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MIAMI VALLEY LONG TERM COMMUNITY DISASTER RECOVERY

Impacted Jurisdictions Meeting Summary September 26, 2019

OEMA / FEMA Update

Laura Adcock, OEMA & Kehla West, FEMA

FEMA Program Delivery Management team will be in place by early October to provide direct assistance to impacted jurisdictions for their public assistance applications. (Update: As of 10/10/19 FEMA teams are here and beginning their meetings with jurisdictions)

Ohio EMA requested that Disaster Loan Program be activated. This would allow jurisdictions to apply for loss or revenue due to disaster as well as replenish funds spent from other projects to respond. Update on availability at next meeting.

Please contact Laura Adcock with any questions or concerns about FEMA public assistance or about any State funds for mitigation.

We will have more information about PDM &FMA mitigation programs at future meeting.

Operations Group Update

Laura Mercer, Disaster Recovery Manager

Individual Recovery Operations continue to move very quickly. Direct, one-on-one assistance for individuals and families now all routing through 211 number. There have been 105 calls in first few weeks of operation.

80 properties were cleaned up on September 14, 2019 as part of the regional work day. If you have projects in your community for future work days or shorter term volunteer labor, please contact Laura Mercer to arrange.

Local Disaster Recovery Manager Update

Stacy Schweikhart, Director of Strategy and Engagement, MVRPC

MVRPC is applying for Economic Development Administration (EDA) funds to provide a full time Disaster Recovery Manager who will be the coordinator of the long term recovery project for at least 5 years. This position will provide technical assistance to all jurisdictions and work to execute the recovery and resiliency strategy for the entire region.

MVRPC will also apply for EDA funds in partnership with the Dayton Development Coalition to develop a Comprehensive Economic Development Strategy for the Region.

Individual jurisdictions can, and should plan to apply for EDA Construction projects related to Disaster Recovery. These projects can repair and/or reinforce public infrastructure. Stacy will provide individual technical assistance to each jurisdiction who wishes to consider an application. The application is open and work should begin now to get projects submitted this calendar year.