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HMGP 4677 Hurricane Ian Funding Priorities

HMGP 4677 Priorities Overview



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Priorities in three categories:

- Project type
- Subapplicant characteristics
- Subapplication timeliness and completeness



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Project Type:

2 points for priority mitigation activities:

Localized flood reduction

- +0.5 point if design and H&H study already complete

Acquisitions/elevations/mitigation reconstruction

- +0.5 point if more than one property

Hazard mitigation planning activities

Projects with multiple mitigation actions

1 point for secondary priorities:

Retrofitting

Floodproofing

*Planning and Five Percent Initiative funds will be used for those project types first before transitioning to the regular project funds

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Additional Factors (bonus):

+1 point for incorporation of nature-based solutions

+1 point if addresses climate resilience

+1 point for project submitted and not awarded in previous HMGP grant or created in the draft mitigation sandbox in SCRG

+2 points for work to be conducted in a declared county



4677 Subapplicant Priorities



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Equity and Inclusion:

3 points if subapplicant has a SOVI score higher than 1.5

2 point if subapplicant has a SOVI score between 0.5 and 1.49

1 point if subapplicant has a SOVI score between 0.0 and 0.49

* For state agencies, statewide average SOVI score of 0.87 will be used

HMGP Experience:

1 point if no HMGP projects have been awarded to the subapplicant in previous five years

0.5 point if first-time subapplicant

4677 Application Priorities



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Timeliness of Application:

1 point if pre-application submitted by state deadline

1 point if application submitted by state deadline

Completeness of Application:

2 points for no state request for information (RFI) needed

1 point if application complete after initial RFI response

** Incomplete applications will not be submitted to FEMA*

4677 Additional Information



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Tiebreakers:

- 1) Time stamp of application submission in SC Recovery Grants.
- 2) Number of HMGP awards since 2017 (lowest to highest)

Project Federal Award Cap:

20% of the total available funding (estimated at \$650,383) – will change at 6-month lock-in