovered materials practicable unless the Contractor determines that such items: (1) are not reasonably available in a reasonable period of time; (2) fail to meet reasonable performance standards, which shall be determined on the basis of the guidelines of the National Institute of Standards and Technology, if applicable to the item; or (3) are only available at an unreasonable price.

This clause shall apply to items purchased under this Agreement where: (1) the Contractor purchases in excess of \$10,000 of the item under this contract; or (2) during the preceding Federal fiscal year, the Contractor: (i) purchased any amount of the items for use under a contract that was funded with Federal appropriations and was with a Federal agency or a State agency or agency of a political subdivision of a State; and (ii) purchased a total of in excess of \$10,000 of the item both under and outside that contract.

### 17. Construction Standards

The Subrecipient and Developer shall ensure that all Approved Projects comply with the following requirements:

The Architectural Barriers Act of 1968 (42 U.S.C. 4151-4157)

The Architectural Barriers Act (ABA) stands as the first measure by Congress to ensure access to the built environment for people with disabilities. The law requires that buildings or facilities that were designed, built, or altered with federal dollars or leased

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by federal agencies after August 12, 1968 be accessible.

<u>California Green Buildings Standards Code (CALGreen) (Title 24, Part 11 of the California Code of Regulations)</u>

All new construction of residential buildings or reconstruction of substantially damaged buildings must incorporate California Green Buildings Standards Code (CALGreen).

### Sustainability Requirements

All rehabilitation, reconstruction, and new construction must be designed to incorporate principles of sustainability, including water and energy efficiency, resilience, and mitigating the impact of future disasters. Wherever feasible, the Subrecipient, Subrecipient's and Contractors must follow best practices, such as those provided by the U.S. Department of Energy.

### National Floodplain Elevation Standards

Subrecipients and Contractors must comply with the national floodplain elevation standards for new construction, repair of substantially damaged structures, or substantial improvements to residential structures in flood hazard areas. All structures designed for residential use within a 100-year (or one percent annual chance) floodplain will be elevated with the lowest floor at least two feet above the base flood elevation level and comply with the requirements of 83 FR 5850 and 83 FR 5861.

## Wildland-Urban Interface Building Codes (WUI Codes)

All Approved Projects under this program that are located in a CAL FIRE high fire zone must comply with applicable WUI codes, found in Title 24, Chapter 7a of the California Building Code, which offer specific material, design and construction standards to maximize ignition- resistance.

### 18. Federal Labor Standards Provisions

The Subrecipient and the Developer shall at all times comply, and cause all Project contractors to comply, with applicable federal labor standards, including without limitation, the following:

A. <u>Davis-Bacon Act (40 U.S.C. §§ 3141-3148)</u>, which requires that workers receive no less than the prevailing wages being paid for similar work in their locality. Prevailing wages are computed by the Federal Department of Labor and are issued in the form of federal wage decisions for each classification of work. The

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law applies to most construction, alteration, or repair contracts over \$2,000.

- B. "Anti-Kickback Act of 1986" (41 U.S.C. §§ 51-58), which prohibits attempted as well as completed "kickbacks," which include any money, fees, commission, credit, gift, gratuity, thing of value, or compensation of any kind. The act also provides that the inclusion of kickback amounts in contract prices is prohibited conduct in itself. This act requires that the purpose of the kickback was for improperly obtaining or rewarding favorable treatment. It is intended to embrace the full range of government contracting.
- C. Contract Work Hours and Safety Standards Act CWHSSA (40 U.S.C. § 3702), which requires that workers receive "overtime" compensation at a rate of one and one-half (1-1/2) times their regular hourly wage after they have worked forty (40) hours in one week.
- D. <u>Title 29, Code of Federal Regulations CFR, Subtitle A, Parts 1, 3 and 5,</u> which are the regulations and procedures issued by the Secretary of Labor for the administration and enforcement of the Davis-Bacon Act, as amended.

The Subrecipient shall maintain documentation that demonstrates compliance with hour and wage requirements of this part. Such documentation shall be made available to the Department for review upon request. Subrecipient shall be responsible for monitoring Developer, contractors, and subcontractors, as applicable, for compliance with these provisions.

### 19. State Prevailing Wages

- A. The Subrecipient shall ensure that the requirements of California Labor Code (LC), Chapter 1, commencing with Section 1720, Part 7 [LC Section 1720-1743] pertaining to the payment of prevailing wages and administered by the California Department of Industrial Relations are met.
- B. For the purposes of this requirement "construction work" includes, but is not limited to rehabilitation, alteration, demolition, installation, or repair done under contract and paid for, in whole or in part, through this Agreement. All construction work shall be done through the use of a written contract with a properly licensed building contractor incorporating these requirements (the "Construction Contract"). Where the Construction Contract will be between the Subrecipient and a licensed building contractor, the Subrecipient shall serve as the "awarding body" as that term is defined in the LC. Where the Subrecipient will provide funds to a third party that will enter into the Construction Contract with a licensed building contractor, the third party shall serve as the "awarding body." Prior to any disbursement of funds, including but not limited to release of any final retention payment, the Department may require a certification from the awarding body that prevailing wages have been or will be paid.

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C. The applicable wage rate determination on construction work will be the more restrictive of the rate prescribed in LC Section 1770-1784 or the Davis-Bacon Wage Determination.

### 20. Agreements with Contractors

A. The Subrecipient shall not enter into any agreement, written or oral, with any Contractor or other party without the prior determination that the Contractor or other party is eligible to receive federal funds and is <u>not</u> listed on the Federal Consolidated List of Debarred, Suspended, and Ineligible Contractors.

The terms "other party" is defined as public or private nonprofit agencies or organizations and certain (limited) private for-profit entities who receive grant funds from a Subrecipient to undertake Approved Projects.

- B. An agreement between the Subrecipient and any Contractor or other party shall require:
  - 1) Compliance with all State and federal requirements described in this Agreement including without limitation those that pertain to labor standards, nondiscrimination, Americans with Disabilities Act, Equal Employment Opportunity and Drug Free Workplace, and prevailing wages. In addition to these requirements, all contractors and subcontractors shall comply with the applicable provisions of the California Labor Code.
  - 2) Maintenance of at least the minimum State required Workers' Compensation Insurance for those employees who will perform the Approved Project activities.
  - Maintenance, as required by law, of unemployment insurance, disability insurance and liability insurance, which is reasonable to compensate any person, firm, or corporation, who may be injured or damaged by the contractor, or any subcontractor in performing the Approved Project activities.
  - 4) Compliance with the applicable Equal Opportunity Requirements described in Section 10 of this Exhibit.

### C. Contractors shall:

1) Perform the Approved Project activities in accordance with federal, state and local regulations, as are applicable.

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- D. Contractors and Subcontractors: Drug-Free Workplace Act of 1988
  - 1) Publish and give a policy statement to all covered employees informing them that the unlawful manufacture, distribution, dispensation, possession or use of a controlled substance is prohibited in the covered workplace and specifying the actions that will be taken against employees who violate the policy.
  - 2) Establish a drug-free awareness program to make employees aware of a) the dangers of drug abuse in the workplace; b) the policy of maintaining a drug-free workplace; c) any available drug counseling, rehabilitation, and employee assistance programs; and d) the penalties that may be imposed upon employees for drug abuse violations.
  - 3) Notify employees that as a condition of employment on a federal contract or grant, the employee must a) abide by the terms of the policy statement; and b) notify the employer, within 5 calendar days, if he or she is convicted of a criminal drug violation in the workplace.
  - 4) <u>Notify the contracting or granting agency</u> within 10 days after receiving notice that a covered employee has been convicted of a criminal drug violation in the workplace.
  - 5) <u>Impose a penalty on or require satisfactory participation</u> in a drug abuse assistance or rehabilitation program by any employee who is convicted of a reportable workplace drug conviction.
  - 6) Make an ongoing, good faith effort to maintain a drug-free workplace by meeting the requirements of the act.

### 21. Rights to Inventions Made Under a Contract or Agreement

If a Federal award meets the definition of "funding agreement" under 37 CFR 401.2(a) and the recipient or subrecipient wishes to enter into a contract with a small business firm or nonprofit organization regarding the substitution of parties, assignment or performance of recipient or subrecipient must comply with requirements of 37 CFR Part 401, "Rights to Inventions Made by Nonprofit Organizations and Small Business Firms Under Government Grants, Contracts and Cooperative Agreements," and any implementing regulation issued by the awarding agency.

# 22. <u>Special Conditions Pertaining to Hazards, Safety Standards and Accident Prevention</u>

A. <u>Use of Explosives</u>: When the use of explosives is necessary for the prosecution of the work, the Contractor shall observe all local, state and federal laws in purchasing and handling explosives. The Contractor shall take all necessary

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precaution to protect completed work, neighboring property, water lines, or other underground structures. Where there is danger to structures or property from blasting, the charges shall be reduced, and the material shall be covered with suitable timber, steel or rope mats.

The Contractor shall notify all owners of public utility property of intention to use explosives at least 8 hours before blasting is done close to such property. Any supervision or direction of use of explosives by the engineer does not in any way reduce the responsibility of the Contractor or his Surety for damages that may be caused by such use.

- B. <u>Danger Signals and Safety Devices</u>: The Contractor shall make all necessary precautions to guard against damages to property and injury to persons. The Contractor shall put up and maintain in good condition, sufficient red or warning lights at night, suitable barricades and other devices necessary to protect the public.
- C. Protection of Lives and Health: The Contractor shall exercise proper precaution at all times for the protection of persons and property and shall be responsible for all damages to persons or property, either on or off the worksite, which occur as a result of prosecution of the work. The safety provisions of applicable laws and building and construction codes, in addition to specific safety and health regulations described by Chapter XIII, Bureau of Labor Standards, Department of Labor, Part 1518, Safety and Health Regulations for Construction, as outlined in the Federal Register, Volume 36, No. 75, Saturday, April 17, 1971, Title 29 LABOR, shall be observed and the Contractor shall take or cause to be taken, such additional safety and health measures as the Developer may determine to be reasonably necessary.

### 23. Prohibition Against Payments of Bonus or Commission

The assistance provided under this Agreement shall not be used in the payment of any bonus or commission for the purpose of:

- A. Obtaining the Department's approval of the Application for such assistance; or,
- B. Any other approval or concurrence of the Department required under this Agreement, Title I of the Housing and Community Development Act of 1974, or the State regulations with respect thereto; provided, however, that reasonable fees for bona fide technical, consultant, managerial or other such services, other than actual solicitation, are not hereby prohibited if otherwise eligible as program costs.

### 24. Reporting Requirements

A. Subrecipient must timely submit the reports prescribed below. The Department

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reserves the right to request additional detail and support for any report made. Reports must be made according to the dates identified, in the formats provided by the Department, and via the Department's Grants Network unless otherwise specified at the discretion of the Department. The Subrecipient's performance under this Agreement will be assessed based in part on whether it has submitted the reports on a timely basis.

- Monthly Activity Report: Subrecipient must submit a Monthly Activity Report that addresses the following, at a minimum: (1) a description of the current status of the Collective Work; 2) a description of activities to be undertaken in the next reporting period; (3) a description of problems or delays encountered in Collective Work and course of action taken to address them; (4) a description of actions taken to achieve Collective Work expenditure deadlines; and (5) a summary of Collective Work fiscal status, including award amount, funds drawn, and remaining balance. Unless otherwise waived in writing by the Department, Monthly Activity Reports must begin on the 10<sup>th</sup> calendar day of the second month following execution of this Agreement and must continue through the receipt and approval by the Department of the Project Completion Report, detailed below.
- 2) Semi-Annual Labor Standards Report: During the term of construction for each Approved Project, each April 1<sup>st</sup> and October 1<sup>st</sup>, the Subrecipient must submit the Labor Standards Cover Memo, the HUD Form 4710 and the Davis Bacon Labor Standards Report 5.7 (if applicable). These forms are located on the Department's website and are also available upon request.
- 3) Activity Completion Report: At the completion of construction and once an Approved Project is placed in service, the Subrecipient must submit a Project Completion Report. The performance metrics will be identified in Exhibit A.

# 25. Fiscal Controls

The Subrecipient shall be responsible for the internal control and monitoring of fiscal and programmatic/operational goals and procedures. The Subrecipient shall establish and maintain such fiscal controls and fund accounting procedures as required by Federal regulations, or as may be deemed necessary by the Department to ensure the proper disbursement of, and accounting for, funds paid to the Subrecipient under this Agreement.

A. Deposit of Funds: Subrecipient shall maintain separate accounts within established bookkeeping systems for the deposit of CDBG-MIT funds and Program Income. Deposits in minority banks are encouraged.

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- B. Fiscal Liability: Subrecipients shall be liable for all amounts which are determined to be due by the Department, including but not limited to, disallowed or ineligible costs which are the result of Subrecipient's or its Contractor's conduct under this Agreement. Subrecipients shall also be liable for the repayment of any and all amounts it has received under this Agreement and which HUD is seeking reimbursement for from the Department. Subrecipient's obligation to repay the foregoing amounts to the Department shall survive indefinitely the expiration or earlier termination of this Agreement. Subrecipient shall be notified in writing and shall be permitted to respond regarding any controversy or proceeding between the Department and HUD arising from this Agreement.
- C. Fiscal Records: All financial transactions must be supported by complete and verifiable source documents. Records shall provide a clear audit trail and shall be maintained as specified in Section 7 herein.

### 26. <u>Monitoring Requirements</u>

The Department monitors its Subrecipients based upon an assessment of risk posed by the Subrecipient and according to specific monitoring criteria per 2 CFR 200.332. During the term of this Agreement, the Department shall perform program and/or fiscal monitoring of the Subrecipient and Approved Projects to ensure compliance with federal and state requirements and timely project completion. The Subrecipient shall be required to resolve any monitoring findings to the Department's satisfaction by the deadlines set by the Department. In the event Subrecipient disagrees with a finding and/or any accompanying corrective actions or sanction(s) that are associated with such finding, Subrecipient shall follow an appeals process provided by the Department.

# 27. <u>Audit/Retention and Inspection of Records</u>

- A. The Subrecipient must have intact, auditable fiscal and program records at all times. If the Subrecipient is found to have missing audit reports from the California State Controller's Office (SCO) during the term of this Agreement, the Subrecipient will be required to submit a plan to the State for submitting the audit to the SCO. If the deadlines are not met, the Department may initiate remedies for noncompliance in accordance with Section 4 herein. The Subrecipient's audit completion plan is subject to prior review and approval by the Department.
- B. The Subrecipient agrees that the Department or its designee will have the right to review, obtain, and copy all records pertaining to performance of this Agreement. The Subrecipient agrees to provide the Department or its designee with any relevant information requested and shall permit the Department or its designee access to its premises, during normal business hours for the purpose of interviewing employees and inspecting and copying such books, records,

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accounts, and other material that may be relevant to a matter under investigation for the purpose of determining compliance with California Public Contract Code (PCC) Section 10115 et seq., Government Code (GC) Section 8546.7 and 2 CCR 1896.60, et seq., and other requirements of this Agreement. The Subrecipient further agrees to maintain such records for a minimum period of five (5) years after the Department notifies Subrecipient that the HUD/the Department contract has been closed according to the record retention requirements at 2 CFR 200.334. The Subrecipient shall comply with the caveats and be aware of the penalties for violations of fraud and for obstruction of investigation as set forth in Public Contract Code section 10115.10.

- C. An expenditure which is not authorized by this Agreement or which cannot be adequately documented shall be disallowed and must be reimbursed to the Department or its designee by the Subrecipient.
- D. Absent fraud or material error on the part of the Department, the determination by the Department of the allowability or validity of any expenditure shall be final and conclusive.
- E. For the purposes of annual audits, Subrecipient shall comply with 2 CFR Part 200 Subpart F for the State MIT-PPS Program. Pursuant to 2 CFR Part 200 Subpart F, the Subrecipient shall perform an annual audit at the close of each fiscal year in which this Agreement is in effect. The costs of the MIT-PPS related portion of the audit may be charged to the program in accordance with Public Law 98-502, 2 CFR Part 200 Subpart F, and Title 25 CCR Section 7122.
  - 1) The audit shall be performed by a qualified State, department, local or independent auditor. The agreement/contract for audit shall include a clause which permits access by the Department to the independent auditor's working papers.
  - 2) If there are audit findings, the Subrecipient must submit a detailed response to the Department for each audit finding. The Department will review the response and, if it agrees with the response, the audit process ends, and the Department will notify the Subrecipient in writing. If the Department is not in agreement, the Subrecipient will be contacted in writing and informed what corrective actions must be taken. This action may include the repayment of disallowed costs or other remediation.
  - 3) The Department shall not approve reimbursement for any expenditures for the audit, prior to receiving an acceptable audit report.
  - 4) If so, directed by the Department upon termination of this Agreement, the Subrecipient shall cause all records, accounts, documentation and all other materials relevant to the grant activity(ies) to be delivered to the

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Department as depository.

F. Notwithstanding the foregoing, the Department will not reimburse the Subrecipient for any audit cost incurred after the expenditure deadline of this Agreement.

### 28. Signs

If the Subrecipient places signs stating that the Approved Activity is funded with private or public dollars and the Department is also providing financing, it shall indicate in a typeface and size commensurate with the Department's funding portion of the Approved Activity that the Department is a source of financing through the MIT-PPS Program.

### 29. Insurance

The Subrecipient shall have and maintain in full force and effect during the term of this Agreement such forms of insurance, at such levels as may be determined by the Subrecipient and the Department to be necessary for specific components of the grant activity(ies) described in Exhibit A.

### 30. Anti-Lobbying Certification

The Subrecipient shall require that the language of this certification be included in all contracts or subcontracts entered into in connection with the Approved Project(s) and shall certify and disclose accordingly. This certification is a material representation of fact upon which reliance was placed when this transaction was made or entered into.

Submission of this certification is a prerequisite for making or entering into this transaction imposed by 31 U.S.C. 1352. Any person who fails to file the required certification shall be subject to a civil penalty of not less than \$10,000 and no more than \$100,000 for such failure.

- A. No federal appropriated funds have been paid or will be paid, by or on behalf of it, to any person for influencing or attempting to influence an officer or employee of any agency, a Member of Congress, an officer or employee of Congress, or an employee of a Member of Congress in connection with the awarding of any federal contract, the cooperative agreement, and the extension, continuation, renewal, amendment, or modification of any federal contract, grant, loan, or cooperative agreement.
- B. If any funds other than federal appropriated funds have been paid or will be paid to any person for influencing or attempting to influence an officer or employee of any agency, a Member of Congress, an officer or employee of Congress, or an employee of a Member of Congress in connection with this federal contract, grant, loan, or cooperative agreement, it will complete and submit Standard Form

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## **EXHIBIT D**

LLL, "Disclosure Form to Report Lobbying," in accordance with its instructions.

## 31. Conflict of Interest

Pursuant to 24 CFR 570.489(h), no member, officer, or employee of the Subrecipient, or its designees or agents, no member of the governing body of the locality in which the program is situated, and no other public official of such locality or localities who exercise or have exercised any functions or responsibilities with respect to MIT-PPS activities assisted under this part, or who are in a position to participate in a decision making process or gain inside information with regard to such activities, including members and delegates to the Congress of the United States, may obtain a financial interest or benefit from a MIT-PPS assisted activity, or have a financial interest in any contract, subcontract or agreement with respect to a MIT-PPS assisted activity or its proceeds, either for themselves or those with whom they have business or immediate family ties, during their tenure, or for 1 year thereafter. The Subrecipient shall incorporate, or cause to be incorporated, in all such contracts or subcontracts a provision prohibiting such interest pursuant to the purposes of this section.

## 32. Obligations of Subrecipient with Respect to Certain Third-Party Relationships

The Subrecipient shall remain fully obligated under the provisions of this Agreement notwithstanding its designation of any third party or parties for the undertaking of all or any part of the Collective Work with respect to which assistance is being provided under this Agreement to the Subrecipient. The Subrecipient shall comply with all lawful requirements of the Department necessary to ensure that the Collective Work, with respect to which assistance is being provided under this Agreement to the Subrecipient, is carried out in accordance with the Department's Assurance and Certifications, including those with respect to the assumption of environmental responsibilities of the Department under Section 104(g) of the Housing and Community Development Act of 1974 [42 U.S.C. § 5304(g)].

## 33. Energy Policy and Conservation Act

This Agreement is subject to mandatory standards and policies relating to energy efficiency which are contained in the State Energy Conservation Plan issued in compliance with the federal Energy Policy and Conservation Act (Pub. L. 94-163, 89 Stat. 871).

# 34. <u>State Contract Manual Requirements (Section 3.11, Federally Funded Contracts (Rev. 3/03)</u>:

A. All contracts, except for State construction projects that are funded in whole or in part by the Federal government, must contain a 30-day cancellation clause and

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## **EXHIBIT D**

# the following provisions:

- It is mutually understood between the parties that this contract may have been written for the mutual benefit of both parties before ascertaining the availability of congressional appropriation of funds to avoid program and fiscal delays that would occur if the contract were executed after that determination was made.
- 2. This contract is valid and enforceable only if sufficient funds are made available to the State by the United States Government for the purpose of this Program. In addition, this contract is subject to any additional restrictions, limitations, or conditions enacted by the Congress or to any statute enacted by the Congress that may affect the provisions, terms, or funding of this contract in any manner.
- 3. The parties mutually agree that if the Congress does not appropriate sufficient funds for the program, this contract shall be amended to reflect any reduction in funds.
- 4. The Department has the option to invalidate the contract under the 30 day cancellation clause or to amend the contract to reflect any reduction in funds.
- B. Exemptions from provisions A.1 through A.4 above may be granted by the Department of Finance provided that the director of the State agency can certify in writing that Federal funds are available for the term of the contract.
- C. Gov. Code § 8546.4(e) provides that State agencies receiving Federal funds shall be primarily responsible for arranging for Federally required financial and compliance audits, and shall immediately notify the Director of Finance, the State Auditor, and the State Controller when they are required to obtain Federally required financial and compliance audits.

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## **EXHIBIT E**

## SPECIAL TERMS AND CONDITIONS

## 1. Application Review

Subrecipient has provided the Department with information about the Subrecipient's experience, processes, policies, and procedures related to the management of federal funding in the Subrecipient's jurisdiction. These submissions, in addition to discussions with the Subrecipient, have been used to inform this Agreement and are being materially relied upon by the Department in agreeing to enter into this Agreement.

Should there be substantive changes to the organization, key personnel, methods, capacity, policies, or processes of the Subrecipient that impact the implementation of this Agreement, the Subrecipient shall promptly notify the Department of said changes.

## 2. Risk Assessment

During the term of this Agreement, Subrecipient agrees to timely provide documents and information to facilitate the Department's Subrecipient monitoring risk assessment process. Subrecipient further agrees to comply with the requirements, requests, and results of the Department's risk assessment, including participation in Subrecipient monitoring events.

## 3. Special Conditions

Pursuant to the Department's initial Risk Assessment, Subrecipient agrees to adhere to the following Special Conditions: None

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## **EXHIBIT F**

# **ADDITIONAL PROVISIONS**

Sonoma County - Preparedness Education and Marketing Plan for a Resilient Community

- 1. Project Overview:
  - See attached application below

# 2. THE NATIONAL OBJECTIVE TO BE ACHIEVED AS A RESULT OF THIS PROJECT:

Urgent Need Mitigation (UNM)

## THE NUMBER OF INDIVIDUALS BENEFITTING AS A RESULT OF THIS PROJECT:

Total beneficiaries: 486,145

Total low/mod beneficiaries: 199,775

# **Scope of Work**

**Project Title:** Sonoma County – Preparedness Education and Marketing Plan for a Resilient Community

**Project Summary:** The objective of this 3-year project is to conduct a new outreach and educational campaign as a public services project to inform Sonoma County residents of the results and recommendations from the Community Preparedness Education and Marketing Plan ("Plan").

After the October 2017 wildfires that ravaged California and prompted the California Disaster Declaration 4344, Sonoma County added a Community Preparedness Program Manager position to the Department of Emergency Management who envisioned and executed the Plan. The Plan provides the guidance for preparation to conduct outreach/education activities and will establish communication strategies to move the community into a culture of preparedness. A culture of preparedness includes individuals, families, and communities acting to minimize risk during a disaster. This culture of preparedness enhances resilience of the community. The Plan is a document that identifies goals, objectives and strategies to inspire all community members to take the next step in their disaster preparedness (see uploaded copy for more details).

All Sonoma County residents, visitors, and workers will be supported to participate in ongoing preparedness actions that enable them to respond to disasters and keep themselves, their property and their animals safe. Different strategies and resources may be needed for different populations. Stakeholders with connections within underserved and LMI populations are included to assure messages and plans are not just "translated" into other languages, or just a more readable font. The collaboration will produce messages that will be culturally relevant and actions that vulnerable and underserved communities will have resources to engage in that make sense and resonate with them.

Messages on disaster preparedness and mitigation typically have low market penetration. Coordinated public messaging that provides a clear, common and consistent message will increase its effectiveness. The following principles are integrated into the objectives and tactics in the Plan.

- 1. To be effective, information must come from multiple sources, be communicated over multiple modes of communication, and focused on what actions to take. The information must be relevant, consistent and delivered in the appropriate language and method.
- 2. The impact of seeing/observing others acting to prepare and mitigate is generally stronger and has a greater impact than passively receiving information. The more people hear, read and see, the more they will do to get prepared. Furthermore, others preparedness actions will also set an example of preparedness and engage still more people.

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Strategies / Activities	Timeline	To Be Performed By	Measurable Deliverables	Measurable Program Outcomes
1. Create campaign materials in both English and Spanish to encourage residents to participate in three nationally recognized components of preparedness (Make a Plan, Build a Kit, Stay Informed) detailed in the Plan	Ongoing	Program Manager	Advertising campaign launched with 6 messages per year.  Campaign materials distributed at 2 Community Preparedness Education Meetings per year  Campaign materials distributed at 10 Neighborhood Group Activities per year	N/A
2. Distribute Campaign materials to the community including thepriority groups identified in the Plan	Ongoing	Program Director	Campaign materials distributed at 2 Community Preparedness Education Meetings per year  Campaign materials distributed at 10 Neighborhood Group Activities per year	100% of program events had campaign materials available and distributed to attendees at event
3. Launch advertising campaign with both English and Spanish media outlets according to the objective and strategies detailed in the Plan	Ongoing	Program Director	Advertising campaign launched with 6 messages per year. Including the following platforms: SoCoEmergency.org Local news media Social Media Outdoor media (billboard, bus stop)	100% of advertising efforts include analytic data which will track hits to website, clicks on links, readership numbers as well as polls
4. Partner with community based partners including non-profits, advocacy groups, hospitals/clinics, school districts, County agencies and food delivery services to integrate/distribute campaign materials in the community members they serve	Ongoing	Program Director	Annually confirm partnership and participation of all program active community-based partners	75% of program community-based partners have verified program activity.

Strategies / Activities	Timeline	To Be Performed By	Measurable Deliverables	Measurable Program Outcomes
5. Distribute LMI family emergency supply support	Ongoing	Program Director	Distribute 750 LMI families with emergency kits (Go Bags)	100% distribution of kits to families in LMI block groups
6. Complete Quarterly, Semi-Annual, Annual and Final Reports Grant Activity Reports including Financial Reports	Ongoing	Grant Program Analyst	Collect data and invoices required for reports  Enter reports in Grants Network and submit to HCD	100% of reports filed on time

# Project timeline

## FY 22/23

July – October 2022

- Finalize plan with strategies and actions (milestone)
- Develop/update calendar and success metrics

November-December 2022

• Develop Toolkit

January-February 2023

- Winter Storm Preparedness and toolkit publicity and engagement
- Survey residents regarding preparedness activities (milestone)

March 2022 - April 2023

- Tsunami and Earthquake Preparedness and toolkit publicity and engagement
- Review progress with community partners, make plan adjustments (milestone)

May - June 2023

• Wildfire mitigation and Power Shutoff preparedness and toolkit publicity and engagement

# FY23/24

July - October 2023

- Calendar review
- Develop additional success metrics
- Wildfire Preparedness and toolkit publicity and engagement

November 2023 - April 2024

- Refresh Toolkits
- Survey residents regarding preparedness activities including compare previous results (milestone)

- Winter Storm Preparedness and toolkit publicity and engagement
- Convene a committee to review this plan and develop new plan formation
- Tsunami and Earthquake Preparedness and toolkit publicity and engagement
- Review progress with community partners (milestone)

## May - June 2024

• Wildfire mitigation and Power Shutoff preparedness and toolkit publicity and engagement

#### FY 24/25

July - October 2024

- Calendar review
- Develop additional success metrics
- Wildfire Preparedness and toolkit publicity and engagement

November 2024 - April 2025

- Refresh Toolkits
- Survey residents regarding preparedness activities including compare previous results (milestone)
- Winter Storm Preparedness and toolkit publicity and engagement
- Convene a committee to review this plan and develop new plan formation
- Tsunami and Earthquake Preparedness and toolkit publicity and engagement
- Review progress with community partners (milestone)

May - June 2025

- Wildfire mitigation and Power Shutoff preparedness and toolkit publicity and engagement
- Close out Grant

# Applications: Sonoma County Preparedness Education and Marketing Plan for a Resilient Community

Mitigation - Planning and Public Services (MIT-PPS)

#### **Profile**

Dagny.Thomas@sonoma-county.org

## What project type are you applying for?

**Public services** 

## Do you commit to having capacity to carry out program activities?

Yes

## If yes, please describe the capacity and staffing in detail.

The Department of Emergency Management was reimagined in 2019 as a separate entity within the county and expanded from 4 people to 12. The Community Preparedness Program Manager for the Sonoma County Department of Emergency Management position was added at that time and sits within the Sonoma County Emergency Management department is focused on increasing preparedness for individuals, families, business, and neighborhoods countywide.

## Are you applying for more than one Public Services Activity?

Yes

#### **Public Services Activity**

**Education Services** 

#### Is the project regional in approach?

Yes

#### If yes, name the regions.

Sonoma County Operational Area

## Does the project include collaboration amongst jurisdictional and nonprofit partners?

Yes

#### If yes, name the jurisdictional and nonprofit partners.

Sonoma County Department of Emergency Management

Nuestra Comunidad
Just Recovery Fellow
Leadership Council, Northern Sonoma County COPE
Program Manager, Northern Sonoma County CERT
Halter Project - Animal Emergency Response
Listos California Sonoma/Napa County Administrator -Catholic Charities
Imagine You Mental Health
Sonoma County Public Information Officer
Sebastopol Fire/Map Your Neighborhood Board Member
Chair Springs Municipal Advisory Council and Chair Comidas para Todos
Sonoma County Office of Education School Board Trustee

\*Updated by NX (5/4/21)

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## Questions:

• Additional details are needed regarding the role(s) and relationship(s) of partners to the project. Is there a formal, even if preliminary, structure related to the role(s), relationship(s), and/or responsibilities? Specifically, how will the partners be included in the educational services to be provided?

#### Answers:

o Partners, as members of the working group, are developing strategies and ideas that provide ways for non-profits, agencies, and DEM to develop increased preparedness throughout the county. Toolkit will provide calendar of activities, camera ready art, suggested activities, and materials as needed to emphasis the activity during the particular strategy. This tool kit will be available to all groups in the county including the working group members organizations. Buy in to the program will be advocated by working group as well as DEM. Ad hoc working group will create a plan that includes both the DEM approach to achieve the goals, and how partner groups can also support the efforts. Sonoma County has had four fires, a flood and a pandemic since 2017 and all organizations are primed to support preparedness and limit disruption moving into the next years. Their timing of this project, on the heals of many disasters, will help to build support and collaboration.

Eligible Applicants are required to identify which of the 2017 declared disasters the submitted project is related to. The disaster(s) related to the project can be determined by the MID area(s) the project serves or benefits. CDBG-MIT does not require a project tieback to the 2017 declared disaster.

#### What disaster is this project related to?

DR-4344

#### Eligible applicant type

County

# Is this a project on behalf of another government entity or special district other than the Eligible Applicant? No

#### **Project Title**

Sonoma County Preparedness Education and Marketing Plan for a Resilient Community

#### **Org Name**

County of Sonoma

## Provide a snapshot summary of the project.

In early 2021 Sonoma County Department of Emergency Management (DEM) Community Preparedness Program (CPP) began a stakeholder consultation and collaboration process to develop the July 2021-June 2023 Community Preparedness Outreach Plan. The ad hoc working group includes partners from local non-profits, neighborhood preparedness, business sector, and local government. This includes members representing different geographies in the County, Latinx residents, and Senior interests. This working group is being designed developing the Community Preparedness Outreach Plan including:

- · Identifying residential/business sectors in the county
- Identify current state of preparedness activities

- · Identifying obstacles to preparedness in these sectors
- · Developing actions to overcome obstacles
- · Develop a coordinated action plan that includes communication collaboration across stakeholders to help speak with one voice on different topics throughout the year.
- · County funding and support at the hyper-local level for preparedness activities

The plan is being developed by the working group and will then be presented for comment to other sectors of the community with an objective of hearing from as many different community sectors as possible. Actions developed may include local advertising, social media campaigns, information distribution at events by County, non-profits, city partners, business partners, and local neighborhood groups, preparedness activities at the neighborhood level, and local and countywide preparedness events.

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#### Questions:

• Provide project details regarding the Community Preparedness Outreach Plan and associated outreach activities. Please be sure to address the following questions:

o The following goals and objectives have been developed by the working group. Goal and Objectives for Community Preparedness Plan

#### Answers:

Goal

☐ All Sonoma County residents, visitors, and workers will be supported to participate in ongoing preparedness actions that enable them to respond to disasters and keep themselves, their property and their animals safe. This goal recognizes different strategies may be needed for different populations.

#### Objective

- ☐ 1. Create an environment for and culture of preparedness
- 2. Engage in prevention and preparedness activities and strategies with whole community
- ☐ 3. Identify and prioritize preparedness among residents (individuals) with access and functional needs, and other underserved communities
- $\square$  4. Work with community groups to develop or increase and improve the connectedness of each neighborhood's preparedness efforts

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#### Questions:

Will this project initiate or complete the Community Preparedness Outreach Plan?

#### Answers:

o This project writes the plan, and then follows the plan implementation over the two-year action period.

#### Question

Does this project include outreach activities not related to plan development?

#### Answer:

o Project includes all strategies developed by the plan to reach residents and foster preparedness and resilience development.

#### Questions:

Does this project include activities related to an outreach/educational campaign to be conducted following completion of the plan? Answer

o Yes, Working group is in process of developing strategies to overcome barriers to resilience and preparedness in different sectors of the community.

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#### Questions:

If the project includes outreach activities, what services/information would be provided? How will the campaign reach residents and which residents/communities would be included, and why?

#### Answers

The working group has identified those with access and functional needs as a priority for emergency preparedness efforts. They have further identified specific members of these populations who will benefit by focused efforts to create specific strategies and methods to assist these community members in moving the bar on emergency preparedness. These are (in no specific order):

- 1. Language challenges
- 2. Literacy challenges
- 3. Farmworkers
- 4. Seniors with functional access needs
- 5. Hearing disability
- 6. Mobility disability
- 7. Unhoused
- 8. Mental health disability
- 9. Undocumented
- 10. Recent Immigrants
- 11. Tourists (all visitors/non-residents)
- 12. Rural residents
- 13. Technological challenges (including broadband access, digital literacy)

The following are identified challenges for these groups that may be barriers to preparedness. Some key strategies that have been discussed include tailored messages, using trusted messengers to convey messages, and creating hyper local neighborhood connections/networks to support each other in preparedness. Trusted messengers may include faith-based leaders and groups or individuals active in the specific community.

- · Language challenges
- Translation/interpretation
- Oral languages
- · Literacy challenges
- How do we get information: door to door?
- Understanding how they receive information
- Need trusted messenger
- Farmworkers
- Employer and industry power dynamics
- Trusted messengers needed
- Seniors with functional access needs
- Don't have family member or advocate
- · Need help to create a plan
- · Hearing disability
- · Need additional equipment
- Mobility disability
- Need additional equipment
- May need assistance to enact a plan
- Unhoused
- Anxiety
- Communicating
- Locating
- May need help to create and enact plan
- Mental health disability
- Anxiety
- May need help to create and enact plan

- Undocumented
- Trust in authority/government
- · Resources available
- Recent Immigrants
- · Understanding risks
- Trust in authority/government
- · Resources available
- Tourists (all visitors/non-residents)
- Risk understanding
- No preplanning
- Unknown cultural challenges
- Rural residents
- Communications
- · Lack of risk understanding
- · Road access challenges
- Specific challenges differ from urban residents
- o Pathways to evacuate
- o Livestock
- o Livelihood tied to land
- Technological challenges (including broadband access, digital literacy)
- Alternate communications
- o Communication deserts

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#### Ouestions:

How will the project increase resilience and reduce risk(s) of future hazards such as fire, flood, or earthquake?

#### Answers:

By focusing on preparedness community members will have improved understanding of possible disruptions and an advanced opportunity to develop strategies to limit disruption and create a more resilient community

## Upload project description, if available.

Sonoma Ready Detailed Project Description and Scope of Work 5-10-22.docx

## **Project Location Description**

Sonoma County

#### Does the project fall into one of these zip codes/counties?

Sonoma County

Public Services projects must select a National Objective. Planning projects do not require a National Objective. The Urgent Need Mitigation (UNM) national objective is for CDBG-MIT activities that aim to address risks that do not tie back to the disaster events of the 2017 CDBG-DR funding, or subsequent disasters. Projects using the UNM national objective must provide documentation that demonstrates a measurable and verifiable impact on reducing risks at the completion of the activity. Projects using the LMI national objective are those that have a benefit to Low to moderate income person, which is defined as persons having incomes not more than the "moderate-income" level (80% Area Median Family Income) set by the federal government for the HUD-assisted Housing Programs.

#### **National Objective**

Urgent Need Mitigation(UNM)

## Does the project benefit an LMI population or area?

Yes

#### Describe how the project benefits a LMI area (additional material and information may be required)

LMI Communities within Sonoma County will be targeted for these educational support campaigns by this task force. Below is a list of the LMI block groups that will be targeted in the project.

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#### Questions:

The application indicates that LMI areas will be targeted, provide details on how/why this project will consider LMI areas and benefit and reduce risk for LMI areas.

#### Answers:

oA large portion of Sonoma County residents have developed basic preparedness plans. The lowest instance of preparedness is the above groups, people who need additional information, techniques and resources to get ready for disaster. These groups are often LMI residents. Focus on these groups and working with partners to communicate and reach residents in new and novel ways will target these community in ways that have not been done in the past.

Upload document of data supporting the LMI population to be benefitted and/or a map of the service area (Optional) ServiceAreaSonomaCounty.pdf

## Does the project service area benefit the MID?

Yes

## Describe how the project benefits a MID area (additional material and information may be required)

In 2017 the October wildfires that ravaged California prompted the California Disaster Declaration 4344 as of 11/28/2017. This declaration included the entirety of Sonoma County as a Most Impacted and Distressed area. This project will benefit the MID by creating a culture of preparedness among the residents of the most impacted and distressed areas. It will align messaging across the Operation Area and will target those populations who are underserved. Including creating Spanish Language messaging, outreach to homeless communities and targeted messaging for those with access and functional needs.

#### Upload documentation that supports how the project benefits a MID area (Optional)

Map of decl 4344 area.pdf

### What Census Tracts/Block Groups are served by this project?

All census tracts/blocks group in Sonoma County will be served by this project. Below is a list of the LMI block groups that will be targeted in the project.

152502/2, 153102/1, 153704/2, 150607/2, 153102/4, 153903/2, 151301/3, 153006/1, 153704/3, 153104/1, 150901/2, 150305/1, 150800/2, 153006/6, 152201/3, 150306/1, 153003/1, 153705/2, 150901/3, 153401/5, 151311/2, 153003/3, 152701/4, 150202/4, 151800/4, 53704/4, 151402/1, 153300/4, 152203/3, 153902/1, 152501/3, 150901/1, 152000/2, 152100/3, 151402/5, 151201/1, 151700/5, 152905/1, 152000/1, 151305/2, 153808/1, 153003/4, 152801/1, 152203/4, 151900/3, 152201/2, 153001/3, 153703/5, 150306/2, 153006/2, 153102/3, 151306/4, 154201/2, 153003/2, 152100/2, 153300/3, 153902/4, 151305/3, 151311/4, 152202/5, 152202/2, 154100/1, 152802/4, 151900/4, 153703/3, 151305/4, 151900/1, 151502/5, 153704/1, 153200/4, 151308/3, 153703/4, 152701/5, 151308/1, 154201/3, 153002/4, 151401/2, 154201/4, 153801/1, 153200/1, 151900/2, 153705/3, 150603/5, 150305/2, 151308/2, 153200/3, 152100/1, 152802/2, 153002/3, 151402/2, 152201/4, 151201/5, 150305/3, 153002/2, 153002/1, 151402/4, 152701/2, 153004/3, 153005/6, 153703/2, 151305/1, 154201/1, 151204/3, 154202/3, 153002/2, 152903/2, 150609/2, 153705/1, 153103/3, 153104/3, 152802/5, 152903/3, 153104/2

## What is the total dollar amount of the project?

500,000

## Anticipated CDBG-MIT funding need (\$ amount)

500.000

#### Have you applied for other sources of funds for this project?

Nο

## Project Budget broken down by eligible activity and activity costs

Budget 5-10-22.xlsx

## Basis of Total Project Cost and Amount of CDBG-MIT requested

Community meetings- 2 per district per year. Includes simultaneous interpretations, ASL, Streaming \$5,000/meeting \$50,000/ year

Advertising – 6 messages per year, multi-language including graphic design, translation, and media \$4,000/message \$24,000/year

Neighborhood group activity support – small funding blocks for local projects including evacuation exercises and mitigation projects. \$3,440/project

\$34,400

Low Income family emergency supplies – outreach to assist in resource gathering for emergency preparedness- Up to \$50/ family in supplies (250 families/year)

\$12,000/year

Large annual preparedness meeting – Networking and connecting groups across the county to engage in conversation and share lessons learned and project ideas. Including interpretation for all sessions

\$24,000/year

**Project Support Costs** 

\$25,000

**Indirect Costs** 

\$45,182

#### Describe prior experience and previous success in implementing planning and/or public services projects.

Dr. Nancy Brown, Community Preparedness Manager, embedded in the Sonoma County Emergency Management Department will serve as the lead on this project. This is one of a handful of these types of positions nationwide. Originally from Southern California, Nancy earned a Master of Science degree at California State University, Long Beach in Emergency Services Administration and graduated Summa Cum Laude. Dr. Brown leveraged this education to develop best practices and training programs while working as the Emergency Preparedness Coordinator for The Hotels at the Disneyland Resort® in Anaheim, California. These all hazard plans aimed to keep guests and staff safe before, during, and after a disruptive event.

Nancy brought this practical experience to her academic speciality, disaster resilience within the tourism sector. In pursuit of excellence and empirical knowledge, she completed her PhD in Emergency Management at Massey University, Wellington, New Zealand. This interdisciplinary study combines the relatively new disaster science field with hospitality industry studies, community resilience, and organizational resilience studies.

Additionally, Nancy has worked in Southeast Asia helping to develop and write the National Disaster Response Framework for Indonesia, standardizing roles for emergency service work across Southeast Asian ASEAN members, and researching baseline data and making recommendations for future t disaster management project proposals in New Zealand, Myanmar and Vanuatu.

Nancy's work has been published in a number of academic journals, including the International Journal of Disaster Risk Reduction and the Journal of Hospitality and Tourism Management. Her long-term objects include continued development of pragmatic ways to build disaster resilience that engage communities and businesses in a systemic way - resulting in a culture of resilience.

# Is the proposed project identified as a priority project in your hazard mitigation plan? Yes

What community lifeline will this project protect? Health and Safety are prioritized in the Planning and Public Services program.

Safety & Security, Communications

#### How will this project reduce risk to community lifeline(s)?

A resilient and prepared community reduces stress on lifeline systems when disaster strikes. When people and communities engage in preparedness activities they are able to respond quickly, enact their plan, and take care of themselves and each other at a higher level than unprepared communities. This preparedness engagement helps improve emergency response efficiencies as people who can help themselves and neighbors do so, leaving the first responders to respond to those without capacity to help themselves or those in life safety situations. The formalizing of a community outreach plan with stakeholders from throughout the community will allow for actions and messages to be developed that speak clearly to specific populations, and a united message from multiple fronts to resonate throughout the community.

The project is incorporated in the Sonoma County Multijurisdictional Hazard Mitigation Plan Update 2021.

Action SC-14—Implement targeted outreach, education, preparedness, and mitigation initiatives to better prepare the County's residents with Access and Functional Needs, especially in high hazard areas and incorporate equity considerations. Identify, evaluate, validate, and implement communications, warning technologies Radio Disaster Alert Devices for Vulnerable Populations. Hazards Mitigated: Dam Failure, Drought, Earthquake, Flood, Landslide, Sea-Level Rise, Severe Weather, Tsunami, Wildfire

Action SC-33—Develop community-based disaster preparedness and response resilience facilities and resources in areas or communities that are disproportionately economically disadvantaged or that face social equity challenges. Hazards Mitigated: Dam Failure, Drought, Earthquake, Flood, Landslide, Severe Weather, Tsunami, Wildfire

Action SC-44—Improve emergency preparedness awareness with an emphasis on outreach to vulnerable and socially disadvantaged populations by increasing coordination with them to ensure hazard risks, preparedness, and evacuation information is available and well understood in multiple languages. Tailored outreach can be conducted to ensure socially vulnerable and disadvantaged populations understand what actions need to occur during hazard events that may require shelter in place or evacuation procedures. Hazards Mitigated: Dam Failure, Drought, Earthquake, Flood, Landslide, Severe Weather, Sea-Level Rise, Tsunami, Wildfire

#### Is the project identified in the LHMP?

The 2016 Sonoma County Hazard Mitigation Plan (LHMP) has identified under Table MS-10, Objective 5- Reduce the Hazard Vulnerability and Increase the Mitigation Capability of County Residents and Businesses;

#30 Initiate targeted outreach, education, preparedness and mitigation initiatives as a priority This mitigation action service to better prepare the County's vulnerable populations, especially in high hazard areas, to include:

Non-English Speaking populations

Low-income residents

Elderly/aging

Residents with Access and Functional Needs

Homeless/displaced

#38. Implement education and awareness programs via community outreach, information kiosks, media and County websites. #46. Carry out a public education program to increase risk awareness and promote implementation of fire safe practices by residents in wildland urban interface areas

# How will this project improve resilience for protected classes, underserved communities, and vulnerable populations?

Stakeholders with connections within underserved populations are included in the plan design process to assure messages and plans are not just "translated" into other languages, or just a more readable font. The collaboration will produce messages that will be culturally relevant and actions that vulnerable and underserved communities will have resources to engage in that make sense and resonate with them. Collaborating with groups, identifying leadership at the local level, and brainstorming new approaches are all part of the plan development process.

# Can this project be replicated in other communities?

Yes

#### If yes, provide a description.

This project design can be easily replicated and implemented in other counties and municipalities. By identifying invested stakeholders who serve diverse populations, keeping a focus on equity of messaging and dissemination and following the plan template which will be created out of this workgroup as a guide for other communities.

Will you be able to quantitatively measure the impact the proposed project will have on current and future risk? Yes

#### Explain how you will quantitatively measure the impact of the proposed project on current and future risk.

Analytic data will be gathered on the types and modalities of communication and marketing tools used. Partners who use their Websites to disseminate information will be asked to track analytics of hits to the site as well as clicks on the links. Newspapers ads readership will be tracked, and polls will be used to assess the reach of the marketing materials and the effectiveness of messaging. Other tactics will be designed as part of the community education plan.

Upload quantitative data showing a project's anticipated impact on current and future risks.

# Given a 3 year Period of Performance and Assuming Spring 2021 start date, what is your expected period of performance? (anticipated start date and completion date)

April 2022 UPDATE

Performance Period: July 2022 - June 2025

April 2021 -July 2024

\*Updated by NX (5/4/21)

Information received by HCD via email from Gina.Dickson@sonoma-county.org (4/16/21) See more information in attachment titled "Sonoma Ready RFI"

#### Ouestions:

Provide detailed project timeline including milestones related to the project description and project budget.

#### Answers:

- Jan-June Working Group convenes bi-monthly to develop Plan
- Develop Goal and Objectives for Plan
- Identify Different Types of Groups in the County
- Create Priority Group List
- Identify Barriers to Preparedness, Communicating other?
- Brainstorm Activities/Actions to Overcome Barriers
- Create Priority Projects List

June-July - Provide comment period and shop plan among other agencies and organizations in County

July Milestone - Finish plan with strategies and actions

July - Calendar development for plan activation - success metrics developed

July - Toolkit development

August-Oct - Wildfire Preparedness and toolkit publicity and engagement

October Milestone - Survey residents regarding preparedness activities

November-February - Winter Storm Preparedness and toolkit publicity and engagement

March- April Tsunami and Earthquake Preparedness and toolkit publicity and engagement

April Milestone - Review progress with working group, make plan adjustments

May-June Wildfire mitigation and Power Shut off preparedness and toolkit publicity and engagement

July - Calendar development for plan activation - additional success metrics developed

July - Refresh Toolkit development

August-Oct - Wildfire Preparedness and toolkit publicity and engagement

October Milestone - Survey residents regarding preparedness activities including compare previous results

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### **Proposed Project Timeline**

Sonoma Ready Detailed Project Description and Scope of Work.docx

## **APPLICABLE LOCAL POLICIES AND PLANS**

Do you have procurement policies and procedures?

Yes

If yes, upload your procurement policies and procedures.

county purchasing policy.pdf

If yes, but the policies and procedures are in another previously uploaded document, please name the document.

Do you have a current hazard mitigation plan?

Yes

If yes, upload your plan

Hazard Mitigation Plan.pdf

If yes, but the plan is in another previously uploaded document, please name the document.

In using HUD funds for projects, Subrecipients must comply with the Uniform Relocation Assistance and Real Property Acquisition Policies Act of 1970, as amended by the Uniform Relocation Act Amendments of 1987 (URA or Uniform Act).

Do you have existing policies and procedures to ensure compliance with the Uniform Relocation Act (URA)? Yes

If yes, upload your policies and procedures.

URA Compliance.docx

If yes, but the policies and procedures are in another previously uploaded document, please name the document.

Do you have policies and procedures for completing National Environmental Policy Act (NEPA) and California Environmental Quality Act (CEQA) environmental reviews?

Yes

If yes, upload your policies and procedures.

Environmental Review PP Final.pdf

If yes, but the policies and procedures are in another previously uploaded document, please name the document.

Section 3 of the Housing and Urban Development Act of 1968 (Section 3), as amended, requires that economic opportunities generated by CDBG-DR funds be targeted toward Section 3 residents. A Section 3 plan must establish standards and procedures to be used to ensure that the objectives of Section 3 are met and records, reports, and other documents or items to demonstrate compliance with Section 3 regulations are maintained.

Do you have a Section 3 plan?

Yes

If yes, upload your plan.

Federal Labor Standards PP Final.pdf

If yes, but the Section 3 plan is in another previously uploaded document, please name the document.

Do you have anti-lobbying policies and procedures?

Yes

If yes, upload your anti-lobbying policies and procedures.

Anti-lobbying.docx

If yes, but the policies and procedures are in another previously uploaded document, please name the document.

Do you have conflict of interest policies and procedures?

Yes

If yes, upload your conflict of interest policies and procedures.

Conflict of Interest.docx

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Do you have non-discrimination policies and procedures?

Yes

If yes, upload your non-discrimination policies and procedures.

Nondiscrimination.docx

If yes, but the policies and procedures are in another previously uploaded document, please name the document.

Do you have timekeeping policies and procedures?

Yes

If yes, upload your timekeeping policies and procedures.

Timekeeping (1).docx

If yes, but the policies and procedures are in another previously uploaded document, please name the document.

Do you have financial management policies and procedures?

Yes

If yes, upload your financial management policies and procedures.

Fiscal Policies Manual.pdf

If yes, but the policies and procedures are in another previously uploaded document, please name the document.

Do you affirm that your policies and procedures are consistent with 2 CFR part 200?

Yes

## ORGANIZATIONAL STRUCTURE, CAPACITY, AND AUTHORITY

What is your governing board meeting schedule?

Sonoma county Board of Supervisors Meets Weekly on Tuesdays at 8:30 a.m.

Documentation for staff experience may include one or both of the following: A narrative description of the experience details of key staff for this project and whether they are new hires or existing staff. A chart of staff by experience in CDBG and/or federal grants management AND experience related to content of the project applied for.

Staff Experience: How many staff do you have with experience in CDBG or federal grants management? How many staff do you have with experience related to content of the project being applied for?

CDBG Project Org Chart\_Sonoma County Emergency Management.pdf

**Debarment Check** 

SoCo Debarment Report.pdf

**Government Agency Taxpayer ID Form** 

IRS Letter of Tax Status.pdf

Payee Data Record STD 204 Form

std204.pdf

Have you reviewed the sample authorizing resolution?

Yes

## **Budget Worksheet**

## **View Budget Worksheet**

https://portal.ecivis.com/#/peerBudget/B2A78DE3-7018-4022-8BA4-389433B52F1D

## **Goals Worksheet**

## **View Application Goals**

https://portal.ecivis.com/#/peerGoals/A8F590B4-ADDA-4BB8-990E-9820418EE41E

#### **Additional Information**

Sonoma Ready RFI .docx

## **Additional Information**

Environmental Exemption.pdf

#### **Additional Information**

10.26.21 Item 3 CBDG MIT PPS Resolution.pdf

## **Additional Information**

Community Preparedness Action Plan\_2022-2025 02MAY2022\_Draft10.pdf

#### **Additional Information**

17MIT PPS DOB Affidavit - Sonoma Ready.pdf

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## # of Reviews

1

# of Denials 0
Average Score
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Upload document of data supporting the LMI population to be benefitted and/or a map of the service area (Optional) ServiceAreaSonomaCounty.pdf

**Upload documentation that supports how the project benefits a MID area (Optional)** Map of decl\_4344 area.pdf

**Project Budget broken down by eligible activity and activity costs** Budget 5-10-22.xlsx

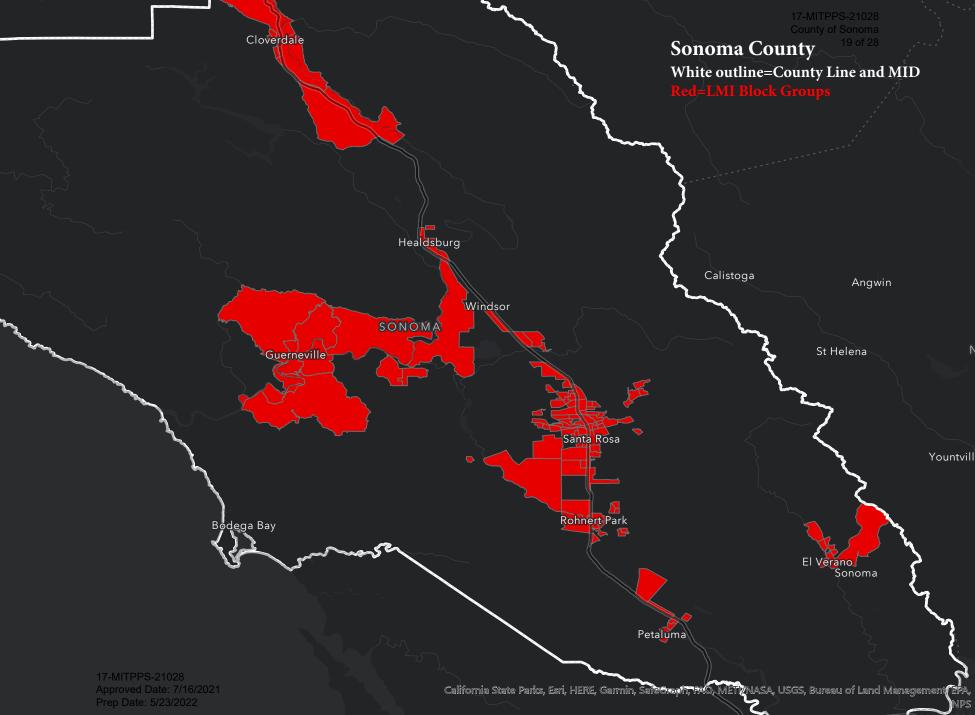
If yes, upload your timekeeping policies and procedures.

**Applications: File Attachments** 

Timekeeping (1).docx

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Tract	BLKGRP	Low	Lowmod	Lowmod_pct
152502	2	345	630	0.5101
153102	1	155	575	0.5134
153704	2	215	335	0.5154
150607	2	250	430	0.5181
153102	4	405	560	0.5234
153903	2	465	555	0.5261
151301	3	370	1020	0.5271
153006	1	110	240	0.5275
153704	3	155	320	0.5289
153104	1	925	1150	0.5324
150901	2	355	400	0.5333
150305	1	395	460	0.538
150800	2	510	645	0.5397
153006	6	360	800	0.5442
152201	3	405	640	0.5447
150306	1	290	490	0.5475
153003	1	240	380	0.5507
153705	2	175	380	0.5507
150901	3	425	685	0.5524
153401	5	355	530	0.555
151311	2	495	645	0.556
153003	3	650	1190	0.5587
152701	4	315	465	0.5602
150202	4	235	1065	0.5605
151800	4	315	1220	0.5609
153704	4	585	820	0.5616
151402	1	590	1165	0.5642
153300	4	1660	3190	0.5661
152203	3	525	615	0.5668
153902	1	340	955	0.5668
152501	3	400	610	0.5674
150901	1	115	630	0.5676
152000	2	325	435	0.5686
152100	3	200	530	0.5699
151402	5	940	1160	0.57
151201	1	565	770	0.5704
151700	5	285	605	0.5708
152905	1	255	695	0.5744
152000	1	435	560	0.5803
151305	2	250	430	0.5811
153808	1	400	860	0.5811
153003	4	385	1215	0.5813
152801	1	695	805	0.5876
152203	4	520	650	0.5882

# **Countywide LMI Block Groups**

151900	3	310	430	0.589
152201	2	265	395	0.5896
153001	3	1275	2240	0.5942
153703	5	205	305	0.598
150306	2	510	680	0.6018
153006	2	345	435	0.6042
153102	3	305	580	0.6042
151306	4	320	665	0.6045
154201	2	190	360	0.6102
153003	2	460	645	0.6114
152100	2	120	530	0.6127
153300	3	355	1010	0.614
153902	4	560	695	0.615
151305	3	330	930	0.6179
151311	4	655	980	0.6183
152202	5	450	615	0.6244
152202	2	630	1390	0.6261
154100	1	195	430	0.6277
152802	4	565	1335	0.6282
151900	4	465	610	0.6289
153703	3	180	265	0.631
151305	4	685	815	0.6318
151900	1	330	435	0.635
151502	5	910	1005	0.6361
153704	1	340	455	0.6408
153200	4	1845	2690	0.6412
151308	3	145	255	0.6456
153703	4	225	315	0.6495
152701	5	400	685	0.6524
151308	1	380	470	0.6573
154201	3	270	365	0.6577
153002	4	515	655	0.6583
151401	2	550	825	0.66
154201	4	445	710	0.6605
153801	1	910	1220	0.6612
153200	1	70	540	0.6626
151900	2	435	535	0.6646
153705	3	400	715	0.6651
150603	5	365	605	0.6685
150305	2	745	1465	0.6689
151308	2	970	1260	0.6811
153200	3	1090	1500	0.6834
152100	1	400	445	0.6846
152802	2	675	895	0.6885

153002	3	225	420	0.6885
151402	2	1035	1675	0.6907
152201	4	350	500	0.6944
151201	5	810	1550	0.7029
150305	3	1105	1915	0.7053
152802	1	285	660	0.7097
153102	2	745	1410	0.7103
153002	1	615	1310	0.712
151402	4	215	240	0.7164
152701	2	405	740	0.7184
150304	3	825	1435	0.7193
153005	6	1045	1310	0.7218
153703	2	230	485	0.7405
151305	1	990	1470	0.7406
154201	1	125	1110	0.7475
151204	3	370	485	0.7519
154202	3	120	290	0.7532
153002	2	795	1240	0.7538
152903	2	1005	1610	0.7559
150609	2	580	805	0.7594
153001	1	970	1540	0.7662
153705	1	235	815	0.815
153103	3	535	635	0.8301
153104	3	1010	1450	0.8455
152802	5	975	1280	0.8767
152903	3	655	1210	0.938
153104	2	125	290	0.9667
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# FEMA-4344-DR, California Disaster Declaration as of 11/28/2017

Modoc

Lassen

Plumas

San

Joaquin

Stanislaus-

San Benito

Monterey

Merced

San Luis Obispo

Santa Barbara

Alameda

Clara

Mateo Santa

Santa Cruz

Nevada

Amador Alpine

Tuolumne

Mariposa

Madera 🏞

Kings

Fresno

Mono

Tulare

Kern

Los Angeles

Placer

El Dorado





## Data Layer/Map Description:

The types of assistance that have been designated for selected areas in the State of California.

All designated areas in the State of California are eligible to apply for assistance under the Hazard Mitigation Grant Program.

#### **Designated Counties**

UT

AZ

NV

Inyo

San Bernardino

Riverside

San Diego

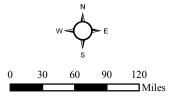
Imperial

No Designation

Public Assistance (Categories A and B)

Individual Assistance and Public Assistance (Categories A and B)

Individual Assistance and Public Assistance (Categories A - G)



#### **Data Sources:**

FEMA, ESRI;

Initial Declaration: 10/10/2017 Disaster Federal Registry Notice: Amendment #7 - 10/28/2017 Datum: North American 1983 Projection: Lambert Conformal Conic

Approved Date: 7/16/2021 Prep Date: 5/23/2022

17-MITPPS-21028

Del Norte

Humboldt

Siskiyou

Shasta

Tehama

Colusa

Glenn

Trinity

Mendocino

#### Sheet1

Sonoma Ready, Sonoma Listos Prenaredness Education and Marketing Plan for a Resilient Community 2021-2023 Item Year 1 Year 2 Year 3 **Total Cost IMTDC** 2 per district(5) per year@\$5000.00 includes: 10,000.00 Location 10,000.00 10,000.00 30,000.00 \$ 30,000.00 **Community Preparedness** ΙΑV 10,000.00 10,000.00 10,000.00 30,000.00 30,000.00 **Education Meetings** Translation ASL and Spanish Language Simulcast 12,000.00 12,000.00 12,000.00 36,000.00 \$ 36,000.00 **Printed Materials** 8,000.00 8,000.00 8,000.00 24,000.00 \$ 24,000.00 Publicity 10,000.00 10,000.00 10,000.00 30,000.00 \$ 30,000.00 6 messages per year, multi Lingual (media buy, graphics, translation 4,000/message 52,200.00 \$ Media Cost \$2900/messge 17,400.00 17,400.00 17,400.00 52,200.00 Advertising Campaign 6.000.00 18,000.00 \$ Graphic Cost \$1000/Message 6.000.00 6.000.00 18,000.00 Translation Cost \$100/message 600.00 600.00 600.00 1.800.00 \$ 1.800.00 Neighborhood Group Small block projects including evac exercises and Activities mitigation projects 10@ appprox \$3,440 103,200.00 \$ 103,200.00 34,400.00 34,400.00 34,400.00 LMI Family Emergency Supply Support \$50/family 250 families/year 36,000.00 \$ 12,000.00 12,000.00 12,000.00 \$24,000/year cost includes: Facility 9,000.00 9,000.00 9,000.00 27,000.00 \$ 27,000.00 Large Annual Preparedness 1,000.00 1,000.00 1,000.00 3,000.00 3,000.00 Signage Meeting **AV Costs** 3,600.00 \$ 1,200.00 1,200.00 1,200.00 3,600.00 12,800.00 12,800.00 38,400.00 \$ **Expert Speakers** 12,800.00 38,400.00 Project Support Costs 8.334.00 8.333.00 8.333.00 25.000.00 \$ 25,000.00 Indirect Costs 41,800.00 \$ 41,920.00 TOTAL 500,000.00

The **TimeSaver System** will support real-time processing of all transactions related to the County's time and attendance data collection including:

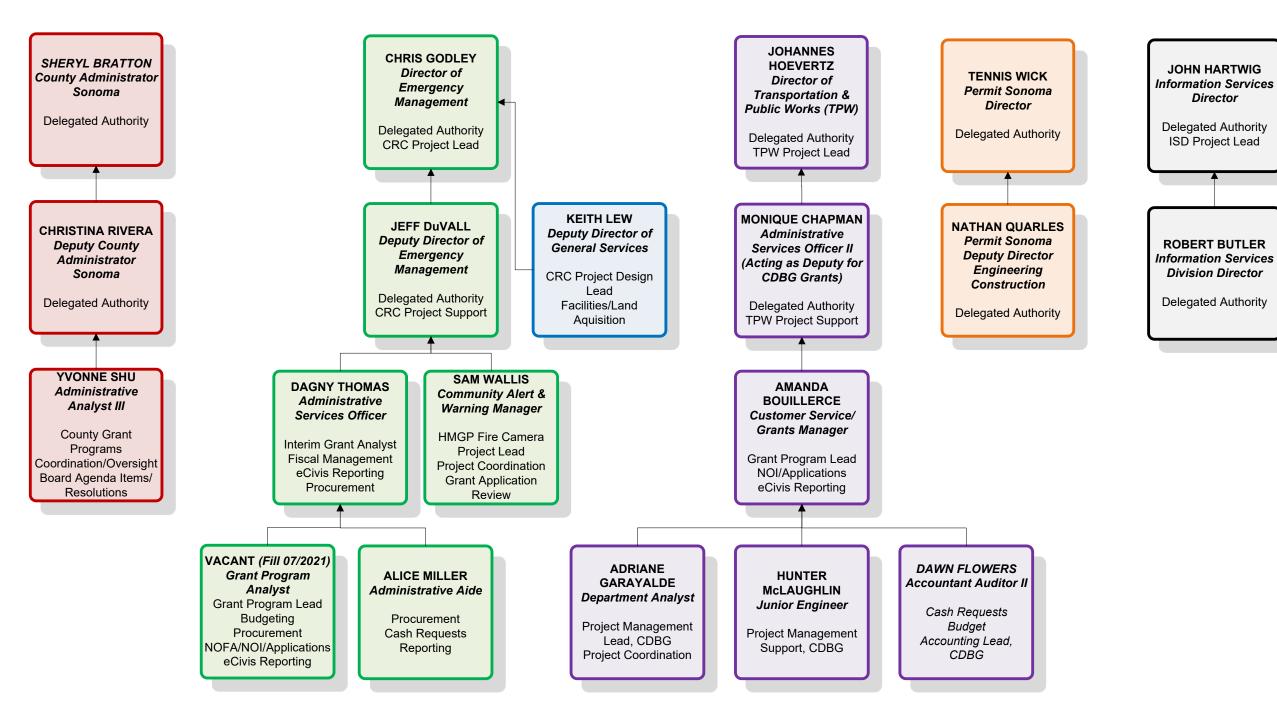
**Time Collection**: Most County employees have access to the TimeSaver system on the web. Those without access to a computer or kiosk have designated time-keepers or payroll clerks to enter their time data. Employees access the system, based upon their security rating, through either the Internet or the County Intranet. All data interfaces directly with the County's payroll system, thus eliminating the need for payroll clerks to compile, correct, summarize and manually key time transactions for most employees every other week!

**Cost Accounting**: The system allows County employees to enter labor distribution information (project, activity, task, etc.) in combination with time and attendance information. This provides a foundation for county-wide cost accounting.

**Scheduling**: Schedules for each employee are maintained in the system, and serve as a basis for applying the correct pay rules and pay codes.

**Reporting**: The system provides real-time employee reports (time, attendance, earnings, leave balances, etc.), as well as departmental reports (electronic and paper).

# SONOMA COUNTY CDBG-DR/MIT GRANTS MANAGEMENT



Sonoma Ready, Sonoma Listos! Preparedness Education and Marketing Plan for a Resilient Community 2021-2023 Budget Narrative

Community Preparedness Education Meetings (2 per district (5 districts) per year @ \$5,000 = \$50,000 \* 3 years = \$150,000)

- Location: \$10,000/year for 3 years
- AV: \$10,000/year for 3 years. Includes technology to simulcast and record on Facebook live. AV Specialist will need equipment set up to record all participants, translation, and broadcast to Facebook live to create this hybrid Virtual/Live event. We have acknowledged that great attendance numbers for on line live, and post event review of recordings has been a real boon during COVID and are striving to bridge the two types of events.
- Translation American Sign Language and Spanish Language Simulcast: \$12,000/year for 3 years
- Printed Materials: \$8,000/year for 3 years
- Publicity: \$10,000/year for 3 years

Advertising Campaign (6 messages per year, multilingual @ \$4,000/message = 24,000 \* 3 years = \$72,000)

- Media Cost: 6 messages/year @ \$2,900/message for 3 years
- Graphic Costs: 6 messages/year @ \$1,00/message for 3 years
- Translation Cost: 6 messages/year @ \$100/message for 3 years

## **Neighborhood Group Activities**

- 10 Small block projects including evac exercises and mitigation projects per year
   \$3,440 = \$34,400/year \* 3 years = \$103,200
- Capacity building projects, including evacuation exercises which will require
  electronic signage, meeting locations, simple AV, flyers, postcard mailings, etc.
  Other events could be network neighborhood development meetings which
  would require locations, simple av, flyers, advertising, etc.

## LMI Family Emergency Supply Support

- \$50/family for 250 families/year
- Emergency kits (Go Bags) with added printed materials guides to them which include Person Plan Guide, Evacuation Check List, Power shut of tips, and Pocket Emergency Guide

Large Annual Preparedness Meeting (\$24,000/year\* 3 years = \$72,000)

- Facility: \$9,000/year for 3 years
- Signage: \$1,000/year for 3 years
- AV Costs: \$1,200/year for 3 years. Includes above plus extra mics and speakers for resource fair announcements Large events will have same simulcast feature

- but also have a separate hall for resource tables and we will need AV in this building/area for announcements etc.
- Expert Speakers: \$12,800/year for 3 years

# **Project Support Costs**

 Necessary costs directly relating to the management and administration of the grant, such as financial management, reporting and oversight of those involved in the operational aspects of the grant.

## **Indirect Costs**

• 10% de minimis

## **Budget Report**

Passthrough Agency: California Department of Housing and Community Development

Program: CDBG-Mitigation Planning & Public Services NOFA

Stage: Pre-Award

Report Date: 05/20/2022 Requested By: Dagny Thomas

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#### **Budget Items**

Category	Title	Description	Units	Unit Cost	Extended Cost	Direct Cost	Indirect Cost	GL Account	Cost Share	Type
Activity										
	Community Preparedness	Location	6	\$5,000.00	\$30,000.00	\$30,000.00	\$0.00		\$0.00	Direct Cos
	Education Meetings (2 per									
	year)									
	Community Preparedness	AV	6	\$5,000.00	\$30,000.00	\$30,000.00	\$0.00		\$0.00	Direct Cost
	Education Meetings									
	Community Preparedness	Translation and	6	\$6,000.00	\$36,000.00	\$36,000.00	\$0.00		\$0.00	Direct Cost
	Education Meetings	Spanish Language								
	Community Preparedness	Simulcast Printed Materials	6	\$4.000.00	\$24.000.00	\$24,000.00	\$0.00		\$0.00	Direct Cost
	Education Meetings	Fillited Waterlais	o o	\$4,000.00	\$24,000.00	\$24,000.00	\$0.00		φ0.00	Direct Cost
	Community Preparedness	Publicity	6	\$5,000.00	\$30,000.00	\$30,000.00	\$0.00		\$0.00	Direct Cost
	Education Meetings		-	**,****	****,******	****	*****		*****	
	Advertising Campaign (6	Media Cost	18	\$2,900.00	\$52,200.00	\$52,200.00	\$0.00		\$0.00	Direct Cost
	messages per year)									
	Advertising Campaign	Graphic Cost	18	\$1,000.00	\$18,000.00	\$18,000.00	\$0.00		\$0.00	Direct Cost
	Advertising Campaign	Translation Cost	18	\$100.00	\$1,800.00	\$1,800.00	\$0.00		\$0.00	Direct Cost
	Neighborhood Group	Small block projects	1	\$103,200.00	\$103,200.00	\$103,200.00	\$0.00		\$0.00	Direct Cos
	Activities (10 per year@	including evac								
	\$3,440 each)	exercises and mitigation								
		projects								
	LMI Family Emergency Suppl	ly 250 families/year	750	\$48.00	\$36,000.00	\$36,000.00	\$0.00		\$0.00	Direct Cost
	Support									
	Large Annual Preparedness	Facility	3	\$9,000.00	\$27,000.00	\$27,000.00	\$0.00		\$0.00	Direct Cost
	Meeting Large Annual Preparedness	Cianaga	3	\$1,000.00	\$3,000.00	\$3,000.00	\$0.00		\$0.00	Direct Cost
	Meeting	Signage	3	\$1,000.00	\$3,000.00	\$3,000.00	\$0.00		\$0.00	Direct Cost
	Large Annual Preparedness	AV Costs	3	\$1,200.00	\$3,600.00	\$3,600.00	\$0.00		\$0.00	Direct Cost
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	Large Annual Preparedness	Expert Speakers	3	\$12,800.00	\$38,400.00	\$38,400.00	\$0.00		\$0.00	Direct Cost
	Meeting								·	
ctivity Total			847	\$156,248.00	\$433,200.00	\$433,200.00	\$0.00		\$0.00	
Activity Total	Large Annual Preparedness	Expert Speakers					·		·	
General Administ										
eneral Administ	ration Total		0	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0.00		\$0.00	
ctivity Delivery										
, Dontory	Project Support Costs	Project Support Costs	1	\$25,000.00	\$25,000.00	\$25,000.00	\$0.00		\$0.00	Direct Cos
	Indirect Costs	10% de minimis	1	\$41,800.00	\$41,800.00	\$41,800.00	\$0.00		\$0.00	Direct Cos
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## Other

Category	Title	Description	Units	Unit Cost	Extended Cost	Direct Cost	Indirect Cost	GL Account	Cost Share	Type
Other										
Other Total			0	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0.00		\$0.00	

Grant Total	849	\$223,048.00	\$500,000.00	\$500,000.00	\$0.00	\$0.00

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