



STATE OF FLORIDA

DIVISION OF EMERGENCY MANAGEMENT

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MEMORANDUM

To: Local Governments, State and Regional Agencies, Indian Tribal Governments, Local Mitigation Strategy Working Groups, and Private Non-Profit Organizations Submitting Hazard Mitigation Grant Program Post-Fire Applications

From: Wesley Maul, State Coordinating Officer

Subject: Hazard Mitigation Grant Program Notice of Funding Availability

Date: November 13, 2018

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Good Afternoon,

FEMA has opened a new opportunity in the Hazard Mitigation Grant Program (HMGP) to those counties that have been declared for a Fire Management Assistance (FMA) between the dates of October 1, 2016 through September 30, 2018 called HMGP Post-Fire, authorized by Section 20602 of the Bipartisan Budget Act of 2018. The State of Florida received three FMA declarations during this time period: FM-5178 (Florida 30th Avenue Fire), FM-5179 (Florida Lehigh Acres Fire), and FM-5180 (Florida Indian Lake Estate Fire). The State of Florida was awarded a flat amount of HMGP funding per declaration (\$566,677.00), which was then aggregated into one HMGP Post-Fire declaration, FM-5178-FL.

Eligible project types are the same as HMGP, although FEMA encourages the use of these funds for the mitigation of wildfire and related hazards, such as flood or erosion. Please note that projects will be funded in the order listed in their county's endorsement letter, regardless of project type.

The projects may take place outside of the declared county, or counties, so long as the risk reduction benefits the declared county or counties. If funding cannot be used in these declared counties, then it will be made available to the rest of the state.

The application deadline for FM-5178-FL is February 25, 2019, as of the date of this notice.

Submission Requirements

Please provide **one original and two copies** of the State Hazard Mitigation Grant Program Application and all appropriate attachments. In addition, **include a full copy of the submittal and all documentation on CD**. The application and all other pertinent forms may be obtained at the Division's website located at the link below.

Completed applications must be sent to the following address:

ATTN: Kathleen Marshall, Hazard Mitigation Grant Program
Florida Division of Emergency Management
Mitigation Bureau
2555 Shumard Oak Boulevard
Tallahassee, Florida 32399-2100

For further information regarding **Minimum Program Eligibility, Cost-Share Requirements, Pre-Award Costs, Project Management, County Funding Allocation, and Technical Assistance** for HMGP Post-Fire, please see the Notice of Funding Availability Supplemental Information at the link provided below.

If you have any questions regarding this new funding opportunity, please feel free to contact Jared Jaworski at either jared.jaworski@em.myflorida.com or (850) 815-4537.

<https://www.floridadisaster.org/dem/mitigation/hazard-mitigation-grant-program/>

HMGP Post-Fire FM-5178-FL Allocation		
County	Regular Project HMGP Funding (75%)	25% Match Required
Collier	\$566,677.00	\$188,892.33
Lee	\$566,677.00	\$188,892.33
Polk	\$566,677.00	\$188,892.33
	\$1,700,031.00	\$566,677.00