

2017/2018 Community Development Block Grant (CDBG) MIT – Substantial Action Plan Amendment (APA 2)

Public Meeting - English January 18th, 2023



- You can access the Draft 2017/18 MIT Action Plan here: 2017/18 DR MIT APA 2 Substantial (hcd.ca.gov)
- All participant lines are muted upon entry
- Use "Raise Hand" feature
- Use Chat for questions
- Will pause for questions and comments





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- Timeline
- Overview of changes
- Program Changes to MIT PPS
- Program Changes to MIT RIP
- Other State and Federal resources available
- Open for Public Comment Period



California Department of Housing and Community Development

Mission: Provides leadership, policies, and programs to preserve and expand safe and affordable housing opportunities and promote strong communities for all Californians.

- Grants and funding
- Mobile home registration
- Building standards
- Planning and community development
- Policy and research



Why are Action Plans Amended?

- Action Plans gets amended multiple times throughout the grant years
- Changes to Action Plans are substantial or nonsubstantial
- Action Plans are Amended to:
 - adjust program and budget allocations
 - program design elements
 - add or remove programs



2018 CDBG-MIT Allocation of Funds

 Jan. 2021 Federal Register 86 FR 561 allocated additional \$64,907,000 in CDBG-MIT funds to State of California under Public Law 116-20

– FEMA Disaster Declarations DR-4407 and DR-4382

- HCD is amending the **2017/2018 CDBG-MIT** Action Plan again through a second Substantial Action Plan Amendment to modify program delivery for the Resilient Infrastructure Program (MIT-RIP).
 - This is a combined Action Plan, but we are amending DR 4407 and 4382 Resources



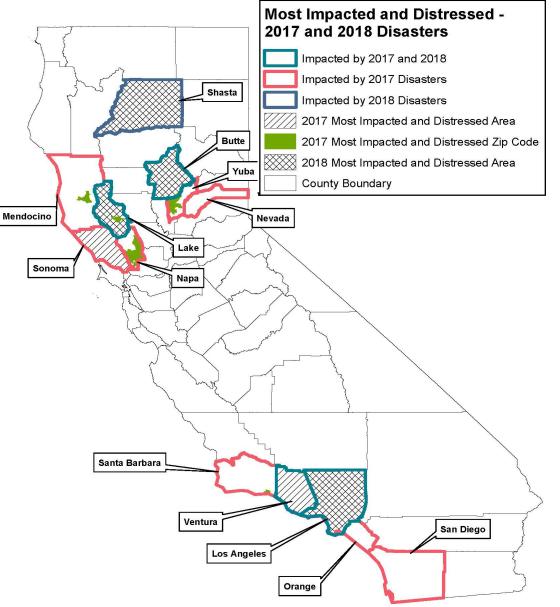
Substantial Action Plan Amendment

- 17/18 CDBG-MIT-Action Plan amendment, number two ("APA 2"), is a substantial amendment
- Update budget and program allocations to incorporate new program
 - Owner Occupied Rehabilitation and Reconstruction-Mitigation (OOR-M)
- Update existing program design
 - Mitigation Planning and Public Services (MIT-PPS)
 - Resilient Infrastructure Programs (MIT-RIP)
- Update criteria for method of distribution



2018 CDBG-MIT Eligible Areas

- Most Impacted and Distressed Areas
 - Butte County
 - Lake County
 - Los Angeles County
 - Shasta County
 - Eligible Applicants –
 DR-4382 and DR-4407





2017/2018 MITIGATION Funding Allocation

Program	2017 CDBG-MIT Funding	2018 CDBG-MIT Funding	Total CDBG-MIT Funding
CDBG-MIT Resilient Infrastructure Program	\$61,379,000	\$45,175,272	\$106,554,272
CDBG-MIT Planning and Public Services Program	\$22,440,000	\$16,486,378	\$38,926,378
Administration	\$4,400,000	\$3,245,350	\$7,645,350
Total CDBG-MIT Program Funds	\$88,219,000	\$64,907,000	\$153,126,000

2018 MIT Action Plan Amendment 2 Timeline

- Dec 15th Jan 31, 2023: Public Comment Period
 - 45 days for Public Comment
 - General Public Comment Meetings with local governments and tribes
- Early Feb 2023: Submit to HUD
- Spring 2023: HUD approval (60 days)
- Summer 2023: Subgrantees submit projects



Overview of Amendments for 17/18 CDBG-MIT



HUD Requirements

- Must meet the definition of mitigation
- 50% of funds must be spent in the MID and the remaining must benefit the MID
- Overall benefit is 50% LMI
- Must benefit one of the following:
 - LMI populations
 - Tribal lands or people
 - Residents of under resourced jurisdictions
 - Elderly/disabled populations
 - Affordable housing communities
 - Remote community
 - Non-English-speaking populations
- Infrastructure projects must have a long-term operation and maintenance plan
- 50% of funds expended in six years (Sept. 2027)
- 100% of funds expended in 12 years (Sept. 2033)



MIT-PPS Program Goals

- Projects and activities
 - address risks to community lifelines
 - support health and safety
 - mitigate future disasters
- Build capacity for eligible jurisdictions
- Update critical planning efforts to reduce future disaster risks
- Support public services that inform communities about their disaster risks and risk reduction measures



MIT-PPS Program Changes

- Over-the-Counter NOFA
 - Open for an initial six months, or until program budget is reached, and assess the need after.
- Per entity award cap: \$1.5 million
 - No project cap.
- Project Minimum: \$125,000
 - Exceptions:
 - Match projects.
 - If a subrecipient submits related projects, they can count towards the \$125K minimum. (i.e., a planning project and a public services project to inform the public on the plan).



MIT-RIP Eligible Activities

- Hazard Mitigation Grant Program Match Projects
 - Infrastructure projects only
 - Cover non-federal local cost share
- Stand-Alone Projects
 - Denied FEMA PA Projects (Cat C-G), HMGP Infrastructure Projects
 - Public Infrastructure
 - Mitigation and Resilience components



MIT-RIP Program Changes

- 2017 funding: HCD developed a competitive application through which eligible applicants can apply for funding.
- **2018 funding**: HCD will administer a **direct allocation** of funding to MID jurisdictions based on disaster impacts and hazard exposure, with a 20 percent set-aside for eligible jurisdictions that do not meet the direct allocation requirements.
 - Applications will be reviewed against eligibility thresholds to ensure that they meet program requirements.



2018 MIT-RIP Allocation

- Hybrid allocation and competitive set-aside.
- Prioritizes equity and allows jurisdictions in the MID to apply

Jurisdiction	Allocation	
Butte County (15%)	\$6,877,297.16	
Lake County (6%)	\$2,641,566.52	
Los Angeles County (10%)	\$4,501,325.15	
Shasta County (21%)	\$9,490,780.82	
Malibu (1%)	\$662,945.94	
Paradise (26%)	\$11,564,268.07	
Redding (1%)	\$402,033.93	
20% MID Set-Aside	\$9,035,054.40	
Total	\$45.175.272.00*	



2018 MIT RIP Allocation Methodology

- 1. Identified Counties/Cities in the MID
- 2. Applied a threshold:
 - Jurisdictions with less than 1% of total structures destroyed and less than 0.4% of total property in the Fire Hazard Severity Zone (Mod, High, and Very High) do not receive an allocation.
- 3. Combined data of jurisdictions that did not meet the threshold with parent county data.
- 4. Jurisdictions receive a proportional percentage of the total amount of funds available, based on damaged structures and property in hazard zone.
- 5. Twenty percent of each allocation is then taken out for a set-aside for the jurisdictions that did not receive an allocation.
 - Jurisdictions that are in the MID that do NOT receive an allocation may apply for funds in the set-aside.





- HCD's goal is to encourage applicants to leverage other state and federal funding, and a project cap is one way to achieve this.
 - Allows for increased opportunity for a variety of projects and jurisdictions to apply and receive funding.
- Per-Project Cap \$2.5M
- Identify other State and Federal Fundings
 - CalFire, HMGP, Jumpstart

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Eligibility Thresholds

- If threshold criteria is set, projects must meet one of the criteria set.
- HCD plans to provide criteria to subrecipients in the solicitation, along with data resources
 - Subrecipients can determine whether their proposed project would meet threshold prior to submitting to save them time/effort of submitting projects that would not qualify.
- All criteria must be defined and measurable.
 - Hazard exposure percentile, social vulnerability percentile
 - Align criteria with the Prepare CA/Jump Start Program, but adjust for the MID.
- If threshold criteria not met, then application is denied.



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OTHER STATE AND FEDERAL FUNDING SOURCES



CAL FIRE's Wildfire Prevention Grant Program



- Funds projects and activities related to Hazardous fuel reduction, wildfire, prevention planning, and education
- **\$240 Million** for Wildfire Prevention and Forest Health
- Eligible Applicants state and federal agencies, Tribal Government, certified community conservation corps, fire safe councils, non-profit organizations, and local government
- Application is open now Due date February 28th, 2023
- More information at: Wildfire Prevention (ca.gov)



OPR ICARP Grant Programs

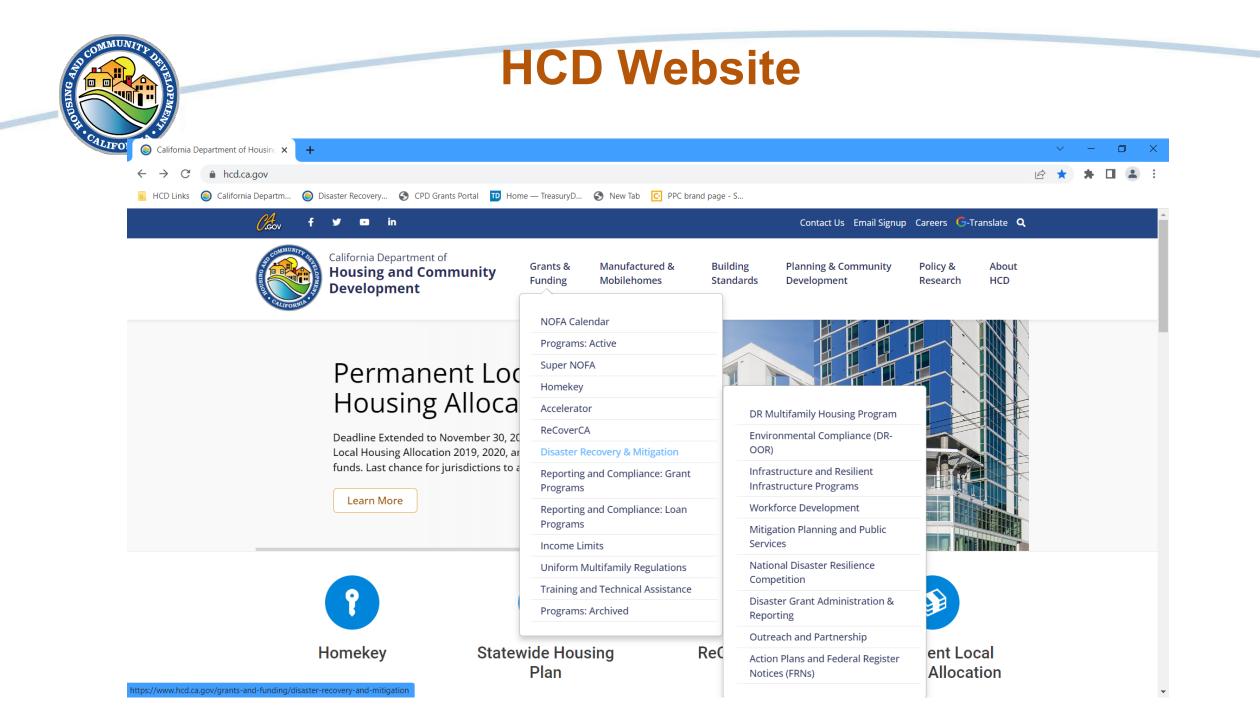
- Adaptation Planning Grant Program
 - Provides flexible funding for local, regional, tribal planning needs
- Regional Resilience Planning and Implementation Grant Program
 - Supports regions in advancing resilience through capacity-building, planning, and project implementation
- More info: https://www.opr.ca.gov/planning/icarp/grants/



- Review the draft document here:
 <u>https://www.hcd.ca.gov/sites/default/files/docs/grants-and-funding/apfrn/17-18MIT-APA2-final-508.pdf</u>
- Submit your comment and/or question via chat feature or raise your hand
- Submit your comment and/or question via email: <u>disasterrecovery@hcd.ca.gov</u>



Where to go for the Draft Action Plan?



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Disaster Recovery & Mitigation

Assisting communities to bounce back after disasters strike.

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Disaster Recovery & Mitigation

Community development includes more than just new development. HCD works to help communities recover after disasters (such as droughts, fires, and floods) by administering special federal funds for both recovery and mitigation purposes. When appropriated funds from HUD, HCD works with local governments and organizations to support programs that provide long-term





HCD Website

CDBG-DR CDBG-MIT Multifamily Single Family Infrastructure Community Development

Disaster Recovery Multifamily Housing Program (DR-MHP)

DR-MHP works with local governments and developers in areas impacted by disasters, helping to (re)build multifamily housing projects and generate crucial affordable housing units.

<u>View Disaster Recovery Multifamily Housing</u> <u>Program</u>

Workforce Development (DR-Workforce)

DR-Workforce helps fund local governments, community colleges, and nonprofits in affected areas develop their workforces' skills to help their economies develop and recover after disasters.

View Workforce Development

Environmental Compliance (DR-OOR)

The Disaster Recovery Branch has made this tool to aid homeowners impacted by disasters with the necessary environmental documents.

View Environmental Compliance (DR-OOR)

Mitigation Planning and Public Services (MIT-PPS)

MIT-PPS funds help local governments and nonprofits in affected areas provide services and increase resiliency against future disasters.

View Mitigation Planning and Public Services

Outreach & Partnership

Citizen participation, public comment, and partner resources

Infrastructure and Resilient Infrastructure (DR-INF/MIT-RIP)

Planning

DR-INF/MIT-RIP funds helps local governments in impacted areas rebuild their communities' infrastructure in a more resilient manner to withstand future natural disasters based on lessons learned.&.

Climate Mitigation Show All

<u>View Infrastructure and Resilient</u> <u>Infrastructure</u>

National Disaster Resilience Competition (NDR)

HCD and Tuolumne County won NDR funds to help the County rebuild from the 2013 Rim Fire.

View National Disaster Resilience Competition

Action Plans and Federal Register Notices

Action Plans and applicable Federal Register Notices.

Disaster Grant Administration & Reporting

Procurements, Contracts, administration manuals, reports, trainings, and other helpful information.

Questions and Public Comment







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